



Dear Families,

Woodland Learning Autumn Term 2026

Following a very successful Summer Term of Woodland Learning, I am pleased to share the dates when your child will attend their sessions during the Autumn Term.

Woodland Learning provides wonderful opportunities for children to explore the natural environment, develop new skills and take part in practical, hands-on learning experiences.

On their designated Woodland Learning day, children should arrive at school dressed in suitable outdoor clothing that they are comfortable getting dirty. Please ensure that all clothing and footwear is clearly named.

Your child will need:

- A waterproof jacket or coat
- A fleece or sweatshirt
- Waterproof trousers or old trousers that can get muddy
- Spare socks
- **Wellies or sturdy outdoor boots**, clearly named and kept at school
- A woolly hat or sunhat, depending on the weather
- Gloves, depending on the weather
- A separate plastic bag for muddy clothing and footwear

Please ensure that your child's arms and legs are fully covered to help protect them while exploring the woodland environment. Shorts, crop tops and football kits are not suitable for Woodland Learning.

Suitable clothing is essential for children to participate safely. Unfortunately, if your child does not have the correct clothing or footwear, they may be unable to take part in their session.

Woodland Learning will take place in most weather conditions. Sessions will generally only be cancelled in the event of high winds, thunderstorms or other conditions that may present a safety risk. Children should therefore be prepared to spend time outside in a range of weather and should dress appropriately.

To help us make the most of our time outdoors, the children's morning or afternoon playtime will be incorporated into their Woodland Learning session. This will provide additional opportunities for them to explore, play and engage with nature.

Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to another exciting term of Woodland Learning.

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For the Autumn Term, **Year 1 and Year 5** will have Woodland Learning on the following dates:

Autumn Term 1 All Wednesdays	Autumn Term 2 All Wednesdays
9 th September, 23 rd September, 7 th October, 21 st October 2026	11 th November, 25 th November, 9 th December

For the Autumn Term, **Year 4** will have Woodland Learning on the following dates:

Autumn Term 1 All Thursdays	Autumn Term 2 All Thursdays
10 th September, 24 th September, 8 th October, 22 nd October	12 th November, 10 th December

For the Autumn Term, **Year 2 and Year 6** will have Woodland Learning on the following dates:

Autumn Term 1 All Wednesdays	Autumn Term 2 All Wednesdays
16 th September, 30 th September, 14 th October,	4 th November, 18 th November, 2 nd December 16 th December

For the Autumn Term, **Reception and Year 3** will have Woodland Learning on the following dates:

Autumn Term 1 All Thursdays	Autumn Term 2 All Thursdays
17 th September, 1 st October, 15 th October,	5 th November, 19 th November, 3 rd December, 17 th December

We are very much looking forward to this exciting opportunity; please do email messages@loxwoodschool.com with any further queries or questions.

Kind regards,
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