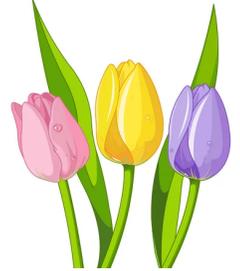


# Wormholt News

Friday 18th March



## Head's Chat

It actually feels like Spring has arrived! Doesn't the lovely weather make a difference :-)

The children have been having their end of term reading and maths assessments this week. It's a great opportunity to see how well they are progressing. It also shows the teachers where the gaps in learning are. We can then make sure that these gaps are addressed in the summer term.

I hope you've all managed to sign up for your parent meetings next week. If you haven't, please speak to your child's teacher.

Can I thank the parents/carers who filled in the parental survey for Ofsted. The comments were overwhelmingly positive, which was great to hear.

Unfortunately, positive cases of Covid seem to be rising again in the area. Luckily, we have had very few cases in school, which is a huge relief.

Please ensure that if your child is showing signs of Covid, you test them and keep them at home, to avoid an outbreak at school. Thank you.

Have a lovely weekend in the sunshine!

Mrs Hargie

Headteacher

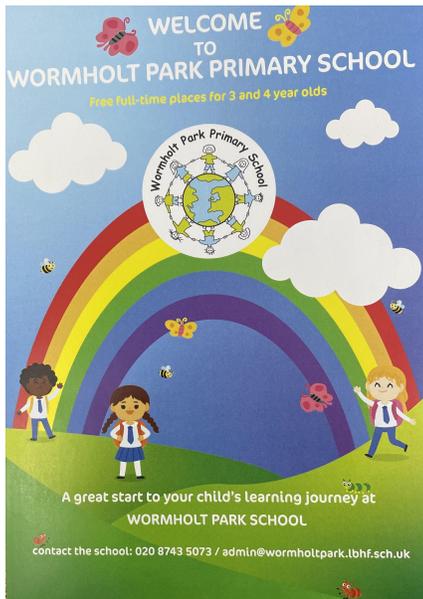


## Absences and Lateness

If your child is absent from school, please remember to call the office on the first morning of absence.

Please also remember, that your child can come into school from 8.30am for soft start. We still have a lot of children arriving after 8.45am, which not only means they are late but also means they have missed all of the soft start.

## Nursery Places



Please remember to fill in an application form for your child to start in our Nursery in the Autumn Term. Your child can start as soon as they are 3 years old if there is space. At the moment, we have plenty of spaces for September. Our Nursery is a wonderful place for your child to start their learning journey! If you'd like to come and look around, please contact the office and we will arrange a convenient time. Also, if you have any friends or relatives who need Nursery places, please tell them to get in touch.

## After School Clubs for Summer Term

I hope you all read the email about some new clubs starting in the Summer Term!





# Red Nose Day!

The children looked great dressed in red today. Thank you for all the donations. We raised £470.64 which is fantastic! Have a look at these photos of the children!



# Our School Website



There is so much information on our website. Please have a look!

<https://wormholtparkprimary.co.uk/>

## Skills Builder Weekly Challenge

Have you been completing any of these skills builder challenges at home? Please let us know how you are finding these. Come and chat with Mrs Everett at the end of the day - alternatively you could drop us an email. Here is this week's challenge!

A paper clip is a useful item for holding pieces of paper together.

Use your imagination to come up with as many different ideas in 1 minute as you can for what else a paper clip could be used for.

Make a list or draw your ideas. Challenge your family and friends to do the same.

Did they come up with the same or different ideas?

What was the most unusual idea you came up with?

Can you combine your ideas and come up with even more together?

### Reflection Questions

**Getting Started:** How can you share what you imagine?

**Intermediate:** How can you come up with lots of different ideas?

**Advanced:** How can you combine different ideas to create new ones?

**Mastery:** How can you help someone else to be creative?

💡 Creativity

Skills Builder has resources available for parents/carers on their website. The [Home Zone](#) helps parents and carers to build their child's essential skills at home. Each week they have a different Skills Challenge that parents/carers can complete with their child. [Click here to visit their website](#)



## School Calendar

Our School calendar is updated regularly. Please click the link below to access it

[Click here to see](#)

## Attendance

I wonder who will win the overall attendance competition this term and get extra playtime

Best Attendance this week	
1st	Harare
2nd	Wellington
Punctuality	
Seoul 100% Ankara	

Well done to these classes!



**Birthday children are now able to bring in a little something to share with their class on their birthday, if you would like them to.**

**Please ensure the biscuits or cakes are individually wrapped. We will absolutely not be able to cut up cakes in school. Thank you.**

Happy Birthday to these children who celebrate their birthdays this week.

Year 2: Yassine

Year 5: Adam and Wahaj

Year 6: Seoul

# Term Dates

## Spring Term 2022 -

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April – Last day of Term (half day for pupils)

## Summer Term 2022

Wednesday 20th April - Children back

Monday 2nd May - Bank Holiday

Tuesday 3rd May - INSET DAY

Half Term: Monday 30th May – Friday 3rd June

Friday 22nd July - Last day of term (half day for pupils)