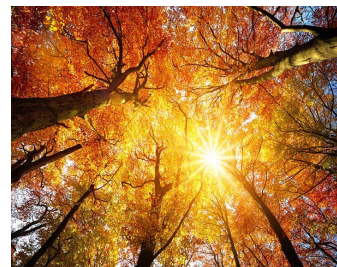




WATFORD FIELD SCHOOL INFANT AND NURSERY NEWSLETTER

Being Kind, Confident Minds,
Ready for Life Long Learning
Autumn Term Issue 3
Friday 19th September 2025



Club Payments

Please make sure you have paid for any clubs that you have booked for. Payments can be made on Arbor or through the office via cash payment. **Payments must be made by Friday 26th September.**

Language of the month (September):

Cantonese

Value of the month:

Responsibility

Safety Corner

We have had several children coming in with nuts and items containing nuts. Please ensure your child is not bringing in any of these items; even spreads such as Nutella spread or peanut butter. Please ensure you check ingredients to ensure there are no traces of nuts. **We are a nut free school**



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 1st October—2.45pm New to Reception parent meeting

Tuesday 14th October—Flu vaccinations—further information to follow

Friday 17th October—Individual Photographs
27th—31st October — Half term

Friday 5th December— Occasional Day
School and Nursery Closed

Thursday 18th December— Last day of term
for Nursery

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

Monday 5th & Tuesday 6th January—Inset
Day School and Nursery closed

Whole School Attendance for this year so far: 95.8 %

Target for all children: 96%

3 hours of learning time was lost due to lateness this week

Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 start at 8.55am (doors open from 8.45am)

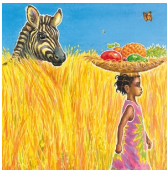


Nursery starts at 8.30am (morning / all day) or 12.30pm (afternoon) - please arrive on time as it's just as important for Nursery as School to be punctual!

This Week's Learnersaurus Awards

Nursery	Hayden	Inayah
Nursery	Noah	
Owls	Vedika	Hector
Robins	Muhammad	Amira
Squirrels	Zachary	Aria
Foxes	Theodore	Remi
Kingfishers	Theo	Elsa
Otters	Connor	Dalia

WHAT WE HAVE BEEN LEARNING IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK

Nursery  This week, we've had a wonderful time exploring both inside and outside the Nursery. The children have enjoyed playing with toys in all the different areas, discovering new favourites. The children have been looking closely at themselves in mirrors and talking about their facial features. They then created lovely self-portraits through painting, showing great care and creativity. We also had fun singing and moving along to "<i>Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes</i>," helping us learn the names of different body parts in a playful way.	Reception This week we created our class charter and talked about how we should behave in class. We all had a chance to practice writing our name. We looked at different areas in the early years settings, how to play in them, and how to share toys with our new friends. We also looked at how to tidy up properly. We sung lots of number songs to remind us of our early numbers. We have started learning phonics in our key groups this week we have learnt the sounds m a s d t . 
Year 1 In English we looked at our first text 'Handa's Surprise' and had drawn a text map to help us remember the story. In Science, we named the parts of our bodies through drawing, writing and singing. As part of our transition, we have spoken about safe adults that we can talk to at school and home. 	Year 2 This week: This week in English we practised writing some questions to ask the main character of our story; Max. We worked on answering comprehension questions about the text. In Maths we practised identifying numbers on a number line and used <, > and + signs to compare numbers. In Science we went on a hunt to find things that are living, dead and never been alive. We discussed the characteristics of each. In DT we researched vehicles and discussed the definition of a vehicle. 

WHAT WE WILL BE LEARNING IN SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

Nursery	Next week, we will continue practising identifying and pointing to different parts of our bodies, and will be using pencils to draw pictures of ourselves.
Reception	Next week we will be learning the sounds i p n g o in our phonics sessions. We will be learning about the zones of regulation and how there are 4 different coloured zones which match the feelings happy, sad, cross and worried. We will be talking about our families and making homes out of construction kits and art materials. In Maths we will be learning about subitising numbers in different patterns. Eg 4
Year 1	We will be starting our transition into our Year 1 learning. In English, we will be unpicking our story of 'Handa's Surprise' through drama and answering questions. We will start our Topic of 'Watford and Me' by looking at what an aerial view is.
Year 2	English-We will be exploring expanded noun phrases and using commas in a list. Maths- We are going to be practising regrouping and identifying the place value of 2 digit numbers. Topic- In Science we are going to be delving deeper into comparisons of objects that are living, dead and never been alive. In PSHE we will be identifying our worries and talking about how we can manage them. In History we are going to be learning more about Florence Nightingale and her achievements.

School Dinner Menu for week commencing 15th September

Ve (Vegan) V (Vegetarian)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
RED	Chicken Curry	Quorn Burger in a Bun (V)	Roast Chicken with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy	Pork Sausages With Gravy	Battered Fish Fillet
GREEN	All Day Breakfast Omelette (V) Plant Sausage, Grilled Tomato, Beans)	Beany Seashell Pasta (Ve)	Cheesy Spring Vegetable & Potato Bake (V)	Sweet and Sour Quorn (V)	Cheese and Tomato Pizza (V)
PURPLE	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato
BLUE	Tuna Roll	Cheese Spread Sandwich	Ham Roll	Cheese Baguette (V)	Egg 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:

Practise sing head shoulders, knees and toes. We have only received a few family photos so far, please remember to send these in so we can add them to our display.

Reception:

This week you did a self-portrait. Can you do a portrait of someone in your family?



Year 1:

Can you draw yourself and label your body parts?

Year 2:

We are going to be learning about the weather on the continents of the world in Geography. Can you choose a continent and research facts about it. The world's continents you can choose from are;

Europe, North America, South America, Africa, Asia, Oceania (Australia and surrounding islands) and Antarctica.

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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.



WATFORD FIELD INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL

NEAL STREET, WATFORD,
HERTFORDSHIRE, WD18 0WF

**RECEPTION:
HALF DAYS ONLY**

£14.00

**8:45AM - 12:30PM OR
12.30 - 3.30PM**

YEAR 1-6:

£24.50

8:45AM - 3:30 PM

**EARLY DROP
OFF - £3**

8:30AM

MULTI-SPORTS

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