



Together Towards Success
With our AIM Values



Diary Dates

Year 6

Height & Weight Check
15th October

International Day
24th October

Dress in your national
costume or the colours
of your flag

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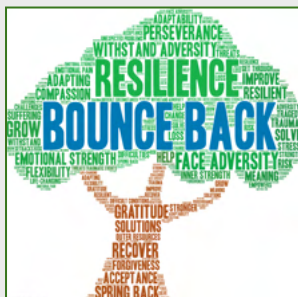
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PSHE Themes

In school we have been
thinking about

Resilience



Young Gardeners Competition



Woodcroft's EYFS Garden was nominated for an award at the Barnet Young Gardeners Competition this year. Well done to our resident EYFS Gardener, Mrs Kryj-Shahid, and her Young Gardening Crew; Leo, Gulsoom, Matilda, Riley, Alia & Ella who went along to the award ceremony on Thursday evening. They took along from our garden an enormous pumpkin, rainbows of carrots, a variety of tomatoes, sunflower heads the size of a dinner plate, and a selection of homegrown herbs.

As part of our display, Mrs Kryj-Shahid had made with the children thyme shortbread biscuits, rosemary sponge cake, mint and lemon syrup and homemade purple play dough infused with our own lavender! We didn't win top prize, but we were proud to show off our amazing little garden and all its produce.



Harvest

HARVEST COLLECTION 2025



We shall be making our annual Harvest collection next week. We ask families to make a donation of food and coins to support those in need within our local community. The children will be celebrating this with a Harvest Assembly on **Friday 17th October**.

Class Hamper Collection from 13th October

From **Monday 13th October** each class will be **collecting food** to make a special decorated **class hamper**. Children are asked to bring in **canned or dried food**. This hamper is then decorated in the classroom and displayed in the Harvest assembly. Parents can view our **Harvest display** in the Main Hall from 3.15pm on Friday 17th October.



'Harvest Basket' Coin Collection

We shall also be collecting coins again this year. We are aiming to '**fill the harvest basket**' with loose change. Children will get the opportunity to drop their coins in a special harvest basket as they enter assembly. Let's try and fill it to the top!

Food Bank Aid

The proceeds from our food and coin collections will be supporting the local charity **Food Bank Aid (North London)**.

*****Please bring in canned or dried food from Monday 13th October and your coins on Friday 17th October *****



Woodcroft International Day on Friday 24th October

We are looking forward to our famous **International Day** on **Friday 24th October**. It is your child's opportunity to dress in their national costume or in the colours of a chosen flag to transform the school into a mass of colour that celebrates our amazing diversity.



Blue PE Kits should not be worn on International Day. If your child's class is scheduled for PE alternative activities will be scheduled for that Friday.



WASP SEN Group Coffee Morning

Woodcroft's Advice and Support for Parents

Tuesday 18th November from 9.00am

This term's Parent Coffee Morning will take place on Tuesday 18th November at 9.00am.

We are delighted to welcome our guest speaker, Julie O'Dwyer, to the session.

Julie is an Autism Advisory Teacher in Barnet and supports many of our families with autistic children. She will deliver a bespoke session based on the feedback from the Summer Term Coffee Morning. Topics to be covered include:

- Predictability and routine in the home
- Managing routines around sleeping, eating, toileting & device use
- Coping with dysregulation
- Meeting sensory needs

We look forward to seeing you there. Please speak to Miss Maynard or Jill Smith for further information.

Year 6 Secondary Transfer Applications - Deadline 31st October



Year 6 families are now able to complete their applications to select their secondary school choices for transfer next September 2026.

<https://www.eadmissions.org.uk/>

You can compare Barnet secondary school results here:

<https://www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk/schools-by-type?step=default&table=schools®ion=302&geographic=la&for=secondary>



The Birthday Book Club

We are always happy to hear about pupils who have enjoyed recent birthdays and celebrate by donating a book for their Class Library.



***Congratulations and Happy Birthday to
Isabeau (1T) age 6 and Aditio (2S) age 7, Yuvaan (3R) age 8***

**Whole School
Attendance
94.5%**

Weekly Class Attendance Champions

Y1/Y2 Class of the week: **2LD** 97.65% 🏆 **TOP CLASS** 🏆
Y3/Y4 Class of the week: **3M** 96.25%
Y5/Y6 Class of the week: **5N** 95.64%