



Welcome back to the summer term! We are looking forward to a very busy and focused term. We have three big event weeks planned for the second half of the term, which will include activities for parents to join in. A full set of dates for the summer term have been sent home to enable you to plan the term ahead. I hope you all get some time to enjoy the lovely weather and look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

Best wishes, Ms Reid

Y6 SATS week



Just a reminder that the Key Stage 2 SATs (standard assessment tests) week is from **Monday 14th May** until **Thursday 17th May**. These assessments are administered on a daily basis and the timetable is as follows:

Monday 14 May - English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2

Tuesday 15 May - English reading

Wednesday 16 May - Mathematics papers 1 and 2

Thursday 17 May - Mathematics paper 3

Please ensure that children are in school every day promptly, to ensure that they aren't missing any learning, revision or preparation for these important assessments. Year 6 parents will receive further information soon in relation to Y6 breakfast club during SATS week.

Living eggs at our school!

'Living Eggs' is a fun programme that enables pupils to see chicks actually hatching from their eggs.

For the next two weeks we have some chicks that are in Cherry Class (Reception) and all classes have had an opportunity to see the chicks hatch and grow in their incubator.

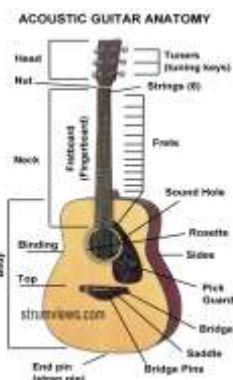


Getting to school on time

We have been very impressed with how many children are getting to school on time this week and how calmly and sensibly they are entering the building. Well done to all!

Acoustic guitar lessons at Hollydale

We are now offering guitar lessons at £8.00 per 30 minutes. Please see the school office for an application form, if you would like your child to learn with our guitar teacher Mr Jo Thorpe!



Attendance & Punctuality – W/E

27.04.18

The whole school attendance: 96%

Class	Attendance	Punctuality – Number of Lates
Cherry	89%	1
Elm	96%	3
Oak	95%	0
Cedar	94%	4
Birch	99%	2
Hazel	99%	1
Maple	94%	1
Willow	99%	1

Record of Achievement in Computing

Respect, Responsibility and Relationships

Being the best that we can be!

Class	Name of pupils
Cherry	Yelina & Shaye
Elm	Alex & Sienna
Oak	Houssna & Mya
Cedar	Omar & Oliver
Birch	Calista & Mehmet
Hazel	Samuel & Ananta
Maple	Idiatou & Shannon
Willow	Bria & Blake



We begin the Summer Term with no classes having achieved 100% attendance, unfortunately. Some of this is due to 6 families taking unauthorised holiday within the term-time which as you can see can seriously affect attendance figures.

All term dates for next year are published on our website. Please take the time to view them to ensure holidays are not booked within the term time.

Our attendance year-to-date is 95.7% which is just below the National Average. Let's aim to give it a boost over the next coming weeks and try to reach 97% by the end of the school year! Everyone's effort helps greatly!

After School Clubs

We are very pleased to announce that all of our exciting new clubs have started. We would like to take this opportunity to share with you the range of experiences on offer (please see below). The overview of the after school clubs also shows the finish times and the collection point. Again, to ensure the safety of the children please arrive promptly to collect your child/ren. Unfortunately, we do not have the facilities for you to wait for children in the after school clubs. Thank you for your continued support.

