



# Wormholt News

Friday 13th June

Head's Chat

Dear Families,

I am writing to you with a heavy heart regarding a change we are having to make in how we run our after-school clubs.

As many of you will have seen in the news, schools across the country are facing significant and ongoing funding challenges. Unfortunately, our school is no exception. Despite our best efforts to absorb rising costs and avoid passing them on to families, we are now in a position where we can no longer continue offering after-school clubs for free.

From the Autumn term, we will need to begin charging a fee of **£3.50 per session** for all after-school clubs. I know this is disappointing news, and I want to assure you that this decision was not made lightly. We have managed to avoid this step for the past few years, but the current financial pressures have left us with no alternative.

Most schools already charge for their clubs, and we have done everything possible to delay joining them. Our aim is still to keep our provision accessible and affordable for all families, and we will continue to explore ways to keep this cost as low as possible.

I am genuinely very sorry that we've had to take this step. Our school community is incredibly important to us, and we remain committed to providing a safe, enriching environment for your children.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support. Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Hargie

Headteacher

## Important Dates this term

Upcoming Dates: we've got a busy term. Please see below some upcoming dates:

Date	Event
Wednesday 18th June	EYFS sports Day (School Playground) 9.00am – Nursery & Reception. 2.30pm – Nursery
Wednesday 18th June	Opal Late (4pm to 5pm)
Thursday 19th June	KS1(Yr 1&2) Sports Day (School Playground) - 9.00am
Friday 20th June	Oslo Class Assembly
Wednesday 25th June	Dublin class sports Day (School Playground)
Friday 27th June	Athens Class Assembly
Friday 27th June	Non Uniform day
Wednesday 9th July	Picnic in the park – all classes there by 12.00pm
Thursday 10th July	Meet your teacher – session from 10.45am
Thursday 10th July	Summer Fete - after school
Friday 11th July	Year 6 Leavers Show - starts at 2.15pm

## Rights Respecting - Article of the Week

This week we are learning about and celebrating the following Article

**Article : 10**

**All children and young people have the right to stay in contact with and visit their parents, even if they live in different countries**

You can find out more about the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) by visiting their website: <https://www.unicef.org.uk/what-we-do/un-convention-child-rights/>



## Harry - Our Wormholt Hero!



Harry in Year 6 is our very own football hero! He was selected to play in a football tournament in France.

He has written an account of his trip!

*"On Wednesday, I travelled to Heathrow airport to get a British Airways plane to Nice. Then we travelled to our hotel for the night. Then the next morning I had to go across the road to OGC Nices stadium for a stadium tour. Then after that we had 2 and a half hours on a coach to Marseille to watch my tournament's opening ceremony on Thursday night. After that we went to our new hotel. On Friday morning we travelled in shuttle buses to our stadium to play our group stage games. Then on Saturday we played our semi final match (we then won it) therefore we went to the stadium to play our final! The whistle blew and 5 mins into the game the other team scored, then it was half time. We came out in the second half struggling, then in the last minute we had a chance to equalise which we scored from. Then it went to penalties! We won 3-1 on pens to win a trophy and 13th place. I had a great time playing football out in France"*

I have told Harry that he has to remember us all when he becomes a famous professional footballer!!



## Year 6 - Theatre Workshop

Year 6 were lucky enough to have a group of performers from Lyric Theatre in Hammersmith come in and put on a show for them all to do with County Lines. The children were enthralled the entire time and the show left a meaningful impact on them. The children learnt about the dangers of unsafe strangers, the risk of being exploited and taking 'free' gifts. The show highlighted the importance of seeking help as early as possible when you are caught up in something potentially dangerous - a wonderful message and lesson for Year 6 as they go off into a different world after primary school!



## Art Party for Y4, Y5 & Y6 on 17th June

We are running an Art Party for children in Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 on Tuesday 17th June from 4.00pm to 5.30pm. Please wear messy clothes . Cost of entry is £2.00



## Year 6 - Junior Citizenship Service

Year 6 went to Craven Cottage, home of Fulham Football Club to take part in the Junior Citizenship Service. The children took part in 7 mini workshops which explored many of the skills they would need for secondary school such as bus travel, dangers of new areas and dangers of fire and unsafe strangers. The children had a lovely time and were given Oyster Card Wallets as mementoes of the trip.

## Art Show - Friday 20th June

We are very excited to announce that next week is Arts week at Wormholt Park Primary school. The children will have the opportunity to take part in a wide range of different Art activities throughout the week. Parents are invited to come and see the result of all their hard work on Friday 20th June from 3.15 in the bottom hall. We hope to see you there!



# Skills Builder Weekly Challenge

Create your own animal by merging two animals together: e.g. Head of a Zebra, body of a Bear.

Can you draw it? What will you call your new animal? Where will it live? What is it like?

**Extension** - now create a new animal by merging three or four different animals.

## 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

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](#)

## Weekly Book Review

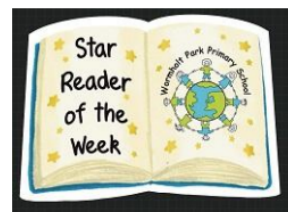
This week we have a book review from Lima Class (Reception) Book Review:  
How to Find Gold by Viviane Schwarz

How to find gold is an incredible book. It is a fun and exciting story about a girl called Anna and her friend Crocodile. They decided to go on an adventure to find shiny, sunken gold. They made a plan and drew a map before they took a small, shabby boat to sail across the wide, deep ocean. They dived into the ocean and saw a huge, terrifying sea monster. The story teaches us how to be brave and how to work together. We liked how they used their imagination and the illustrations helped to tell the story in a fun way. We recommend this book. We give it five stars!



## Reader of the Week

This week, the Star Readers of the Week are Orion from Havana Class (Y1) and Connor from Athens Class (Y4). Well Done both of you!



## Attendance - this week



Please look at this chart .

The more time your child has off school, the less chance of success they have with their learning. Please only keep your child off school if they are genuinely unwell.

Best Attendance this week	
1st	La Paz 100%
2nd	Oslo
Whole School Attendance this week	<b>93%</b>

Best Punctuality this week	
1st	Washington
2nd	Lima

Well done to these classes!

## School Calendar

Our School calendar is updated regularly.

Please click the link to access it. [Click here to see](#)



## Useful Dates this term

Summer Term 2025	
Wednesday 18th June	Nursery and Reception Sports day
Thursday 19th June	KS1 Sports day
Friday 20th June	Oslo Class (Reception) Assembly
Wednesday 25th June	Dublin Class Sports Day
Friday 27th June	Athens Class (Y4) Assembly
Wednesday 2nd July	School Uniform Recycling

## Term Dates - 2024-25

Summer Term 2025	
Tuesday 22nd April 2025	Children back
Monday 5th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 26th May - Friday 30th May	Half Term
Friday 11th July	Nursery Last Day
Friday 18th July Finish @ <b>1.30pm</b>	End of Term