



Woodlands Primary School



KS2 Teaching Assistants

Mrs France

My name is Mrs France and I will be working with you this year. I have been a teaching assistant at Woodlands Primary since 2006. I have worked throughout the school, from Nursery straight through to Year 6. I live near our school with my husband, Mr France. We have lived here for 35 years! We have three children, a son and two daughters (they are all adults now). We also have three, beautiful granddaughters. When I have free time, I very much enjoy pottering around in my garden and reading. I also have a touring caravan and I enjoy meeting up with my friends for weekends and holidays. I look forward to getting to know you all and enjoying Year 6 together 😊



Mr Bowles

Hello! My name is Mr Bowles and I have been part of the Woodlands team now for almost 10 years. I have worked in Key Stage 2 for most of that time as 1 to 1 teaching assistant. I enjoy helping the children learn new and exciting things. I enjoy reading books, relaxing watching TV and movies as well as being active. That is usually through playing football, but it can also be running around and competing in local runs. I have raised money for charities in the past when completing half marathons, but I am looking at doing different things in the future as charitable events. I am looking forward to working with Year 5 this year and helping them through this important and time!



Mrs Henderson

Hi, I am Mrs Henderson. This will be the start of my fifth year as part of the Woodlands family and I have enjoyed every bit of working in Y5 as a 1:1 this year. It has been a crazy, fun packed year of learning and making memories. When I am not in school, I love to read, spend time catching up with family and friends, going on walks, bike rides and exploring new places with my hubby, my two boys who are 17 and 10 and our little dog, Bobee. I am excited to be moving up to Y6 with the current year 5's this year as a 1:1. I know we will have lots of fun learning and exploring all of the new Topics together, I can't wait!



Mrs Robinson

Hi. I am Mrs Robinson and I have been at Woodlands for 5 years now. I have spent my time working as a teaching assistant in the juniors and I have worked in Years 3, 4 and 5. This year I am going to be a teaching assistant in Year 6 and I am looking forward to it. In my spare time I am often found outdoors exploring with my husband. I enjoy photography and have some beautiful photographs of the outdoors. I read occasionally as long as the book is an interesting one and I am keen on biographies. I also enjoy cooking and trying new dishes as well as doing crafts.



Miss Stringer

Hello, I have worked at Woodlands for a number of years now in a variety of roles. When I am not working, I am having fun with my 3 children as well and I will also hopefully be studying for my teaching apprenticeship. I like to be a busy bee! I also enjoy reading lots of books; Terry Pratchett is my favourite author.



Mrs Gati

Hello. My name is Mrs Gati, and I have been part of the Woodlands family for two years now. From September, I will be working on the Junior site in Y3. Give me a wave or a smile if you see me. I am a mother of 5 and have lived on the Wirral forever. I am an elder in my local church. I love singing, camping and the theatre. I am really looking forward to working with all of you again in the new school year!



Mrs Weeks

Hi, I am Miss Weeks and I have been part of the Woodlands team for 6 years, firstly as a midday assistant in early years, then I joined the early years team as a teaching assistant at the beginning of 2022. In my spare I like to relax by going on long walks with my children Harry and Emily and our dog Jessie. Jessie's favourite walks are on the beach where she can run in and out of the water. I also like meals out with my family and my favourite restaurants are Italian. I am really looking forward to meeting you all and having a fun filled year together.

**Mrs Gresty**

I am looking forward to working with you in September. I have been at Woodlands for a very long time because it is such a great place to be. I love all the lessons in school. My favourites are maths and science. I also enjoy literacy and painting. At home, I like to do the gardening. I am very proud of my flowers this year. Other things I like to do are: reading books – especially books about dinosaurs; going to the theatre; visiting castles and other historical sites; taking long walks in the countryside and along beaches – rock pools are fun to explore; but best of all is spending time with my family.

Miss Hein

Hello everyone, as some of you will already know my name is Miss Hein, and I work as a 1:1 TA. I am very much looking forward to my 4th year here at Woodlands and I'm extremely excited to join the fabulous Y3 team this year. I live with my partner, my 2 children Sophia and Isabelle and my two cats; India & Pixie. I enjoy spending time with my family and friends and being in my garden with my beautiful flowers. I am passionate about reading and Makaton signing. My favourite children's author is Julia Donaldson. I love singing, signing and making up silly songs. I look forward to having fun with everybody this year and travelling on our wonderful learning journey together.

**Miss Horgan**

Hello! I am Miss Horgan and this will be my 5th year at Woodlands Primary School. I'm sure you'll recognise me as I've followed your year group up since Nursery and it's been lovely seeing everyone's progression! I am very excited to be working in your Y3 class as a 1-1 TA. I know we are going to have lots of fun with Mrs Barrett! When I am not in school, I enjoy spending time with my friends, family and my cat, Twiggy. I also love exploring nature, camping, going to music events and photography!

**Mr Clyne****Mr Howell**