

WATFORD FIELD SCHOOL INFANT AND NURSERY



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NEWSLETTER
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Friday 28th February 2025



World Book day

We will be marking World Book Day on Thursday 6th March. We would love it if children could celebrate by dressing up as their favourite book character (but please avoid onesies or overly long dresses, costumes need to be practical for a day in school!)



School Dinner Menus and Arbor

Thank you to those of you who have been selecting your child's lunch choice and using the Arbor app. The menu will be updated every three weeks. Please ensure you are checking what you have ordered according to your child's dietary requirements.

Please make sure you are using the app regularly to keep up to date with important school communications.

Parent Consultations

Parent consultation bookings are now open on Arbor. Please log on to your Arbor app to book an appointment with the class teacher.

Monday 10th March: 3.30pm — 5.10pm

Wednesday 12th March: 4.00pm — 6.00pm

Thursday 13th March: 3.30pm — 5.10pm

Friday 21st March: 8.30am — 3.20pm
(Nursery only)

Language of the month (March):

Romanian

Value of the month:

Honesty

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

4th March—Pancake day

6th March—World book day

21st March—Red Nose Day

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

Whole School Attendance for this year so
far: 92.0%

Target for all children: 96%

**6 hours 47 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!*



This Week's Learnersaurus Awards



Nursery	Khadija	Nathaniel
Nursery	Natalia	
Owls	Zayd	Vaani
Robins	Hadley	Vivaan
Squirrels	Avery	Idris
Foxes	Yasmine	Helena
Kingfishers	Hafsa	Eric
Otters	Vincent	Hewaad

WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK

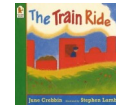
Nursery

This week we have introduced our new topic On the Farm and have been talking about the animals we would find at the farm.



Reception

This week we have introduced our new topic 'Off We Go!' looking at various types of transport. We have read the story 'The Train Ride' and the children have had lots of fun with all of the different activities focused around transport. In Maths we have introduced children to positional and directional language, such as, over, through, forwards and backwards.



Year 1

It was lovely welcoming the children back to school this week. In English, we explored our new class text 'Goldilocks and the Three Bears'. In Maths, we explored numbers to 20 and explored the numbers we also discussed the difference between 2D and 3D shapes. In Science, we planted marigold seeds and discussed what we need to do to look after them.



Year 2

It has been lovely to welcome the children back after their half term break! In English we have been learning about instructions and the importance of having them in the correct order. We have learnt about our new text 'how to trap a Giant'. In Maths we have been learning about doubling and halving 2 digit numbers. We began to link this in the context of money. In Computing we recapped using Scratch Junior on the Chromebooks and began to create movement sequences.



WHAT WE WILL BE DOING IN SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

- Nursery** Next week we will read 'The Runaway Pancakes' to introduce Shrove Tuesday. We will making pancakes and we will be talking about our favourite pancake toppings and the ingredients.
- Reception** Next week we will be focusing on the story 'The Cat's Breakfast', acting out the story and talking about the characters. We will also be celebrating Shrove Tuesday on the 4th of March and World Book Day on Thursday 6th March. In Maths we will continue with positional and directional language, explaining routes and positions of objects.
- Year 1** English- We will be learning about question and exclamation marks
Maths- We are going to be looking at measures and coins
Topic- In History, we are going to be exploring why the Royal Family is important.
- Year 2** English- We will be learning all about bossy imperative verbs and how they are useful when writing instructions. We will be recapping our previous learning about commas and adverbs.
Maths- We are learning strategies to help us count in 2s, 5s, 10s and 3s.
Topic- In History we are going to be learning about how fire safety has changed since 1666 and how to keep ourselves safe in the event of a fire. In Art we are going to be creating abstract shapes in the style of Pablo Picasso. In PSHE we are thinking about goals and the steps we can take to achieve our goals.

School Dinner Menu for week commencing 3rd March

Ve (Vegan) V (Vegetarian)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday World Book Day	Friday
RED	Veggie Sausages & Gravy (Ve)	Chicken Pasta Bake	Roast Pork with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy	Bookworm Beef Bolognese Spaghetti	Fish Fillet Fingers
GREEN	Macaroni Cheese (V)	Homemade Vegan Sausage Roll and Gravy (Ve)	Roast Quorn Fillet with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy (V)	Storytime Sweet Potato Slice (V)	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:

What do you already know about a farm? Have you been to a farm before? What do you remember? Do you have any photos that you could look at and recall this experience? Perhaps you could make a collage, paint or draw a picture of your favourite farm animal and know why it is your favourite try using the word because in your sentence.

Reception:

Talk to your child about their every day journey to school. How did they travel to school?

Discuss the route taken and what they can see.

On my journey to school I see

Could they draw a map of their journey?

Year 1:

On Tuesday it is going to be Pancake Day/Shove Tuesday. Can you research why and who celebrates this day. You may want to design your dream pancake.

Year 2:

In PSHE this week we learnt about the feeling of being proud of ourselves and something we have achieved. Can you think of something about yourself that you are proud of? It might be that you are a really kind person or it might be a special skill that you have! Write it down or draw a picture to show.

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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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Date: Thursday 6th March **Time:** 6-7pm

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