



WORPLE WEEKLY

Every Second Counts!



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Dear Parents and Carers,



It's been a busy Autumn term with lots of exciting learning opportunities, trips and visitors. We hope you all have a restful Christmas break and a very happy New Year.

Well done to Years 1, 2 and 3 for two wonderful performances of the 'Inn-Spectors' and to EYFS for their delightful Christmas songs. We are looking forward to seeing 'The Christmas Truce' next week which will be performed by Years 4, 5 and 6.

Don't forget to buy your copy of the Christmas performances which have been professionally filmed. A huge thank you to Mr Anderson for giving up his time to come in and film the performances. The DVD will feature all three performances and will be sold at a price of **£5**. Purchases can be made online through **ParentPay**. All profits raised will go to the Worple School PTA.



Christmas Performances still to come:

Monday 17th December - Y4, 5, 6 Christmas performance at 2:15pm

Tuesday 18th December - Y4, 5, 6 Christmas performance at 9:30am

Reminders:

School will break up for the Christmas holidays on **Wednesday 19th December at 2:00pm** and the children return to school on **Thursday 3rd January at 8:50am**.

Year 1-6 Super Starts

Why not join us in the New Year to launch your child's new learning theme by coming along to our Super starts. Years 1, 2 and 3 will hold their Super Start on **Monday 7th January at 9:00am** followed by Years 4, 5 and 6 which will be held on **Tuesday 8th January at 9:00am**.

More key dates for the Spring Term will follow in the New Year.



Merits

Nursery	All of Nursery for a fantastic and fabulous Christmas show.
Reception	To the whole class for a fantastic Christmas show.
Year 1	To the whole class for being superstars in our Christmas show and for singing so beautifully.
Year 2	To the whole class for a fantastic Christmas production.
Year 3	Whole class for a fabulous Christmas production.
Year 4	David – for always being ready to learn and having a great learning attitude! Aiden – for trying really hard to stay on task and for great enthusiasm in singing!
Year 5	Joanna – for working hard on her lines for the production and making improvements all the time. Marwa – for always working quietly and in a focused way.
Year 6	Baraa – for fantastic acting in the "Cristmas Truce", watch out Hollywood! Ermen for brilliant acting and commitment to learning and performing his lines. What a star!

Attendance and Punctuality

	Attendance	Punctuality
Nursery	95%	2
Reception	96%	7
Year 1	94%	5
Year 2	94%	7
Year 3	98%	5
Year 4	95%	2
Year 5	97%	4
Year 6	98%	10

Punctuality Rewards

Unfortunately there were no classes who received Zero lates/ Remember it is important to be in school by 9am every day!

Blaze's Pup-Date

It's been a whole term since Blaze, the school dog, joined Worple and we are really pleased with how well he has settled into school life. He is now 8 months old and his training is going well. He has already passed his Puppy Foundation course with distinction and will be assessed early next year in order to receive his Kennel Club Bronze award.

In his first term at Worple he has met all the children and staff, visited every classroom, sat in school assemblies and listened to children read. We have also introduced 'Blaze Time' a special reward for children who have been putting in extra effort at school. Just this week Blaze spent some time in Early Years and met some visitors from Charlotte House Care Home for the elderly. Both the children and visitors loved spending time with him and getting in some furry cuddles.





For more information on the training that Blaze will be undertaking over the next year, please visit the Kennel Club website: <https://www.thekennelclub.org.uk/training/good-citizen-dog-training-scheme/>