



# Wormholt News

Friday 16th January 2026

Head's Chat

Dear Families,

I hope you've all had a good week. It was so lovely to see so many of you at our coffee morning on Thursday. It's such a great opportunity to get to know one another and have a chat!

I'm sorry to have to moan but I need to talk about parking and cars! Erica Street is becoming extremely dangerous at drop off and pick up. Last week, there were several incidents, where cars were unable to get down the street and drivers were becoming quite angry. On two occasions, Phoenix School parents decided it was my fault and started shouting abuse at me. This is not something I want our children to witness. Please only drive your child to school if absolutely necessary. If you do drive, please don't stop on the zigzag lines or the double yellow lines, as this prevents other drivers from accessing the road. Local residents have complained to the police, who will apparently be coming to do spot checks and fine people who are parking where they shouldn't be. Please can we all work together to prevent these incidents from happening again. Thank you.

On a more positive note, Ms Osta and I gathered in the children's maths and English books this week. We were so impressed with the work we saw. Your children are making excellent progress and are putting so much effort into their learning. We were really impressed with the presentation in the books, with children writing so neatly and setting out their work so carefully. Please do remember to ask your children what they've been learning at school each day. When children talk to you about what they've learnt, it really helps them to understand it more deeply.

Thank you for your continued support and have a lovely weekend 😊

Mrs Hargie

Headteacher

## Rights Respecting - Article of the Week

Next week we are learning about **Article 3**



### Article 3: Adults must do what's best for me

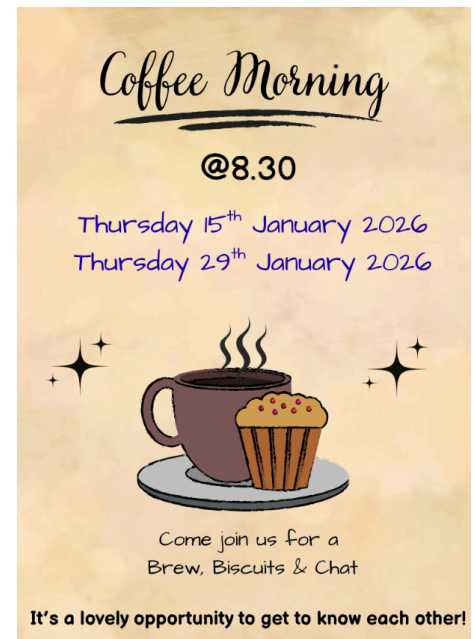
You can find out more about the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) by visiting their website: <https://www.unicef.org.uk/what-we-do/un-convention-child-rights/>

## Parents Coffee Mornings

You are invited to attend our Thursday coffee morning. We meet at 8.30am in the hall on the ground floor.

It's a wonderful opportunity to meet other parents and make new friends. There is always a hot drink and a biscuit available while you have a chat and get to know one another.

We would love to see you there!



## School Uniform Recycling

Please see below the upcoming dates for school uniform recycling

- Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2026
- Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2026
- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2026



[Click here](#) to see further information on our website.

## Easy Fundraising

A big thank you to all those who have already signed up to Easy Fundraising to help raise funds for Wormholt Park Primary school. #easyfundraising

If you are not signed up yet, please join today and you can raise free donations for Wormholt Park Primary school every time you shop online this year. All the big retailers are ready to make a free donation at no extra cost to you.

If you sign up before midnight 29th January, we could win a £500 donation.

[Click Here to sign up](#)

**You spend,  
brands donate.**

Sign up to easyfundraising and see your favourite brands donate to the cause you care about whenever you shop with them.

## Let's Go Zero Pledge

We've taken the Let's Go Zero pledge, declaring our aim to become zero carbon by 2030. We're joining other schools across the UK in this national campaign to show our overwhelming support and we are inviting government and local councils to work with us to reach this goal.

We know that schools can be the trailblazers for their community, responding to young people's calls for action. In fact, we can inspire whole communities to tackle the climate crisis. In the coming pivotal 'climate decade,' we will be part of Let's Go Zero's national network of schools and sustainability, sharing information about how to reach zero carbon, and working with local councils and government to make it happen.

We're committing to cut carbon in a number of key areas. Here are some of the things we've already done/are planning to do: We make sure lights are switched off when we are not in those rooms, we carry out litter picking in the local area, we have a TRAID bin on site for people to donate unwanted shoes and clothes and we have recycling bins all around the school.

By joining the Let's Go Zero campaign, we're taking a positive step on a local level to help combat the climate issues we all face globally. It sends a strong message to our whole school and community that together we can safeguard our planet for future generations.

Find out more about the Let's Go Zero campaign here: <https://letsgozero.org/>



## Confident Parent Happy Child

The Confident Parent Happy Child service is for parents and carers of children aged 0-18 years living in the London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham. The project offers a range of evidence-based parenting programmes, information, advice and support for parents and carers to build positive parenting skills and work towards achieving positive outcomes for their children.



