



Wormholt News

Friday 22nd March

Head's Chat



Dear Families,

I hope you're all well and have had a good week.

As we come towards the end of another busy term, the children from Year 1 to Year 6 have been doing reading and maths tests this week. They have all worked really hard and tried their best. The purpose of these tests is for the teachers to see any gaps in the children's learning. We then make sure these gaps are closed through additional teaching and learning.

As I'm sure you know, we hold 'Stay and Play' sessions for toddlers and babies every month on a Tuesday. Please let any friends with young children know about these sessions, as we would love to attract some new families to our school.

On Wednesday, I had a Governors' Meeting. The governors gave some feedback on a recent phonics monitoring visit they had carried out. As well as being impressed with the teaching and learning of early reading, they commented on the wonderful behaviour of the children both in the classrooms as well as in the playground. They said that your children are so polite and friendly - something you should all be proud of 😊

Have a lovely weekend everyone!

Anika Hargie

Headteacher

WEST (West Youth Zone)

On Monday, Year 6 & Year 4 had a visit to the **WEST** (West Youth Zone). What a fantastic time we had. The children were able to access a number of the different resources that are on offer. WEST is a new youth club initiative for children that opens on 21st April 2024. Based in White City, WEST offers a range of different activities for children from 8 years old. They would like to invite families to their Community Open Day event on **Sunday 24th March from 1pm to 4pm**. Further details can be found on their flyer below or on their website <https://westyouthzone.org>. They hope to see you there!



WEST
An **OnSide** Youth Zone

Sunday 24th March
1- 4pm

**COMMUNITY
OPEN DAY**

Explore WEST Youth Zone
for the first time!

OPEN TO ALL!

ON THE DAY, YOU'LL HAVE ACCESS TO:

- Indoor climbing
- Dance and theatre lessons
- Music and recording studio
- Cooking in our teaching kitchen
- Arts & Crafts
- **Free** hot lunch from our Café
- Sports including basketball, dodgeball, tennis & much more!
- Football pitch on the our roof!
- Gym sessions
- Fun games and activities set up by our amazing Youth Workers.

WANT TO KNOW MORE?

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An **OnSide** Youth Zone

NSPCC - Free ONLINE - Safety workshop for Parents/Carers

Keeping children safe online

We all have a part to play in keeping children safe online. Find out how with our online safety guides.

The **NSPCC** are running a new Keeping Children Safe Online workshop for parents/Carers. It provides parents and carers with information about how to support their child in their online world. The 40 minute pre-recorded presentation covers topics such as online bullying, mental health, and social media, as well as signposting to resources and organisations for help and support. It can be accessed for free on Youtube by clicking [here](#). Parents can also find more information about keeping children safe online on their website [Keeping children safe online | NSPCC](#)



Information session for Parents - Benefits

Our Family Support worker, Samaira will be running an information session on Benefits on Tuesday 26th March from 8.45am to 9.20am. Samaira will be able to talk through what additional support you may be able to get help with. More information can also be found on the GOV.UK website at <https://www.gov.uk/browse/benefits>

H&F Easter Activities Programme

Please find below details about Hammersmith & Fulham's Spring Spectacular Holiday Food and Activities programme, which is running during the Easter holidays.

These are being held at Latymer's playing fields in Wood Lane and at Latymer Upper School, King Street. The camps are free of charge for children eligible for pupil premium, and some camps also have paid places available. Children should live in Hammersmith & Fulham.

QPR Community Trust - Football, Sport and Holiday Food at Latymer Upper School Playing Fields, Wood Lane, London W12. To book a place use the link below

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Let Me Play Action Holiday Programme at Latymer Upper School, King St London W6 To book a place use the link below

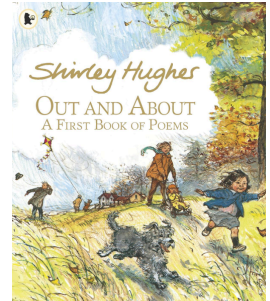
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Weekly Book Review

This week, we have some book reviews from the children in Harare Class (Year 1)

Book: Out and About by Shirley Hughes

We have been reading this book in class. It is a collection of poems about the different seasons. We have been using this book in our English lessons. We have been learning about poems. Here are some of our thoughts and poems about the seasons.



In Spring, flowers blossom and pretty birds sing. By Sobia.

In Summer, the scorching hot sun melts my ice cream. By Jalil.

In Summer, huge blues waves splash at the beach. By Rufos.

In Autumn, we have blustery days. By Mahrez

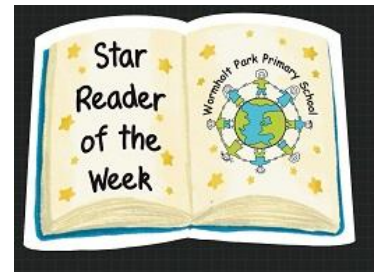
In Winter, the mountains are covered with snow. By Ishaq.

"We love the four seasons but Summer is the best!" By the Whole Class!

Reader of the Week

This week, the Star Readers of the Week are Aleya in Havana(Y1) and Sultan in Tripoli (Y5)

Well Done!



School Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31					1 School Class (Y4) Assembly
3	4	5	6	7 World Book day	8 Worship Park (Y5) Class Assembly
10	11	12	13	14	15
17	18	19 Toy & Fun	20	21	22 Harare (Y1) Class Assembly Birthday, Book
24	25	26	27 Parents Coffee Morning	28 End of Term 1:30	29

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](#)

Consider the problem: *a local charity wishes to organise an event in your local area which people of all ages can join in.* The event could be sporting, musical, a fête - whatever you think would attract the most people to it.

Consider:

- Which activity would be best so that everyone could be involved?
- Could you have a range of activities?
- What other problems could arise?

Challenge: Bring this event to life!

Reflection Questions

Getting Started: What are the instructions?

Intermediate: How can you come up with lots of possible solutions?

Advanced: Why is it important to consider a range of solutions for problems?



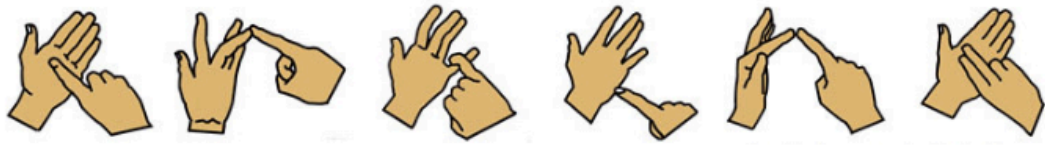
Mastery: How might you choose between different solutions to a complex problem?

 Problem Solving

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](#)

Sign Language - Good Listening

22nd March: this week's sign is; Listen and Good listening

<p>Makaton</p>	<p>British Sign Language (BSL)</p>
	
<p>British Sign Language spelling (BSL)</p>	
	

Attendance

Best Attendance this week	
1st	Seoul
2nd	Washington & Wellington

Best Punctuality this week	
1st	Havana
2nd	Washington

Well done to these classes!

Useful Dates this term

Spring Term 2023	
Friday 22nd March	Birthday Bash
Tuesday 26th March	Information session for parents : Benefits and additional support
Wednesday 27th March	Parents Coffee Morning
Tuesday 16th April	School Uniform Recycling
Friday 26th April	Ottawa (Reception) Class Assembly - 10.00am
Friday 26th April	Birthday Bash
Friday 17th May	Harare Class Assembly
Friday 24th May	Birthday Bash

Term Dates

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
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