



Wormholt News

Friday 10th July
Head's Chat

Dear Families,

Another very hot week here at school. The children have been so sensible, despite the high temperatures.

Today, we said goodbye to our lovely Nursery children, who broke up a week early. They have had a wonderful year and parents and carers, you should be so proud of them all. We will write to you in September, letting you know all about the new term and who the wonderful adults in Nursery will be.

This morning, Wellington class performed a fabulous assembly, bringing many films to life. They performed brilliantly and entertained us all.

We also had the Year 6 Leaver's Show today. Well done Year 6. You have all grown and developed into such wonderful young people. Thank you to all the parents who attended. They sang beautifully and shared lots of memories from their time at Wormholt. You will all be missed.

We have 5 more days of school left! We really hope that we can hold our School Fete next Tuesday at 4.00pm. Please remember to buy raffle tickets! The top prize is an IPAD!

As the weather is still so hot, please remember to keep your children safe in the sun; sunhats, sun lotion, drink plenty of water and stay out of the sun between 11am and 3pm.

Have a lovely weekend everyone!

Mrs Hargie
Headteacher



Important Dates of the rest of this term

Dates: please see below some upcoming dates

Tuesday 14th July

Meet your teacher- session from 10.45am. This is where the children will meet their new teacher for September 2026!

Rights Respecting - Article of the Week

This week we will be reviewing all the articles we have been learning about this year

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/>

Wormholt Summer Fete

We are hoping to hold this on **Tuesday 14th July**.

Year 5 Parents & Carers - Save the date

Parents and carers of children currently in Year 5 (who will be going into Year 6 in the next academic year), You are invited to attend the Transferring to Secondary School meeting being held on **Wednesday 9th September from 9.00am to 10.00am** in our bottom hall. Sam Lord will support you and your child with choice and advice sessions regarding Secondary School options in Hammersmith and Fulham. The Session on **Wednesday 9th September 2026** will guide you through :

- what the different type of Secondary School options are;
- how to understand the school's admissions criteria;
- what banding tests will mean to parents and their children;
- what specialist (aptitude) places are available in certain schools;
- what foundation (SIF) places will mean for you and your child;
- the process of how to apply online;
- why it is important to choose your six places, as well as timelines and open days of visits to Secondary Schools.

There will be a Q&A at the end to address any further queries or concerns. Save the Date!

DFE: Great British Summer Savings

From **25 June to 1 September 2026**, the Government is temporarily cutting VAT from 20% to 5% on children's meals in restaurants, children and family tickets to cinemas, theatres, concerts and exhibitions, and admission to a wide range of attractions. Combined with free bus travel during August for children aged 5 to 15 in England, families and young people will be able to enjoy experiences that make summer special, including visits to the kinds of cultural and educational attractions that enrich children's lives outside the classroom . You can find out more information about this scheme by visiting the website : <https://summersavings.gov.uk>.



H&F Summer Activities

H&F has a variety of free holiday activities, healthy meals and enriching experiences for children and young people eligible for benefits related to free school meals planned for during the summer holidays. Their summer activities run from **Tuesday 21 July to Tuesday 1 September 2026**. Each organiser has provided event details and information about how you can book a space for your child. Further information can be found on their website.

<https://www.lbhf.gov.uk/holiday-activities-and-food-programme>



H&F Summer Reading Challenge

Hammersmith & Fulham's 2026 Summer Reading Challenge is titled "Read to the Beat." Running from July to early September, it challenges children to read six library books to win special rewards, blending the magic of stories with music. It is free to take part. How to Take Part:



In Person: Head to your local Hammersmith & Fulham library to sign up. You'll receive a collector's booklet and earn rewards (like stickers and a medal) for each book you read.

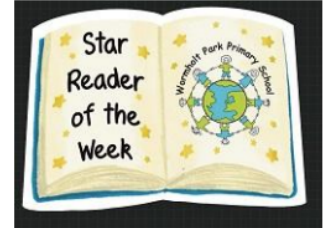
Online: You can also track your progress, unlock virtual badges, and earn certificates on the Summer Reading Challenge Website. What to Read: The challenge features a specially curated collection of 55

captivating books, including picture books, poetry, and graphic novels, all tailored to celebrate the magic of music and stories. You can borrow these titles for free from your local library.

More information can be found: <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>

Readers of the Week

This week, the Star Readers of the week are Bilal from Washington Class (Y3) and Ismail from Wellington Class (Y3). Well done children!



Book Review

This week we have a book review from Nursery Class

Book: The Mixed-Up Chameleon by Eric Carle

We like **The Mixed-Up Chameleon** because it is funny and silly.

The chameleon can change colours. He sees lots of animals and wants to be big and strong like them. He wants to be like a polar bear and a flamingo and lots of other animals. He gets all mixed up!

The pictures are very pretty and colourful. We like the bright colours. The story makes us laugh.

At the end, the chameleon learns it is good to be himself. That makes us happy. We love this book! We give 5 stars to this book.

The Mixed-Up Chameleon
by Eric Carle



Attendance - this week - please click on the link below.

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	Year 2 - Lima
2nd	Year 1 - Havana
Whole School Attendance this week	87%



Best Punctuality this week	
1st	Year 3 - Washington
2nd	Tear 1 - Havana

Attendance Improvement Needed	Punctuality Improvement Needed
Year 4 - Athens	Year 5 - Tripoli

Getting to school on time really matters

School starts at **8.45am**.

ATTENDANCE

Here Today,
Ready for Tomorrow

If you need support,
contact your
attendance officer:
020 8743 5073

Did you know...

If your child's attendance is...	you child would have lost approximately...	or they would have missed approximaely
95%	9 days	50 lessons
90%	19 days	100 lessons
85%	29 days	150 lessons
80%	38 days	200 lessons
75%	48 days	250 lessons
70%	57 days	290 lessons

Our Attendance Target is 95%

Opal Playground

Just a reminder for all children to bring a sun hat 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
- Chalk
- Bubbles

School Calendar

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



Term Dates - 2025-26

Summer Term 25-26	
Friday 17th July - Finish @1.30pm	Last day of term

Term Dates - 2026-27

Autumn Term 26-27	
Thursday 3rd September	Children back
Monday 12th October	INSET Day - School Closed
Monday 26th – Friday 30th October	Half Term
Friday 18th December - Finish @1.30pm	Last day of term