Upper Woodford Class- September 2023

Dear Parents,

I hope you have had a fantastic summer and that your son/daughter are ready for the start of Year 5. We are in Upper Key Stage 2 so will be working hard but having fun too!

I will be teaching Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesday mornings. Mrs Reavill will teach on Thursdays and Fridays. Mrs Toze is our class TA this year and we will have Mrs Kingston-Jones in our class too.

The children are buddies this year to our new friends in reception and have already made a fantastic start to their role. They are so excited to see each other in the mornings and enjoy a good chat on their way down to Lake class.

The children will have PE on Monday afternoons and gym on Thursday mornings, **please** ensure that they have the correct kit for this. Long hair needs to be tied back and no jewellery.

Our class topic this term is ‘Chocolate’, this is a super topic to learn about. Towards the end of the term, we will be visiting Cadbury World as our class trip.

Homework will be set during the week, English on a Monday that is returned on a Wednesday and Maths on a Wednesday, which is returned on a Monday. Maths will either be in a book or set on My Maths for the children to complete. There will be spellings to learn, these will be given out on a Monday and the children will be tested the following Monday. If you have any worries about homework, please let us know and we can sort it in class. Mrs Toze will collect homework diaries in on a Friday and will check to see if parents have signed them- children can earn merit points for this!

We are looking forward to working with the class this year. If you have any worries or concerns, you can email into the office to contact me or Mrs Reavill or catch us at the gate at the end of the day.

Donna Young and Kate Reavill