After school clubs

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Monday Clubs: Starting 23/04/18 – 21/05/18 – 04/06/18 – 09/07/18							
CLUB	YEAR GROUP	TIME	TEACHER	PLACES AVAILABLE	COST	PAYMENT	LOCATION
Minecraft	3,4,5,6	3.45-4.45	Ms Lewis	10	£10	ONLINE	Bottom Hall
Sewing Club	3,4,5,6	3.45-4.45	Ms Rebbeck	12	£10	ONLINE	Cedar Class
Tuesday Clubs: Starting 24/04/18 - 22/05/18 – 05/06/18 – 10/07/18							
CLUB	YEAR GROUP	TIME	TEACHER	PLACES AVAILABLE	COST		LOCATION
REC, YR1,2 Art Club	Rec / Yr 1, 2	3.45-4.45	Ms Elia / MS Volcy	15	£10	ONLINE	Lime Class
Dance Club	1,2,3	3.45-4.45	Ms Linton	20	£10	ONLINE	Bottom Hall
Wednesday Clubs: Starting 25/04/18 -23/05/18 – 06/06/18 – 11/07/18							
CLUB	YEAR GROUP	TIME	TEACHER	PLACES AVAILABLE	COST		LOCATION
Science Club	1,2	3.45-4.45	Ms Fredua	18	£10	ONLINE	Hazel Class
Art Club	3,4,5,6	3.45-4.45	Miss Pratt	12	£10	ONLINE	Elm Class
Thursday Clubs: Starting 26/04/18 – 24/05/18 – 07/06/18 – 12/07/18							
CLUB	YEAR GROUP	TIME	TEACHER	PLACES AVAILABLE	COST		LOCATION
Mathletics	3,4,5,6	3.45-4.45	Ms La Malfa	16	£10	ONLINE	Library
Friday Clubs: Starting 27/04/18 – 25/05/18 – 08/06/18 – 13/07/18							
CLUB	YEAR GROUP	TIME	TEACHER	PLACES AVAILABLE	COST		LOCATION
Chess	2,3,4,5,6	3.45 – 4.45	Mr Bukojemski	20	£10	ONLINE	Chestnut Class
Homework	2,3,4,5,6	3.45 – 4.45	Ms Lewis	30	Free	Bottom Hall	

Dates for the Diary!

Dates	Events	Notes
Monday 30 th April 2018	Cherry Class trip to Mudchute Farm	Cherry Class Pupils
Monday 30 th April 2018	School Food Matters Assembly in the bottom hall	Whole school
Monday 30 th April 2018	Swimming at STAC	Years 3-6
Tuesday May 1 st 2018	Gardening & Market Trader Training at Borough Market	Three selected children
Thursday May 3 rd 2018	Hazel Class Assembly at 9.20am in the bottom hall	Parents/Carers Welcome
Thursday May 3 rd 2018	Birch Class Parents Lunch at 12.40am	Birch Parents/Carers invited
Thursday May 3 rd 2018	Cedar Class trip to Ragged Museum	Cedar Class Pupils
Thursday May 3 rd 2018	Cherry Class to visit Nunhead library	Afternoon session
Thursday May 3 rd 2018	Debate Mate Returners Session	Yr5/Yr6 Pupils 3.34-4.45pm
Friday May 4 th 2018	Birch Class to visit Nunhead Library	Morning session
Monday May 7 th 2018	BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY	SCHOOL CLOSED TO ALL PUPILS
Tuesday May 8 th 2018	Walking Maps Project	Selected children
Thursday May 10 th 2018	Birch Class Assembly at 9.20am in the bottom hall	Parents/Carers Welcome
Thursday May 10 th 2018	Elm Class to visit Nunhead library	Afternoon session
Friday 11 th May 2018	Hazel Class to visit Nunhead library	Morning session

Thought of the Week

"You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem and smarter than you think."

A A Milne

Debate Mate 2018



Last Friday, some year 5 and 6 children took part in the London Schools Debate Mate competition. This took place in Goldsmith's University with over 16 schools from all parts of London competing. The children used their fantastic speaking and listening skills to debate a range of topics such as should community activities be compulsory. The children from Hollydale debated against three different schools and argued their points really well!

Ms Fredua Hazel Class teacher

The 20th of April 2018 was a special day for Hollydale's debate club because we visited Goldsmiths University. We had the opportunity to debate against different schools in the Debate Mate League.

Our journey to the university was exciting as we took a bus and walked the rest of the way. On the way we spotted other schools travelling to the University. As we arrived volunteers from the debating club greeted us kindly by giving us high fives and saying good luck to us when we passed them.

We entered a large hall where there were soft seats and a table full of judges wearing red badges, they gave us groups to debate against and two of the schools we competed against were Morningside and School 21. It was fun experiencing new things just by talking in a formal, structure way. We felt proud representing Hollydale Primary School because we won some of our debates!

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