



# What we Like to Learn at Pinner Wood



## The World – Past and Present

The world is yours to discover! Travel back in time to find out about the beginning of human existence, ancient civilisations and historic events that have shaped our world. Explore countries and continents and learn about rivers, rocks and weather. Investigate your local environment and the UK. Find out how people live all over the world.



## Leadership

We want you to take responsibility for your school. To help us we have a Junior Leadership Team and many opportunities for you to lead across the whole spectrum of school life. We have a democratically elected School Council which helps to run our school and makes important decisions for the future.



## Performing

We love taking part in shows and concerts at Pinner Wood! Children perform in assemblies, in Harrow concerts and festivals with other schools and in the wider community such as the O2, the Arts Centre and Pinner Pantomime Evening.



## Music

Experience the joy of making music with others! Sing songs, learn to play instruments and have the opportunity to perform solos and in groups. You will listen to and learn about a wide range of music in our world. We have two choirs, an orchestra and guitar club as well as lessons for a full range of instruments (woodwind, strings, brass, keyboard). The Harrow Music Service visit us with class projects and concerts.



## The Environment

We are eco-warriors at Pinner Wood, inspired and led by our Eco group who hold regular events and meetings to raise awareness of important issues facing our planet and our future.



## Languages

Many languages are spoken by pupils and staff and specific language groups meet regularly. We learn French from Year 3-6.



## Love of Reading

We love reading at Pinner Wood. Our aim is for every child to be able to read well. Our teachers dedicate time to reading us stories and poems to enjoy. Our well-resourced school library and book corners are stocked with books to borrow and take home.



## Art and Design

Connect with your inner creativity and explore your imagination. Discover new worlds of possibility as you experiment with different media and learn about the great artists, sculptors, photographers and designers, learning how to conceptualize, design and make beautiful and purposeful creations.



## Science

Explore the universe and start to investigate the fundamental laws that govern the whole of existence, from the smallest particle to the largest star. Learn fascinating facts about the fabulous flora and fauna on Earth. Predict, experiment and hypothesise – be passionate about discovery!



## PE

Learn about your body's capabilities and how to stay healthy. You will enjoy playing team games and learning new physical skills. Which sport will become your favourite? We have many opportunities to learn how to be part of a successful team through lessons, playtimes and clubs.



## Technology

Learn about computers and all the amazing things you can do with them! Develop your own programs and discover new ideas and technologies. Find out how the internet connects us. Use iPads in lessons to find things out and to record your learning in different ways. Like cooking? Develop your skills in our fabulous cooking room or go to cooking club.



‘Learning as we grow, growing as we learn’



## Respecting Each Other

Our school is diverse and we respect everyone. We like to find out about each others languages, heritage and religion. In lessons we learn about the main world religions and the importance of spirituality through discussion, creativity and sharing celebrations. Through PSHE, we learn how to keep ourselves safe, well and happy and develop our characters.



## Wider Opportunities

Exciting things happen at Pinner Wood! We go on lots of trips (e.g. museums, farms, places of worship, theatres) to enhance our learning and lives. There is a wide range of clubs before, at lunchtime and after school, ranging from Art to Zumba. Year 6 go on a residential school journey. We are visited by a range of visitors and performers to inspire and teach us. We love being in our library for quiet times and reading groups.