



Wormholt News



Friday 3rd November

Head's Chat

I hope everyone had a lovely half term break.

So my holiday news is that my daughter gave birth to a beautiful little girl on Saturday 21st. She is called Amelia and is extremely cute! Mum and baby are both doing well and my family and I are all delighted.



We are all looking forward to a busy half term here at school. The children have come back ready to focus on their learning, which is great. This week and next, SLT are visiting the classrooms, to see the learning in action.

Can I please remind parents and carers that smartwatches are not allowed in school. I'm sure you can all understand why. We absolutely can't have children being phoned/texted during the day or having the ability to take photos of others.

Also, Prime drinks are not allowed in school under any circumstances.

Have a lovely weekend and if you're celebrating Bonfire Night, please have fun but also stay safe!

Anika Hargie

Headteacher

Breakfast Club and Morning Clubs



We have a wonderful breakfast club and some early morning clubs at school that are very well attended every day.

Please note that children **cannot** be dropped off any earlier than 7.45am for Breakfast Club and 8.00am for morning clubs. We do not staff onsite to supervise the children before these times. Thank you.

Young London Print Prize Competition Winner!

Well Done Nuala



Last month, Year 5 were very lucky to have an art printing workshop run by the Young London Print Prize Competition.

Our pupils each created their own work under the theme of climate change. This work was then judged by a group of Year 12 art curators who chose Nuala to be on show in the Woolwich Print Fair during the half term.

She got to go to a special award ceremony, was given a bag of art goodies and her work will be on display soon in our school! Congratulations Nuala!

Stay and Play



WORMHOLT PARK

STAY & PLAY

Babies and toddlers

PLAY DOUGH

Aged 0-4

Join us for lots of fun!

Your children will have the opportunity to socialise and enjoy playing together.

There will be many stimulating activities for your children to play with.

Come join us on:

Monday 20th November 2023

From 8.45pm to 9.30am
In Oslo Classroom

Everyone is welcome.



Learning Book Workshop for all EYFS Parents

All Parents with children in our EYFS are invited to attend a Learning Book Parent workshop. This will be held on: Wednesday 22nd November from 8.45am in the bottom hall.



Celebrate bonfire night in H&F at London's biggest laser lightshow

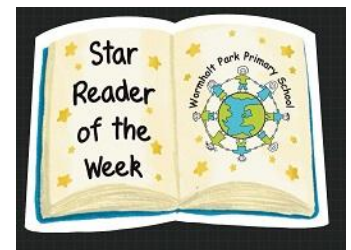
Tickets are on sale now for the Fawkes Festival extravaganza on Friday 3 November and Saturday 4 November in both Ravenscourt Park, Hammersmith, and Bishops Park, Fulham. A donation from each ticket sold goes towards planting trees in the UK. The high-tech, multi-coloured laser light shows are the largest of their kind in London. Both are themed around 'a night at the movies' and will be soundtracked to a compilation of much-loved film scores and classic movie music. The kaleidoscope of colours will be created with special effects, synchronised lights, and flames. There will be three shows each night to make sure everyone gets to enjoy it – young or old. And each ticket gives you access to all three viewings on the night at 6pm, 7pm and 8pm. Further details and the link to book tickets can be found on the website by [clicking here](#)



Readers of the Week

This week, the Star Readers of the Week are Mahrez in Harare (Y1) and Dino in Seoul (Y6)

Well Done!



Weekly Book Review

This week, we have a book review from Arinze in Seoul Class (Y6)

Book: Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan

The book I have been reading is Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief. In the main Percy Jackson series there are currently 6 novels (excluding the spinoffs and the word book day novels.) I really like the book and the fact that Percy's father is also a Greek god, which is the Greek god Poseidon. Percy has the powers of water and can manifest and control it; he also can breathe underwater like sharks and he can speak to Nereids. Percy starts as a boy that has ADHD dyslexia etc. and he gets kicked out of a school at the end of every year. Where the story starts is at Yancy Academy. I would definitely read the next book and would thoroughly recommend this book.



Class Assemblies

We are pleased to announce the dates of our class assemblies for this year. These are held in the bottom hall from 10.00am to 10.15am. Doors open at 9.55am. 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.


Many thanks. We hope to see you there!

Please see the list of upcoming dates below:

Date	Class	Year group
Friday 10 th November 2023	Santiago	Year 6
Friday 24 th November 2023	Wellington	Year 3

Sign Language - Help

3rd November : this week's sign is; Help

Makaton	British Sign Language (BSL)
 <p>Help</p>	 <p>HELP <i>Closed hand with thumb up rests on palm of flat upturned hand.</i></p>
British Sign Language spelling (BSL) 	

Cost of Living Support Crisis Team - Hammersmith & Fulham

Hammersmith & Fulham have a cost-of-living crisis team that can help you to access support for the cost-of-living crisis. The team can provide guidance and advice on services and support across the council and wider. Further information can be found on their website. [Click here](#) to find out more

School Uniform Recycling

The next recycled school uniform sale will be held next week, **Thursday 9th November**. On this day, you will be able to swap one item of recycled school uniform with one item that you are donating.

Alternatively, you could buy any of the recycled school uniform for 50p per item. All donated items are washed before being offered during the next sale. The sale is held from 3.00pm to 3.20pm In the front playground, under the shelter. Please see below for the next dates.



- Thursday 9th November 2023
- Thursday 11th January 2024
- Tuesday 20th February 2024
- Tuesday 16th April 2024
- Tuesday 14th May 20224
- Tuesday 25th June 2024

Remembrance Day

Remembrance Day will take place on Friday, 11th of November. We will be selling poppies in the playground next week



Children in Need

We will be supporting Children in Need on Friday 17th November. Children can pay £1.00 and wear pyjamas/onesies/anything Pudsey!



School Calendar



A monthly calendar for November, decorated with autumn leaves at the top. The calendar is a grid with days of the week as columns and dates as rows. Some dates have specific events listed.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9 School uniform recycling	10 Santitas Class (Y6) Assembly	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Parents coffee morning	21	22 EYFSA Workshop for Parents - Learning Books	23	24 Birthday 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](#)

Draw a picture or cut out pictures of three people. Imagine they are all on the way to play a sport. Draw a thought bubble to show how each person feels. Make each person have a different emotion. How might they show that emotion? How might the other people react?

Reflection Questions

Getting Started: How can you find out about how others are feeling about something?

Intermediate: How can you find out more about strengths and weaknesses in others?

Advanced: How might you be able to motivate others to improve their weaknesses?

Mastery: What kind of leader would you like to be?

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 will be sent out soon.

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.

Attendance

Best Attendance this week	
1st	Wellington
2nd	Havana

Best Punctuality this week	
1st	Harare
2nd	Washington

Well done to these classes!

Useful Dates this term

Autumn Term 2023	
Monday 30th October	Return to school
Thursday 9th November	School Uniform Recycling
Friday 10th November	Santiago Class Assembly
Monday 20th November	Parents coffee Morning 8.45am to 9.30
Wednesday 22nd November	Learning Book workshop for EYFS parents
Friday 24th November	Wellington Class Assembly
Friday 24th November	Birthday Bash
Tuesday 12th December	Parents coffee Morning 8.45am to 9.30
Friday 15th December	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