



Wormholt News



Friday 24th November

Head's Chat

Dear Families,

I hope you've all had a good week.

We started the week with a Baby and Toddler Stay and Play session, which was a great success. It was wonderful to see so many children and parents! We are going to hold another session on Tuesday 5th December from 8.30am in the bottom hall. We look forward to seeing you all again 😊

Year 6 had a fabulous time on Wednesday, watching a Pantomime at the Lyric - lucky things!

Today, Wellington class did an assembly about Sports. It was brilliant! Well done all of you. They are a very talented bunch.

We still have loads of jumpers and coats in lost property. Please go and have a look after school one day and also please remember to put your child's name on all jumpers and coats.

Have a great weekend everyone!

Anika Hargie

Headteacher

Extended Day survey

Please remember to fill in the survey by Wednesday 29th November!

Office Phone calls

If you need to contact the office with messages about your child, please call before 2.00pm if possible. The office gets really busy towards the end of the day!

Parking

We have had a number of complaints from local residents about parking before and after school. Please do not park illegally or dangerously as our children are being put at risk.

Stay and Play - Toddlers and Babies

Our Stay and Play session was such a great success on Monday We would like to run another one in the bottom hall on Tuesday 5th Dec from 8.30am.

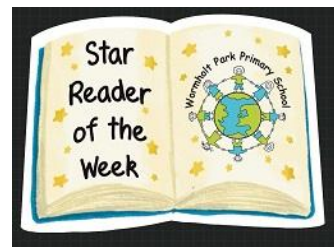
Lip Balm

We understand that on some occasions children may need to use lip balm in school. Please ensure that your child's class teacher is made aware and that your child understands that lip balm should not be shared with other children. Please could we also ask that children are made aware that lip balm is not glossy or tinted, as there has been some confusion!

Reader of the Week

This week, the Star Readers of the Week is Karim in La Paz (Y2) and Afiya in Ottawa (Reception)

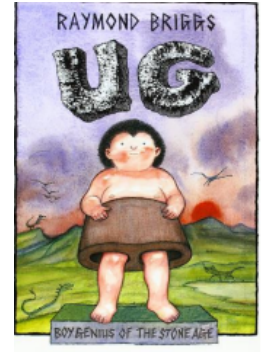
Well Done!



Weekly Book Review

This week, we have a book review from James in Wellington Class (Y3)

Book: UG, Boy Genius of the Stone Age by Raymond Briggs



What is the book about?

The book is about a smart boy who gets into a lot of arguments with his mother, trying to explore things outside of the Stone Age and trying to find softer trousers!

Would you recommend the book to a friend and why?

Yes, I would. People that are interested in history would enjoy this book because it's written in the past, during the Stone Age and it's really fun!

Write down three facts you have learnt

1. They didn't have good food.
2. They lived in caves.
3. Everything was made out of stone, even their clothes and duvet!

Rating



What my classmates thought of the book




"I like UG because it made us laugh." by Macey

"UG was a great book. I really enjoyed it." by Akram

"It was a really funny book. I loved it." by Mohammed

Sign Language - Dog

24th November : this week's sign is; Dog

Makaton	British Sign Language (BSL)
	
British Sign Language spelling (BSL)	
	

School Calendar

November 

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9 School uniform recycling	10 Savanna class (RE) Assembly	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Parents Coffee Morning	21	22 EYF's Workshop for Parents - Learning Books	23	24 Birthdays Bash Wellington Class (Y5) Assembly	25
26	27	28	29	30	1	2

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

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 Challenges

[See all Skills Challenges](#)

Think about a person you admire. This could be someone that you know, someone that you've learnt about or someone from a story/movie. Imagine you could invite this person to your birthday party.

Plan how you could encourage the person to come to your birthday party by using facts and examples to support why you would like them to join your party.

What tone might you use? What might you say to convince them to come?

Extension: Pretend a family member or a friend is the person you would like to invite and try to convince them to come.

Reflection Questions

How do we know if we are speaking clearly?

As you speak how can you put your points into a logical order so you can be easily understood?

How can you use tone, expression and gesture to make your speaking engaging?

How can you adapt the content of what you are saying, in response to listeners?

 Speaking

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](#)

Applying for Reception 2024

Applying for Reception - Closing Date: **15th January 2023**

Apply Via Local Authority:

<https://www.lbhf.gov.uk/children-and-young-people/schools-and-colleges/school-admissions/starting-school-reception-2024>

More information was emailed on Tuesday 21st November.

The link is for families living in Hammersmith & Fulham. If you live in another borough, you will need to apply through your home Local Authority.



Christmas Dates

Tuesday 12th December: Nursery Seasonal Show 2.00pm

Wednesday 13th December: Parents' Christmas Party 2.00pm

Thursday 14th December: Childrens Christmas lunch - wear a festive jumper

Friday 15th December: Reception Seasonal Show 2.00pm ***Please note this is the new date**

Monday 18th December: Year 2 Seasonal Show 2.00pm

Tuesday 19th December: Year 1 Seasonal Show 2.00pm

Wednesday 20th December: Y1 - Y6 Disco 4.30 - 6.30pm

Further details will all be set out nearer the time

Attendance

Best Attendance this week	
1st	Wellington
2nd	Tokyo

Best Punctuality this week	
1st	Havana
2nd	Washington

Well done to these classes!

Useful Dates this term

Autumn Term 2023	
Tuesday 12th December	Parents coffee Morning 8.45am to 9.30
Friday 15th December	Birthday Bash
Thursday 11th January 24	School Uniform Recycling
Friday 26th January	Birthday Bash
Tuesday 20th February	School Uniform Recycling
Friday 23rd February	Birthday Bash
Friday 22nd March	Birthday Bash

Term Dates

Autumn Term 2023	
Thursday 21st December - 1.30pm	End of Term
Spring Term 2024	
Tuesday 9th January	Children back
Monday 12th - Friday 16th February	Half Term
Thursday 28th March - 1.30pm	End of Term
Summer Term 2024	
Monday 15th April	Children back
Friday 19th April	INSET DAY
Monday 6th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May	Half Term
Monday 17th June	INSET DAY
Tuesday 23rd July - 1.30pm	Last day of term