



**WATFORD FIELD SCHOOL  
INFANT AND NURSERY  
NEWSLETTER**

**Being Kind, Confident Minds,  
Ready for Life Long Learning**

**Summer Term Issue 2  
Friday 26th April 2024**



**Chicks**

Next week we will be having chicks in both Nursery and school for the children to Explore. Please ensure you have given consent on the Arbor app. This is a lovely surprise for the children, so please help us to keep it a secret!

**Holiday requests**

Please ensure holidays are only booked during school holidays, any holidays in term time will be unauthorised unless there are exceptional circumstances.

Language of the month (April):  
**Tamil**

Value of the month:

**Courage:**

Being brave when finding something difficult

**Summer Clubs**

After school clubs finish at 4.15pm and children should be collected from the school hall door on time. If your child has been allocated a club but no longer wishes to attend please let us know as soon as possible so we can allocate it to another child.

Please make sure you have paid for your child's after school club. Payments via the Arbor app should be working now.

**Breakfast Club**

Please ensure you have pre booked your space. if you need a place in breakfast club please call or email the office before 4pm the day before as we are getting full and do not want to turn anybody away.

**This Week's Learnersaurus Awards**



**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

6th May—Bank holiday School and Nursery closed  
27th –31st May—Half term School and Nursery Closed  
22nd July—Last day of term for Nursery  
23rd July—Last day of term for School, finish at 1.10pm

Whole School Attendance for this year so far: 90.7 %

Target for all children: 96%

**3 hours and 05 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!*

<b>Nursery</b>	Avery	Zayaan
<b>Nursery</b>	Amelie	
<b>Owls</b>	Lucas	Abdiya
<b>Robins</b>	David	Nora
<b>Squirrels</b>	Tanay	Naayel
<b>Foxes</b>	Tiffany	Hashim
<b>Kingfishers</b>	Lexi	Parkh
<b>Otters</b>	Areeba	Nubaid

# WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Nursery</b></p> <p>This week we have started to learn about the life cycle of a chicken. On Mondays we have introduced Relax Kids learning sessions with Mel. We will be exploring different emotions through movements, games and relaxation activities. Our Super Star Sports session focus on tennis skills where we will be using small balls and bats. (On Monday's please <b>don't</b> wear skirts or dresses.)</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Reception</b></p> <p>This week In Literacy we made turnip soup and compared and named some vegetables and In Maths we identified different parts which make a whole. The whole 7 can be made in different ways as shown below.</p> 
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Year 1</b></p> <p>In Maths, we have focused on sharing into equal and unequal groups with remainders. In English, we looked at describing Rama and Sita using different adjectives. In Geography we looked at the characteristics of Northern Ireland. We have also continued to make our mock moving picture with a slider and lever. In Computing, we started looking at robots and how buttons can make them move!</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Year 2</b></p> <p>This week we have continued to look at division and started to explore remainders. In English, we have continued to look at our new text 'Hansel and Gretel and learnt about spelling rules. In Geography, we were introduced to our new topic Jamaica. In Science, we explored animals and their offspring.</p> 

# WHAT WE WILL BE DOING IN SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

- Nursery** Next week we will continue to learn about the life cycle of a chicken and will be focusing on the concept of big and little.
- Reception** We are so excited to have some caterpillars in our class. Next week we will be talking in more detail about the life cycle of the butterfly. What is the lifecycle of a butterfly? How does a butterfly grow? We will learn some facts about caterpillars and butterflies and watch them change.
- Year 1**  
 Maths: multiplication through repeated addition and arrays  
 English: boxing up the story of Rama and Sita and planning an innovated version  
 Topic: In Geography, we will be looking at the human and physical features of Belfast.  
 PSHE: We are looking at how we can be a good friend  
 D and T: We will be finishing off our Mock moving pictures, evaluating them and telling the story of Goldilocks.
- Year 2**  
 Next Week:  
 Maths: We will be exploring fractions  
 English: Innovating our class text  
 Topic: To explore the basic needs of animals

## New School Dinner Menu for week commencing 29th April

Ve (Vegan) V (Vegetarian)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>RED</b>	Chicken Curry	Quorn Burger in a Bun (v)	Turkey Roast with Sage & Onion Stuffing and Gravy	Beef Lasagne	Fish Fillet Fingers
<b>GREEN</b>	Homemade Sausage Roll (Ve)	Rich Tomato Bolognese (Ve)	Roast Quorn Fillet with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy (V)	Chipolata Sausages with Gravy (Ve)	Classic Cheese and Tomato Pizza (V)
<b>PURPLE</b>	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato
<b>BLUE</b>	Cheese Spread Sandwich (V)	Cheese Baguette (V)	Tuna Roll	Ham Sandwich	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 saying numbers 1,2,3,4,5 in order. Can you show the correct number of fingers up to 5 when an adult says a number to you? Practise singing some finger number rhymes together such as: 5 Little Speckled Frogs, 5 Little Ducks.

#### ***Reception:***

Can you solve some maths problems?

Ronnie the Rabbit is sitting on the number line. If he jumps on **two more** jumps, which number would he land on? Or Ronnie is sitting on the number line. If he jumps **two less** jumps, which number would he land on?



#### ***Year 1:***

Can you complete the suffixes sheet adding er and est.

**Adding 'er' and 'est'**

1. Fill in the table below.

root word	add 'er'	add 'est'
tall	_____	_____
quick	_____	_____
thick	_____	_____
light	_____	_____
fast	_____	_____
fresh	_____	_____
bright	_____	_____
cold	_____	_____
warm	_____	_____

2. Choose 3 of the words from the table and put them into sentences. Don't forget capital letters and full stops!

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

#### ***Year 2:***

Can you create a timeline of your life cycle or someone in your family? Write a few sentences describing how you have changed.

#### **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.***

Super Star Sport will be running half term camps during May at our school! Attached is their leaflet that should have all of the information you need. Please just scan the bar code or visit their website for more information or to make your booking.



**Watford Field Infant & Nursery School**  
Neal St, Watford WD18 0WF

28<sup>th</sup> May - 31<sup>st</sup> May

8:45AM - 3:30PM

3 - 5 yrs old: Half day's only  
5.5 - 11 yrs old

**To book visit:**  
[www.superstarsportnwl.com](http://www.superstarsportnwl.com)



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£14 FOR HALF DAY

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