

Worple Newsletter

Enjoy, Learn, Grow

18 March 2022

Head Teacher's Update

Dear parents,

It has been another busy week at Worple and the next few weeks are set to be just as busy...but also full of exciting activities for all of the children to be involved in.

As you know we start with our festival of colour this Friday, followed by science week which has been organised for week beginning the 28th of March. The last week of term ends with an Easter egg hunt and an Easter bonnet parade! Last year we had some pretty spectacular bonnets paraded as well as a huge number of chicks located in our own school gardens.... fake of course, but finding one meant that chocolate was the final surprise!!

I would like to thank all of the staff and PTA involved in organising these activities, we are all keen to make this year's activities really special given the disruption of the last few years. It is also such a pleasure to be able to invite parents back into the school after such a long period of restricting visitors.

Have a lovely weekend!

Best wishes

Marais Leenders

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Executive Headteacher



ParentMail



A reminder that all communication from the school to parents/carers is made via ParentMail. Please ensure that you do have access to ParentMail and do receive communication from Worple. Should you have any issues please contact the office.

Bikeability

Next week, our Year 6 students will be participating in Bike ability training. Bike works delivers cycle training across London, in order to meet a social enterprise objective of building a more diverse cycling community.

There are three levels of training:

- **Level 1** – is the basics of how to ride a bike, including balance and pedal setting.
- **Level 2** – is more focused on road awareness; covering turns and roundabouts.
- **Level 3** – is focused on independent road riding and route planning.



STEM Week

We have planned a week of investigation and celebration of STEM subjects across the school commencing Monday **28th March**.

- Science
- Technology
- Engineering
- Maths

Teachers have planned a range of activities across the week which will allow children to apply the skills they have learnt in each subject to investigations and real life problems.

We also have a range of whole school activities running throughout the week. Please make a note so you can be prepared.

Ducks arriving

We are so excited that from 21st March we will be looking after ducklings for 10 days!! They will be coming to us in an incubator and they will be placed in our nursery class. The children will be very excited to see them go from tentatively exploring to very quickly and confidently diving and whizzing about! Watching their natural instincts kick in is truly amazing and very moving to witness because they are robust and quite docile.



Monday 28 th	Research and dress up as a scientist/Inventor
Tuesday 29 th	Visit from Tony Charles (Maths/science workshops) Paid for by PTA
Wednesday 30 th	Bonanza Biscuit whole school Investigation
Thursday 31 st	Celebration Assembly
Friday 1 st	Easter Bonnet parade and Egg Hunt



Nursery Applications



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of Hounslow

For advice and guidance contact Hounslow Schools
or the Family Information Service

020 8583 3470

or email

fis@hounslow.gov.uk

Starting in a school nursery class in September 2022

Children born between **1 September 2018** and **31 August 2019**
can take up a free, part-time place in a school nursery class from
the September before their fourth birthday.

You can apply for a school nursery class for September 2022 by contacting
the Hounslow Schools you want to apply to.

The closing date for applications is **6 May 2022**.

Please read our 'Starting in a Hounslow School Nursery in September 2022'
brochure carefully before completing your application.

Download the application form and brochure from Hounslow website:

www.hounslow.gov.uk/nurseryadmissions

Final Nursery Open Day

- 26th April at 09h30

Please contact school on 020 8321 8100 or office@worple.hounslow.sch.uk to book.



PTA News

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy Holi! I hope everyone has enjoyed welcoming in the spring with the Worple Festival of Colours (and got completely caked in colour!). A big 'thank you' to Stella, and to all the other parents and staff who made it possible.

There is still lots to look forward to before the end of term:



Next Thursday afternoon the Easter trail begins!

Tickets are £2 per child and are available to buy at www.pta-events.co.uk/worpleprimaryschool.

