



WATFORD FIELD SCHOOL INFANT AND NURSERY NEWSLETTER



Being Kind, Confident Minds,
Ready for Life Long Learning
Autumn Term Issue 10
Friday 14th November 2025

Friends Of Field Infants

Winter Fair - Friday 12th December
15.15 - 17.15
At the School Hall

Please bring Friends, Family, Everyone
Welcome!
Children must be accompanied by an adult.
We are still looking for parents to help out at
the Grotto on the day.

If this is something you can help with or
need further information please contact the
FOFI volunteers Whatsapp group;



Or email FOFI@fieldinfants.herts.sch.uk

Safety Corner

Please can we remind you there is no
parking concessions in Neal Street. You
are able to park on Watford Field Road
and you can walk your child to school.
This will keep the area near the schools
safer for children. Please can we be
respectful to the residents who live on the
surrounding roads.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 28th November— FOFI Non school
uniform day

Friday 5th December— Occasional Day
School and Nursery Closed

Friday 12th December—FOFI Winter Fair

Thursday 18th December— Last day of term
for Nursery

Friday 19th December— Last day of term
for school Finish at 1.10pm

Language of the month (November):

Urdu

Value of the month:

Belonging

This Week's Learnersaurus Awards

Nursery	Brooks	Caleb
Nursery	Monir	
Owls	Rishi	Rayaan
Robins	Shourjo	Aleena
Squirrels	Iyla-Bleu	Levi
Foxes	Giannis	Avyaan
Kingfishers	Zion	Aavya
Otters	Nuh	Nour

Whole School Attendance for this year so
far: 94.2 %

Target for all children: 96%

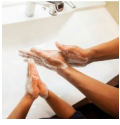
**4 hours 28 minutes of learning
time was lost due to lateness
this week**



*Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 start at
8.40am (doors open from 8.40am)*

*Nursery starts at 8.30am (morning / all day) or
12.30pm (afternoon) - please arrive on time as
it's just as important for Nursery as School to
be punctual!*

WHAT WE HAVE BEEN LEARNING IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK

Nursery What a busy and exciting week we've had in Nursery! We've been celebrating Odd Socks Day, marking Remembrance Day, and getting involved in Children in Need. The children also took part in National Nursery Rhyme Week, where we learned and enjoyed singing Humpty Dumpty, I Hear Thunder, and Incy Wincy Spider. It's been a wonderful week full of learning, creativity, and fun! 	Reception This week we continued to read our text Whatever Next. We have practised counting moving objects and starting our counting from different numbers. We have also practiced listening carefully for sounds and then counting the sounds that we can hear. 
Year 1 In English, we found out how time words help order events. In Geography we looked at things we saw on our walk to Oxhey Park and talked about whether they were human or physical features. As part of Anti-Bullying Week, we took part in Odd Socks Day and talked about how everyone is different but should be treated equally. We also made poppies and thought about Remembrance Day. 	Year 2 This week Year 2 have been working really hard! In English we have worked on our comprehension skills, using the text of 'The Flower' to find evidence for our answers. In Maths we started our 2 week unit on mental addition and subtraction by learning about rebalancing strategies. We celebrated Remembrance Day with a special assembly showcasing the poppies we all made. In Science, we began learning about the importance of hygiene by learning about washing our 

WHAT WE WILL BE LEARNING IN SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

Nursery	Next week, we will be learning more about the Autumn season and sharing the story Pumpkin Soup. The children will also have the opportunity to explore real pumpkins through a range of hands-on activities. This will including making Pumpkin soup, please give consent using the Arbor App. In maths, we will be comparing objects by length, using key vocabulary such as longer and shorter to support the children's understanding.
Reception	Next week we will be labelling objects from the 'Whatever next 'story. We will be looking at pictures of outer space and looking at the important role that astronauts played in discovering our planets. Eg Mae C. Jemison. In Maths we will be practising comparing objects that are the same and some that are different. We will be looking at longer shorter and taller.
Year 1	In English, we will be innovating the story of 'Stick Man' by changing the characters he met. In Maths, we will be problem solving. In PSHE, we will be thinking about the meaning of 'bullying' and how we want to share kindness at our school. In Science, we will be investigating which materials are opaque and transparent. In History we will be looking at historical sources of how buildings have changed over time, thinking about Vicarage Road Stadium.
Year 2	English- We will be starting our class innovation of 'The Flower' by changing the main character, setting and mystery object. Maths- We will continue our learning on mental addition and subtraction by learning about the strategy of 'Think 10'. Topic- In Science, we will be starting a bread investigation and practising answering scientific questions. In DT we will be learning about the importance of handling woodwork tools safely.

