



Wormholt News

Friday 3rd February

Head's Chat

Dear Families,

I hope you've all had a good week.

Earlier in the week, I sent an email to all our families about lateness. If you missed this email, I was explaining that lateness has become a real issue in our school. On Monday for example, we had 57 children coming in after 8.45am. A number of parents have already come to speak to me about issues they have in the mornings and we have discussed ways that the school can support them to help their children get into school on time.

Thank you to all the parents/carers who have made such an effort this week and to all the parents/carers whose children are always on time!

Time lost per year	
5 minutes late daily	3 whole days
10 minutes late daily	6 and a half days
15 minutes late daily	10 whole days
20 minutes late daily	13 whole days
30 minutes late daily	19 whole days

However, we still had 34 children late on Tuesday, 31 on Thursday and 35 today.

If you look at this chart, you will see how much learning the children miss if they are persistently late. The children will miss such important learning and very often, children find it embarrassing to walk into class late, while all their friends are busy with their work.

Please ensure from Monday, your child arrives before 8.45am every day. Thank you.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Hargie

Headteacher

Class Assemblies

Tripoli class (Y5) performed their class assembly to parents this morning and what a delight it was. Fantastic acting, singing and even some scientific facts! Well done Tripoli! You made your teachers and parents feel very proud. In fact, we were HAPPY!

Class assemblies for next term are:

- Friday 24th February 2023 - Lima (Year 2)
- Friday 10th March 2023 - Washington (Year 3)
- Friday 24th March 2023 - Athens (Year 4)

These are held in the bottom hall from 10.00am to 10.15am. Doors open at 9.55am. Please don't be late as this can be upsetting for children expecting you to be there from the start. It is also disruptive for the rest of the children.

Please can we remind you that any photographs or videos taken during class assemblies are for personal use only and should NOT be shared on any social media.

Please find the list of all the upcoming dates for class assemblies on our website at:


<https://wormholtprimary.co.uk/assemblies/>

Cost Of Living Support

The cost-of-living crisis team can help residents in Hammersmith & Fulham access support for the cost-of-living crisis. The team can provide guidance and advice on services and support across the council and wider.

You can contact them on their free phone number **0800 917 6994**. The line is open 8am to 6pm, Monday to Friday.

Alternatively you can visit their website for further information. [click here](#) Or access their free guide [here](#) **There are also paper copies of the booklet available in the school office.**



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Help with the cost of living


We can help if you're struggling to pay your bills and in many other ways.
Call us for free on 0800 917 6994,
email costoflivingteam@lbhf.gov.uk
or visit lbhf.gov.uk/costofliving

Parent/Carer Workshops for EYFS

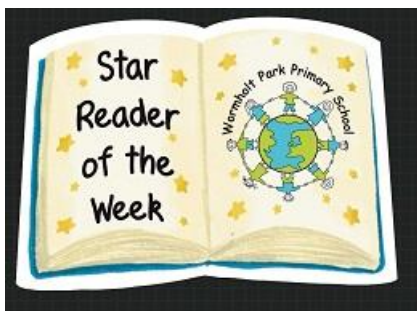


We will be holding the following workshops for parents and carers. We would love to help you to further support your child's learning at home by showing you some of the things that we do in school.

Ms Virdee will lead the workshop.

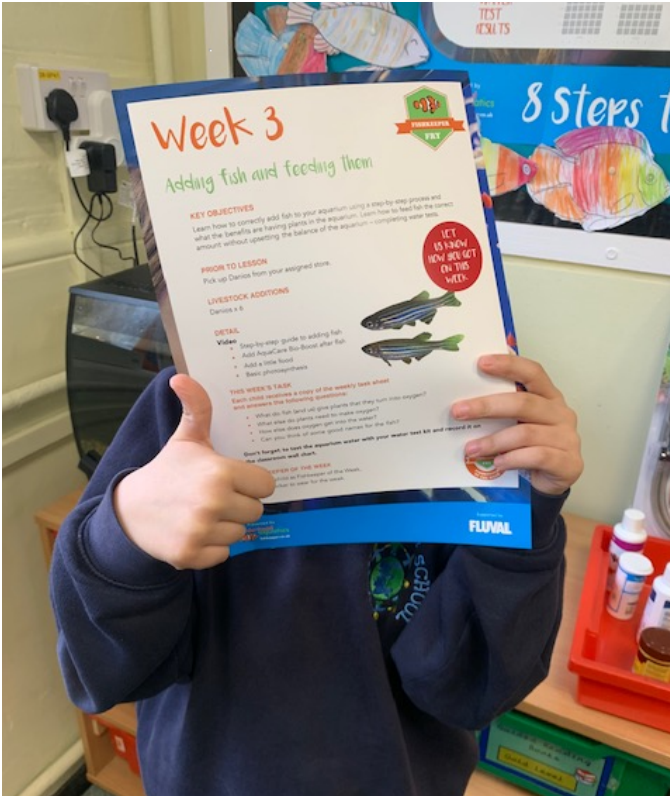
Date	Session Title	Description
9th February 8.45am-9.10am Bottom Hall	Electronic Profiles- Learning Book 	Nursery/ Reception How the EYFS team records your child's learning and how you can be involved.
23rd February 8.45am-9.10am Bottom Hall	Reading	Reception How you can help teach your child to read using phonics and key word knowledge.

Readers of the Week



This week, the Star Reader of the Week is Pavlo in La Paz Class (Y2) and Mahad in Seoul Class (Y6) Well Done!

Fishkeeper Fry



Report by Year 3:

This week we have been preparing for our plants and fish to arrive. We tested the water for Acid and Alkaline and checked for Ammonia. We learnt how we will feed the fish and that they won't go hungry at the weekend! The food made us giggle as it smelled very interesting.

Our fish keeper of the week was Suliman for engaging wonderfully in the session!



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. Here is this week's challenge!

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](#)

Think about a time you when have seen someone struggle with a task or activity they were doing.

If this situation happens again, is there anything you can do to support that person?

Now think of a time when you were struggling to complete a task or activity, what could someone have done to support you?

How would this support make you feel?

Reflection Questions

Getting Started: When do you find it easier (or more difficult) to work with others in a positive way?

Intermediate: Have you helped make decisions with others?

Advanced: How can you encourage others to help out too?

Mastery: What is an 'unhelpful conflict'? How can you avoid this when working with others?

☆ Teamwork



School Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3 Feb	4
5	6	7	8	9	10 End of Term	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Back to school	21 School Uniform Raffle	22	23	24	25
26	27	28				

Our School calendar is updated regularly. Please click the [link](#) below to access it.

[Click here to see](#)

Attendance

Best Attendance this week	
1st	Santiago
2nd	Lima

Well done to these classes!

From next week, we will also be reporting the most punctual classes!

Useful Dates

Spring Term 2023	
Monday 13th - Friday 17th February	Half Term
Friday 31st March - 1.30pm	End of Term
Summer Term 2023	
Monday 17th April	Children back
Friday 21st April	INSET DAY
Monday 1st May	Bank Holiday
Monday 8th May	Additional Bank Holiday
Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June	Half Term
Thursday 29th June	INSET DAY
Friday 21st July - 1.30pm	Last day of term