You can do the trail any time between Thursday afternoon and Sunday evening. Those signed up will be emailed a map and a series of clues on Thursday. Solve the clues to follow the trail around Isleworth spotting Easter eggs with a letter on them. It should take about an hour and every entrant gets a tasty chocolate egg!



The following week is Worple's Science Week.

On Monday 28th the children will be invited to come dressed as a scientist and be part of a 'living museum', and share information on the achievements of their chosen scientist with the rest of the school.

On Tuesday 29th there will be a show and a series of workshops from Tony Charles, a maths magician and scientist. The money you have raised has made this possible, and we hope that it'll be fun and inspirational for the kids.

Dates for your diary:

24-27th March	Easter Treasure Trail - click here for tickets
28th March 29th March	STEM week - dress as a scientist for a day - visit from a Maths Magician and Scientist
27th May	Jubilee afternoon tea
16th July	Summer Fair

Have a great weekend,

Katie
On behalf of Friends of Worple PTA

Term and Holiday Dates 2022-23

Spring Term	
Tuesday 4 th January 2022	School starts for children
Monday 14 th - Friday 18 th February 2022	Half Term
Monday 21 st February 2022	Children return to school
Friday 1 st April 2022	Break up for Easter Holidays at 1:30pm
Monday 4th April – Monday 18th April 2022	Easter Holidays
Summer Term	
Tuesday 19 th April 2022	School starts for children
Monday 2 nd May 2022	May bank holiday – School closed
Monday 30 th May - Friday 3 rd June 2022	Half Term
Monday 6 th June 2022	INSET DAY – School closed for children
Tuesday 7 th June 2022	Children return to school
Wednesday 20 th July 2022	Break up for Summer Holidays at 1:30pm
Autumn Term	
Thursday 1 st and Friday 2 nd September 2022	INSET DAYS – School closed for children
Monday 5 th September 2022	School starts for children
Monday 24 th October - Friday 28 th October 2022	Half Term
Monday 31 st October and Tuesday 1 st November 2022	INSET DAYS – School closed for children
Friday 16 th December 2022	Break up for Christmas Holidays at 1:30pm
Monday 19th December – Monday 2nd January 2023	Christmas Holidays

Please remember to book your holidays during school holidays. Term time holidays are not authorised and can lead to prosecution or a fixed penalty fine.



Learn to Ride



FREE BIKEABILITY COURSES

LEARN TO RIDE IN HANWORTH PARK

DATES (4-DAY COURSE)

MON 04 APRIL

TUE 05 APRIL

WED 06 APRIL

THU 07 APRIL

TIMES:

13:30-14:15 5-7 YEARS OLD

14:45-15:30 8-12 YEARS OLD

LOCATION:

Meeting at entrance Hanworth Air Park
Leisure Centre & Library - TW13 5EG

*Free course, must book on
www.bikeworks.org.uk/hounslow
*£10 refundable deposit



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of Hounslow**

**www.bikeworks.org.uk
/hounslow**



**DUE TO POPULAR DEMAND -ADDITIONAL FREE Learn to Ride courses for the
Easter half term have been added !**

'Our Isleworth' Community Photo Competition



take
a good
Shot

Entries to be submitted between
21 February and 31 March 2022

♥
All entries will be displayed
in Isleworth Public Hall and
the winning photographs
will be shown in at least two
other venues.

♥
A community film will capture
the competition and exhibitions

To enter - visit:
www.isleworthsociety.org

THREE CATEGORIES:

- Green Isleworth and wildlife;
- Isleworth people, communities and businesses;
- Isleworth: hidden history and places to visit.

THREE AGE GROUPS: ♥


- 11 and under Prize: 3 x £25 gift vouchers
- 12-17 Prize: 3 x £25 Cinema vouchers
- 18 and over Prize: Two £50 gift vouchers; two £25 vouchers
from Isleworth cafes 'Elvis and Ivy' and 'South Street Coffee and Ice Cream Shop'

♥
smile!

Open to all who live, work,
study or meet in Isleworth



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