New School Dinner Menu for week commencing 17th November

Ve (Vegan) V (Vegetarian)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
RED	Beef Bolognese	Breaded Chicken Katsu Curry	Roast Chicken with Stuffing & Gravy	Quorn Burger (V)	Fish fillet fingers
GREEN	Plant-Based Grill (Ve)	Cheese Pinwheel V)	Plant-Based Sausages & Gravy (Ve)	Vegetarian Lasagne (V)	Margherita Pizza (V)
PURPLE	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato
BLUE	Tuna Mayo Roll	Cheese Roll (V)	Ham Roll	Cheese Roll (V)	Egg Mayo Roll (V)

HOMEWORK CHALLENGES

Please spend time with your child to explore this week's challenge. The teachers will talk to the children about what they have learnt at home every Friday.

Nursery:

Collect some sticks from outside or you can use other items like lego bricks or spoons. Can you put them in order from the shortest to the longest? Can you find something **longer** than the longest stick? Can you find something **shorter** than the shortest stick? You can always draw or take a picture and bring it into school to share.

Reception:

Count sounds e.g. footsteps as you go up the stairs, or count your claps.

Can you count to 5? to 10 ? to 20 ? Remember to count the numbers in order.

Year 1:

Can you start to learn any lines you may have for our Nativity Play or draw a picture of/write about what Christians believe about the Nativity story.

Year 2:

In Science and History we have been learning about the importance of personal hygiene e.g. brushing your teeth twice a day, washing your hands regularly and washing your body daily. Can you make an information poster about the importance of good hygiene?



Also please can you each bring in some recycling boxes/junk modelling for our History next week?

School Contact Details

Telephone
Email (School Office)
Email (Absence)

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If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason you must inform the school office by 9.30am explaining clearly the reason for the absence.

SUPER STAR SPORT

WINTER CAMP

WATFORD FIELD INFANT & NURSERY SCHOOL
NEAL ST, WATFORD WD18 0WF

22ND DEC - 2ND JAN

WEEK 1 - MONDAY 22ND AND TUESDAY 23RD DECEMBER
WEEK 2 - MONDAY 29TH AND TUESDAY 30TH DECEMBER + NEW YEAR EVE (HALF DAY ONLY 8:45AM-1PM)
WEEK 3 - FRIDAY 2ND JANUARY

YEAR 1-6
8:45AM-3:30PM
FULL DAYS AVAILABLE
£24.50

RECEPTION
8:45AM-12:30PM
OR 12:30-3:30PM
HALF DAY ONLY
£14

ALL 6 DATES £122

8:30AM EARLY DROP OFF £3 **NEW YEARS EVE (HALF DAY ONLY)**

SNOWBALL SPORTS & WINTER GAMES
CHRISTMAS ARTS & CRAFTS
SANTA'S WORKSHOP CHALLENGES
CHRISTMAS PARTY & FANCY DRESS DAY
JINGLE BELL DANCE & GYMNASTICS

SCAN HERE

TO BOOK: TAX FREE CHILDCARE AVAILABLE
Visit www.superstarsport.co.uk
Go to "Book Now" & select your club!

School Drop-Off

PARK SMART!

Help keep our streets safe for everyone:

- ✓ **No parking on yellow zigzags**
These keep the crossing clear for children.
- ✓ **Allow extra time**
Rushing = risky parking.
- ✓ **Respect driveways**
Please don't block homes or paths.
- ✓ **Walk, cycle, or share a lift**
Fewer cars, safer roads.

Why it matters:

- Safer for children and families
- Pavements stay clear for buggies and wheelchairs
- Emergency vehicles can get through fast
- Happier neighbours, safer community

Please don't:

- Double park
- Park across driveways
- Stop close to junctions

Think before you park!
A few extra seconds = a safer street for everyone.