



LORDSWOOD
SCHOOL

Top Tips for Parents
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Learning Without Limits

Proud Traditions Wide horizons High Achievement

Content:

- The use of apps, website and Google Classroom support
- What is our Lordswood Curriculum?

Our school website

www.lordswood-gst.org

News stories

Calendar

Apps

FSU – Lordswood YouTube

Year 1 – Lordswood YouTube, TT Rockstars

Year 2 – Lordswood YouTube, TT Rockstars and MyOn.

Year 3 – Mathletics, TT Rockstars, MyOn

Year 4 – Mathletics, TT Rockstars, MyOn

Year 5 – Mathletics, TT Rockstars, Myon

Year 6 – Mathletics, TT Rockstars, MyOn and Method
Maths

All Year groups use **Google Classroom** and there are support videos on Lordswood Youtube for various topics for all year groups.

Occasionally we use SumDog and Emile for competitions in KS2.

Google Classroom

Why do we use it?

Reduce paper – all work can be done in homework book and does not need printing.

What is the expectation?

Weekly homework (usually Maths, comprehension or both – Year R -6)

Spellings (Year R – Year 2)

Weekly prep for learning (Nursery – Year 6)

Think for the week (Year R – 6)

Any issues with logging in/ accessing contact Mrs Baker-May.

Our Lordswood Immersive Curriculum

Which subjects?

Art

Computing

Design Technology

Geography

History

Music

RE

PE

PSHE

Science

Why an immersive approach

- subjects are taught in equal equity and have quality focused time.
- no single subject or subjects are given reduced attention and that no subjects are missed from the curriculum.
- children have a more focused and immersive learning experience, enabling their knowledge to become more deeply embedded
- Children make quicker and stronger links - there is more time for them to think about the lesson's knowledge instead of quickly moving on to another curriculum area
- reduces cognitive overload for our SEND learners as one curriculum area becomes the focus for the week or fortnight.
- children have the opportunity to showcase all of their knowledge through their learning journey sheet and they self-evaluate how they are doing with their skills.

Which subjects are taught discretely?

- Guided Reading
- Phonics
- Maths
- English
- French
- PE
- Music
- PSHE

The Power of Reading

How does this fit into our
Curriculum offer?

Special Days

Experiences / Trips

Ofsted

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- Pupils experience a broad and balanced curriculum that inspires them to learn. They enjoy the topics taught and retain the knowledge that they acquire.
- School leaders have developed an engaging curriculum. Subject leaders have supported the leader of the wider curriculum to introduce a curriculum that develops pupils' skills, knowledge and understanding in a wide range of subjects. The curriculum is broad, balanced and inspires pupils to learn.

Moving Forward

Our curriculum Successes

- Gold Youth Sports Trust Award
- Gold Mental Health for Schools Award
- Primary Science Quality Mark
- On Journey to become a “Thinking School” (year 3)
- Bronze Shakespeare School Award
- Certified National Online Safety School



Artsmark
Platinum Award
Awarded by Arts
Council England

Now:
Open Afternoon

Please feel free to visit your child
in class.

Ambassadors to assist you