

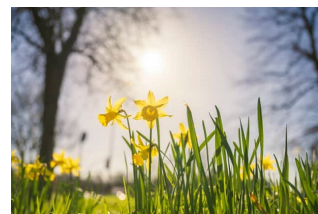
WATFORD FIELD SCHOOL INFANT AND NURSERY



Being Kind, Confident Minds,
Ready for Life Long Learning

NEWSLETTER

Spring Term Issue 10
Friday 21st March 2025



Clubs

Next week will be the last week for afterschool clubs. A new letter will be sent out shortly for places next term. If you would like your child to attend a club, please look out and respond to the letter when received.

Clothing, book bags and personal items

Please make sure your child is coming in to school with the correct uniform and PE kits on the correct days along with their book bags.

As there are a few non uniform days coming up please make sure children are not coming in to school with open toed shoes or onesies.

Please make sure your child is not coming in with toys or personal items as they could go missing and disrupt learning for them or other children.

Safety Corner

It is finally spring and the trees and plants are beginning to blossom! Lots of flowers, leaves and berries are beginning to grow on plants. It is important to tell your child that they must not eat any berries they find in gardens, parks or bushes along the road without checking with an adult first. Some berries may be poisonous and could make your child poorly. Here is some information if your child has eaten something poisonous:

<https://firstaidforlife.org.uk/how-help-my-child-eats-something-poisonous/#:~:text=If%20you%20suspect%20a%20child%20has%20eaten%20a%20plant%20or%20know%20what%20should%20be%20done.>



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

28th March — Eid Day non uniform
Thursday 3rd April—Easter day non uniform
Thursday 3rd April — Last day of term for Nursery
Friday 4th April — Last day of term for school, finish at 1.10pm
Wednesday 23rd April — First day of term
Monday 5th May — Bank holiday
26th—30th May — Half term

Language of the month (March):

Romanian

Value of the month:

Honesty



This Week's Learnersaurus Awards



Whole School Attendance for this year so far: 92%

Target for all children: 96%

7 hours 23 minutes 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!

Nursery	Nara	Salah
Nursery	Hamza	
Owls	Hitaksh	Remi
Robins	Pedram	Heiko
Squirrels	Kate	Safaa
Foxes	Helena	Zakariya
Kingfishers	Sophie	Aditya
Otters	Max	Daisy

WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK

Nursery

This week we have introduced the story of the Three Little Pigs. We have been developing our imaginative play within the outdoor kitchen area and have been making meals in the café. We have introduced a take away counter for drinks, cakes and pastries. If you have any old cake tins, baking trays or large kitchen utensils such as spatulas or whisks that you no longer need and are happy to donate them, we could use them in our play.



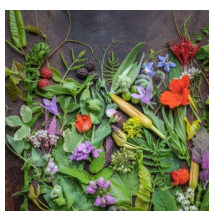
Reception

This week we continued to learn about transport. We used the story 'The Train Ride' as inspiration and a stimulus to start the week off. We discussed about what they know about trains, any experiences they have had with them. We encouraged role play in our train station role play area with the adult modelling the language and acting buying/selling tickets and making a journey on a train. In Topic we learnt about bridges and tunnels.



Year 1

In English we have been busy planning our stories before we start writing them next week. We have been designing some special things for Mother's Day. In maths, we have been exploring multiplication. In Science we explored whether we can eat plants and what parts we can eat. On Friday we celebrated Red Nose Day.



Year 2

This week in English we innovated our class set of instructions. We chose a new mythical creature to catch as part of these instructions. In Maths we have been linking multiplication to repeated addition and understanding that multiply can also mean 'lots of' or 'groups of'. In Science we looked at vehicles and decided which materials were appropriate to use when making a car, linking it to their properties. In DT we assembled our frames for our vehicles and used triangles to support the frame.



WHAT WE WILL BE DOING IN SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

Nursery

We will be developing our Three Little Pig storytelling further trying to add more details and recall the events in order. Through our phonics teaching we are focusing on children beginning to hear words that begin with the same sound eg: mountain/monkey, apple/ant, snake/sun.

Reception

We have looked at non-fiction books about boats. Next week we will include some fiction books and include some activities based around boats and water transport. In Maths we will find the whole of parts. We will also investigate whether objects float or sink. We will make boats using various materials. In the outdoor area we will role play being on boats and travelling in the sea.

Year 1

English- Writing our own innovated stories of Goldilocks and the Three Bears
Maths- We will be learning about repeated addition
Topic- Exploring how our royal family are important across the world

Year 2

English- We will be writing our own independent set of instructions on how to catch a mythical creature of our own choice.
Maths- We will be continuing our learning on multiplication by spending more time looking at arrays.
Topic- In History we will be learning about how fire safety has changed since 1666 and how this has helped to change fire safety for the better in the present. In Art we will be continuing to develop our portraits in the style of Pablo Picasso. In PSHE we are thinking about the importance of safety and adult guidance when using medicine.

School Dinner Menu for week commencing 24th March

Ve (Vegan) V (Vegetarian)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
RED	Veggie Sausages & Gravy (Ve)	Chicken Pasta Bake	Roast Pork with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy	Beef Burger in a Bun	Fish Fillet Fingers
GREEN	Macaroni Cheese (V)	Homemade Vegan Sausage Roll and Gravy (Ve)	Roast Quorn Fillet with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy (V)	Tomato Bolognese (Ve)	Cheese and Tomato Pizza (V)
PURPLE	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato
BLUE	Cheese Baguette (V)	Ham Roll	Cheese Spread Sandwich	Tuna Roll	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:

Can you act out a favourite story with someone in your family? You could pretend to be different characters. What does each character say? What do they do?

Reception:

Homework challenge Can you find out about a type of boat and draw a picture?. E.g. a pirate ship, a yacht, a rowboat, a canoe, a ferry or a raft



Year 1:

Next week at school we are going to be discussing Easter- Can you make/design an Easter bonnet or Easter garden?

Year 2:

We have been learning about suitable materials in Science. Can you find an object in your house, draw it and write a sentence about what it is made from and why it is made from that particular material/materials? For example, a window is made up mostly of glass as glass is transparent and allows us to see through it.

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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.

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For all parents/carers of children with SEND



TUESDAY 25TH MARCH 11.15AM-12.45PM

ASDA WATFORD COMMUNITY ROOM
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Please join the DSPL9 Triage team to find out about the support available locally and to meet other parents and carers of children with SEND.

If you would like to attend or to find out more please email us at:

enquiries@dsplarea9.org.uk