

WATFORD FIELD SCHOOL INFANT AND NURSERY



Being Kind, Confident Minds,
Ready for Life Long Learning

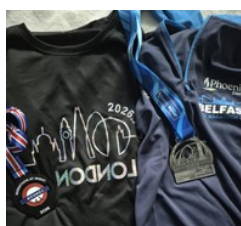
NEWSLETTER

Summer Term Issue 4
Friday 15th May 2026



Congratulations Mrs Flynn!

A huge congratulations to Mrs Flynn for completing not one, but two marathons in just one week — the Reverse London Marathon and the Belfast Marathon! What an incredible achievement — we are so proud of your determination, resilience and dedication.



Safety Corner

Please look at your child's water bottle for any small parts that can come off easily, as these can become choking hazards. Some water bottles have plastic air valves or detachable water spouts, like the bottle in the picture above. Please be aware that young children can remove these plastic items from their bottles and put them in their mouths. These are slippery and can pose a choking hazard. Please make sure your child's water bottle has a simple spout and no detachable plastic air valves or spouts as they can be very dangerous.



FOFI

Wacky Hair Day

Wednesday 20th May

Recommended donation of £1 per child to be collected at drop off. We can't wait to see everyone's creations!

More upcoming events:

Freeze pop Fridays- starting 5th June
Father's Day Gifts- more details coming soon

Summer Fair- 11th July

Language of the month (May):

Albanian

Value of the month:

Respect

This Week's Learnersaurus Awards

Nursery	Sia	Frank
Nursery	Ava	
Owls	Everybody	
Robins	Everybody	
Squirrels	Timothy	Alisia
Foxes	Aahad	Eduardo
Kingfishers	Zion	Eesa
Otters	Younes	Cherie

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May -
May Half Term

Monday 1st June - First Day of Term
Monday 15th June—Inset day School and
Nursery Closed

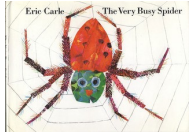

Wednesday 17th June—School Sports Day—
Times to be confirmed

Friday 19th June Nursery Sports Day —Times
to be confirmed

Wednesday 22nd July—Last day of term for
Nursery

Thursday 23rd July—Last day of term for
school—finish at 1.10pm

WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK

<p style="text-align: center;">Nursery</p> <p>We have learnt to sequence the life cycle of a chick by using our real experience of watching the eggs hatch. The children were able to put the stages in order, starting with the egg, the cracked egg, hatched chick, and finally growing into a chicken. Seeing the chicks develop in real time helped the children understand how each stage follows the next, making sequencing meaningful and exciting.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Reception</p> <p>We continued to learn about different mini-beasts and focused on spiders, reading 'The Very Busy Spider' by Eric Carle. In In maths, we explored teen numbers from 11 to 19 to deepen our understanding. The children enjoyed discovering more about these fascinating creatures and numbers.</p> 
<p style="text-align: center;">Year 1</p> <p>In English, we have been independently writing a recount about our trip to LEGOLAND. We have loved talking about everything we did and writing it down. In Maths, we have been looking at multiplication pictures and drawing arrays with repeated addition number sentences to find the total. In Science, we have learnt about fish features and in History, we found out about the timeline of Titanic.</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Year 2</p> <p>In English we took part in a grammar week to help us work on our next steps in writing. We worked on developing expanded noun phrases, interesting punctuation and setting description. In Maths we have been learning how to choose efficient strategies to solve addition, subtraction, multiplication and division calculations. In Science, we created group posters using the research about habitats we collected last week. We presented our posters to the class to share our learning. In History we travelled back in time and created our own posters encouraging people to come to England as part of the Windrush movement.</p>

WHAT WE WILL BE DOING IN SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

- Nursery** Next week in Nursery, we will be continuing our growing theme, building on the children's excitement and curiosity from watching the chicks hatch and our broad beans. We' will explore more about plants by looking closely at seeds, soil, and sunlight, giving the children hands-on opportunities to plant, water, and observe changes over time.
- Reception** Next week, we will continue building our bug hotel outside and introduce snails as our new mini-beast focus. We'll read 'The Snail Trail' and explore Henri Matisse's artwork The Snail experimenting with 'painting with scissors'. Our maths will focus on reinforcing our knowledge of teen numbers using various tools and materials..
- Year 1** **English:** The children will be looking at poetry
Maths: looking at 'twice as many'
Science: learning about what animals eat
History: understanding why the Titanic sank
PSHE: talking about our personal qualities and how it makes us incredible!
- Year 2** **English-** We will be taking part in independent writing; planning and writing our own version of Hansel and Gretel.
Maths- We are going to be exploring problem solving using all four operations (addition, subtraction, division and multiplication)
Topic- In Science, we are learning about tadpoles and their life cycle turning into a frog. In PSHE we are going to be completing our Emotions Explorers unit and celebrating our feelings. In Geography we are learning about the human features and landmarks in Jamaica.

School Dinner Menu for week commencing 18th May

Ve (Vegan) v (Vegetarian)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
RED	Pulled Paprika Chicken with Flatbread	Chicken Jambalaya	Roast Chicken with Stuffing & Gravy	Beef Burger	Fish Fingers
GREEN	Breaded Bean and Vegetable Grill (Ve)	Sweet Potato Samosa Burrito (Ve)	Roasted Summer Veg Quiche (V)	Breaded Bean and Vegetable Grill (Ve)	Margherita Pizza (v)
PURPLE	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato
BLUE	Tuna mayo Sandwich	Chicken Mayo Sandwich	Ham Sandwich	Cheese Baguette (v)	Egg Sandwich (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:

Explore the concept of more and less through simple, playful activities at home. You can try a toy sort by comparing groups of cars, blocks, or soft toys to see which pile has more or less. A nature hunt is great fun too, collecting leaves, stones, or sticks and then comparing the size of their piles. Even tidying becomes learning with a tidy up race, noticing who picked up more toys and who picked up less.

Reception:

Can you find out some snail facts ?

Can you draw a picture of a snail and name some of its body parts ?



Year 1:

Can you read the real and alien words at home? Underline the special friends and draw the naughty friends holding hands. Don't forget to keep using the Phonic videos we sent home at Parents Evening with QR codes.

Year 2:

This week in Science we have been learning about animals and their habitats. Choose one animal and research its habitat, diet and how it has adapted to survive in that habitat. You could create a poster, a fact file or a PowerPoint document to show your findings.

School Contact Details

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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.




MAY HALF-TERM CAMP

Watford Field Infant & Nursery School
Neal St, Watford, WD18 0WF
26th May – 29th May

ACTIVITIES

- Multi-Sports** – Football, dodge-ball, athletics & more
- Gymnastics & Ninja Warrior Challenges
- Water Fight**
- Obstacle Courses & Team Challenges
- Creative Activities & Games
- Competitions, prizes & daily rewards

Prices:

- £95 For Full 4 Days
- £26.22 For Full Day
- £14.98 For Half Days (8.45am – 12.30pm or 12.30pm – 3.30pm)
- £3.21 For Early Drop Off (8.30am)

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MAKE MEMORIES. LEARN NEW SKILLS. HAVE FUN!



MAY THEMES

TUESDAY FANCY DRESS SPORTS DAY



WEDNESDAY WATER FIGHT



THURSDAY WORLD CUP



FRIDAY PARTY DAY

