The Forest Federation of Soudley, Steam Mills and Woodside

Subject Leadership

Article 28 Every child has the right to an education. Primary education must be free and different forms of secondary education must be available to every child. Discipline in schools must respect children's dignity and their rights. Richer countries must help poorer countries achieve this.

Article 29 Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures, and the environment.

At the Forest Federation, we have expanded our subject leadership across the three schools: Soudley Primary School, Steam Mills Primary School and Woodside Primary School (all based in the Forest of Dean). This allows our teachers to focus on one curriculum area, to monitor and develop, as well as provide opportunities to collaborate across the three schools. It has been important for the Governors and Senior Leadership Team to enhance the curriculums across the schools by sharing good practice and resources, whilst allowing each school to maintain its unique identity; this allows our teachers to access quality CPD and expertise so our pupils can have the best possible education.

Each of the schools has identified core drivers that they want to underpin their curriculums with, and although they differ slightly school to school, there are many overlaps which are synonymous with our Federation's vision.

Steam Mills Curriculum

Key Drivers
Aspiration, Communication, Knowledge of the World

Woodside Curriculum

Golden Threads
Vocabulary, Knowledge of the World, Diversity

Soudley Curriculum

Curriculum Drivers
Communication, Knowledge of the World, Our Forest

Our subject leaders are working hard to ensure their subjects are rigorous and this is through regular monitoring. Please see below for details on who leads which subject in our schools.

Staff	School	Role in the Federation
Amy Mason	• Executive Head Teacher (SLT)	
Mrs Fawkes	• Executive Deputy Head Teacher (SLT)	
Mrs Cotterell	Woodside	• Senior Teacher at Woodside Primary • Science Lead
Mrs Saeed	Soudley	• Senior Teacher at Soudley • Early Years Lead
Mrs Mclean	Steam Mills	• Senior Teacher at Steam Mills • PE Lead
Mrs Gibbs	Steam Mills	• English Reading & Phonics Lead
Miss Waugh	Woodside	• English Writing Lead
Mrs Oliver	Woodside	• Curriculum Lead • Maths Lead (GLOW Maths Primary Mastery Specialist)
Mrs Toomer	Woodside	• Computing Lead
Miss Barber	Steam Mills	• PSHE Lead for the Federation • SENCo at Steam Mills
Mrs Bushell	Woodside	• Religious and World Views Lead
Miss Byrnes	Steam Mills	• Geography Lead
Miss Carlson	Steam Mills	• MFL Lead
Miss Barton	Woodside	• Art & DT Lead
Mr Bowkett	Soudley	• History Lead
Mrs Jeavons	Woodside Soudley	• SENCo at Soudley and Woodside • Pupil Premium Lead for the Federation • Music Lead

If you would like to speak with any of our subject leaders, please contact them through their school, via the school office.