They have a number of courses running during January and February. [Please click here for the flyer](#)

Further information about this service can be found on their website:  
<https://www.upg.org.uk/confident-parent-happy-child/>

## Our Planet Needs You!

**OUR PLANET NEEDS YOU**

**SHOP SUSTAINABLE**

**This month, students can help reduce clothing waste by donating preloved clothes, shoes, and accessories they no longer wear to our partner TRAIID.**

Our school will score 1 point for every 5kg of good-quality clothing donated between now and June 2026.

**OUR PLANET NEEDS YOU**

**LEAD THE CHANGE**  
**BE THE CHANGE**

Learn more [www.ourplanetneedsyou.com](http://www.ourplanetneedsyou.com)

We are a partnership school with OPNY (Our Planet Needs You). We have worked together to produce our Climate Action Plan, as we are supporting the initiative to become zero carbon by 2030.

As part of our work with OPNY, we are part of lots of competitions with other schools. The latest competition is to see which school can donate the most unwanted clothes, shoes and accessories they no longer wear and bring them to our Traid bin at school (by the front gate).

We score 1 point for every 5kg of clothes etc. Please bring in any unwanted items as soon as possible. Thank you



## Readers of the Week

This week, the Star Readers of the week are Aisha from Harare Class (Y1) and Maria from Santiago class (Y6). Well Done!



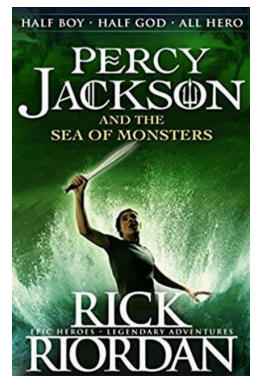
## Class Book Review

This week, we have a book review from Samira in Athens Class

**Book: Percy Jackson and the sea of monsters by Rick Riordan**

This is about a boy called Percy, his mum, and his 3 friends Grover, Annabeth and Tyson, his 'half 'brother.

Grover went on a quest to get a Golden Fleece to save Camp Half Blood but he got captured by a 1 eyed monster and disguised as one to stay alive. Grover saw the Golden Fleece but couldn't get it. Percy had to escape to save his friend because he was not chosen to go on a quest. He talks to his dad, who is Poseidon God of the sea. His dad sends him, Annabeth and Tyson a sea unicorn to help them reach a Ship called Princess Andromeda which would take them to the place Grover was at. But first they have to face the sea of monsters that no one has ever returned from.



My favourite part was when Tyson was sad the sea unicorns had to leave. It made me laugh in my head when I read it.

I would rate this book 5 Stars. It would be a good book for you to read. I love this book so much. There are 5 series of this book.

## Attendance - this week



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. If your child is unwell, please contact the school office: 0208 743 5073, you can also contact us via Arbor App and email.

Best Attendance this week	
1st	Lima 97%
2nd	Washington
Whole School Attendance this week	<b>91%</b>

Best Punctuality this week	
1st	Havana
2nd	Washington



## Getting to school on time really matters



School starts at 8.45am. Did you know that

If your child is late everyday for . . .	Over the academic year they would have missed approximately . .	Or would have missed approximately ...
5 minutes	3.5 days at school	18 lessons
10 minutes	7 days at school	35 lessons
15 minutes	10 days at school	50 lessons
20 minutes	14.5 days at school	73 lessons
30 minutes	22 days at school	110 lessons
Attendance Improvement Needed		Punctuality Improvement Needed
Reception - Ottawa		Year 4 - Athens 31 Lates recorded

## Opal Playground

Just a reminder for all children to bring a coat every day and have a spare change of clothes at school in case they get wet/muddy.

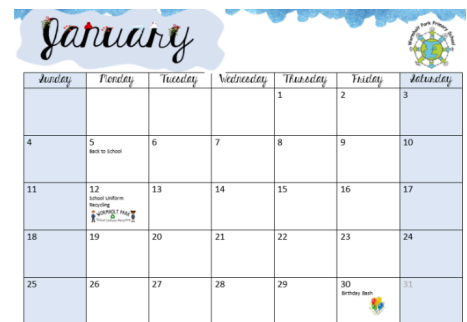


We would also be grateful for some donations for our Opal Playground . If you have any of the following items that you are no longer using and would be happy to donate to the school, please bring them into the Office;

- Board Games - e.g chess, draughts, ludo, snakes & ladders

## School Calendar

Our School calendar is updated regularly. [Click here to view](#)



## Useful Dates this term

Spring Term 2026	
Tuesday 10th February	Year 2 Class trip
Friday 27th February	Birthday Bash
Friday 6th March	Lima Class Assembly (Year 2)

## Term Dates - 2025-26

Spring Term 25-26	
Tuesday 6th January 2026	Children back
Monday 16th February to Friday 20th February	Half Term
Friday 20th March	INSET Day
Friday 27th March - <b>Finish @1.30pm</b>	End of Term

### Summer Term 25-26

Monday 13th April	Children back
Monday 4th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 25th May – Friday 29th May	Half Term
Thursday 18th June	INSET DAY
Friday 17th July - <b>Finish @1.30pm</b>	Last day of term