

News and events from Northwold Primary School



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Next Week at Northwold

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Day		Event
Monday	Spelling and Times Table Competition	• London Fire Brigade Workshop - Year 2 and 5
Tuesday		• Australian Headteachers Visiting
Wednesday		• Governor's Coffee Morning 9:00 am • Year 6 Drumming Performance to Parents 2:45 pm - 3:30pm
Thursday		
Friday		• Brazil Class's Coffee Morning 9:00 am • Year 6 Photoshoot for Leavers Journal • London History Day for Whole School

Pakistan Class's Assembly – Date Change

Please note that Pakistan Class's assembly date has changed. It will now be on: Thursday, 28th June. Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.

Year 3 Trip to Stonehenge

We had our trip to Stonehenge on Thursday, 17th May. The trip went very well and was thoroughly enjoyed by the children:

Spain Class:

Leo & Joey – “We had fun marching down the hill back from the mound and chanting a song we made up together.”

Sapphire & Hannah – “I thought the trip would be boring, but surprisingly it turned out to be quite fun and educational.”

Neriah & Sofia – “We had real experience of how Stone Age people used to live.”

Renique, Yusuf & Aryan – “Stonehenge was amazing. We had lots of fun and we learnt a lot.”

Nayd & Doruk – “At Stonehenge we heard about all the mysteries surrounding Stonehenge as well as the different stones that were used at Stonehenge.”

Nigeria Class:

On Thursday, 10th May, Nigeria class went to see the amazing, man-made Stonehenge (it is a monument that started getting made in the Stone Age, so it is ancient. We arrived at school very early and took a massive coach to Salisbury which is where the Stonehenge is.

It was a very long journey but it was worth it! On the way we kept busy by reading books and playing games.

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When we got there, we got to see the magnificent towering Stonehenge which looked like plants that burst up through the ground and we learnt about the summer and winter Solstice. We also got to ascend ancient burial mounds and have a burial ceremony of our own just like they did in those days! It was very fun. Later on that day after lunch, all of us went to see an exhibition about Stonehenge and we went into some Stone Age homes. Inside the homes were very fascinating replicas of artefacts from the Stone Age and Bronze Age. Some of us got to try on dresses made from animal skin and play with a bow and arrow made by cavemen.

It was a very exciting trip even though it was tiring. We had so much fun and have loved our Topic 'Stone Age' which we learnt so much about in class.



New Lunch Menus!

We are excited to present our new lunch menus that will be served from Monday, 4th June 2018:

Week 1:

Monday	Pizza	Courgette & Creamy Tomato Pasta	Green Salad Tomato Slices Coleslaw
	Potato Wedges & Baked Beans		
Tuesday	Chow Mein	Spaghetti with Provençal Sauce	Green Salad Tomato Slices Carrot Sticks
Wednesday	Vegetable Biryani & Raita	Very Veggie Lentil Bake	Green Salad Tomato Slices Cucumber Slices
Thursday	Sweet Tomato Pasta	Rice Stuffed Peppers	Green Salad Tomato Salad Beetroot
Friday	Fish Fingers	Veg Pasties	Green Salad Tomato Slices Coleslaw
	Chips & Baked Beans		

Week 2:

Monday	Spaghetti Bolognaise	Cheese Whirls	Green Salad Tomato Slices Carrot Sticks
Tuesday	Veggie Burger with Fried Onions	Calzone	Green Salad Tomato Slices Coleslaw
	Chips		
Wednesday	Caribbean Fish	Vegetable Curry	Green Salad Tomato Slices Salsa
	Rice		
Thursday	Cheese Flan served with Baby Potatoes	Bean & Potato Moussaka	Green Salad Tomato Slices Coleslaw
Friday	Fried Rice	Gnocchi	Green Salad Tomato Slices Cucumber Slices

Week 3:

Monday	Veggie Sausage with Onion Gravy	Vegetable Pot Pie	Green Salad Tomato Slices Cucumber Slices
	Creamy Mash		
Tuesday	Battered Fish	Homemade Indian Omelette	Green Salad Tomato Slices Coleslaw
	Chips and Peas		
Wednesday	Cheese & Bean Stack	Mexican Penne Pasta	Green Salad Tomato Slices Salsa Guacamole
Thursday	Chickpea Curry with Rice	Spinach & Feta Filo Square	Green Salad Tomato Slices
Friday	Macaroni Cheese	Mixed Bean Burrito	Green Salad Tomato Slices Beetroot

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Remember if you do not like the food that is on offer we also do jacket potatoes with fillings every day!

E-Safety Coffee Morning (Part 2) with Levett Consultancy

On Wednesday, 13th June 2018 Levett Consultancy will be coming into Northwold to do a coffee morning that will focus on parental controls. It will be a great way to learn about safety on the internet. We hope to see you there.

Summer Fair, Summer Fair!

This year we would like to have the Summer Fair on Friday 6th July 2018, from **1:00 pm – 5:00 pm**.

This means that children will be dismissed at 1:00 pm. It will be a dress down day for all pupils and staff. A contribution of £1.00 will be accepted for dressing down and as an entry fee to the fair.

If parents are interested in selling goods, we will be selling stalls for £20.00. No cooked food/cake/refreshment/sweets stalls will be allowed as the school will have their own. Although we appreciate people coming to help out generally, we are looking for parent volunteers to help with the setting up and dismantling of the day. That will mean getting your hands dirty!

Please contact the office and speak to Shaida about stalls and volunteering.

Cake Sales!

A charity cake sale is a fun and delicious way of raising money for various worthy causes, so throughout the year we will be kindly asking for baked donations! It is a great opportunity to show off your baking skills, as well having fun and engaging with the children. **Please find below dates for the cake sale days:**

Summer 2018

Year Group	Date
Nursery	Friday, 15 th June 2018

Class Coffee Mornings Summer 2018

Week Beginning	Monday	Friday
21.05.18	-	Brazil
HALF TERM		

04.06.18	No Coffee Morning	
11.06.18	Poland	Barbados
18.06.18	Somalia	Ireland
25.06.18	Mexico	Pakistan
02.07.18	No Coffee Morning	
19.07.18		
16.07.18		

Class Assemblies

Each class will do ONE assembly per year. It will be on a Friday. The assembly will start at 9.30 am and last up to half an hour. Below is the timetable for the whole year, so you can put the dates and time in your diaries. It really makes a big difference for children to see their family in the audience; we hope you can make the time for them.

Summer 2018

Week Beginning	Class
11.06.2018	China
18.06.2018	India
25.06.2018	Pakistan

Golden Achievement Pupils

Congratulations to the following pupils for being the golden pupil this week:

Class	Pupils
N Mexico	Rosario Dixon
N Pakistan	Ismail Mulla
R Ireland	Aadam Alibhai
R Somalia	Amelia Tran
1 Bangladesh	Mackenzie Gordon
1 Ghana	Kymorah Chung
2 Barbados	Kaelen Rogers
2 Poland	Hannah Ogunkeye
3 Nigeria	Phoebe Mwizerwa
3 Spain	Seyi Yinusa
4 Brazil	Tayjah Rani
4 Jamaica	Alliat Salami
5 Russia	Isabella Namulondo
5 Turkey	Karandeep Singh
6 China	Emircan Serin
6 India	Muhammad Hafesji

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Next Week's Menu

Week 1

Monday	Jollof Rice	Roasted Vegetable Pasta	Green salad Tomato slices Carrot sticks
Tuesday	Cheese and Onion Flan	Bean Pot	Green salad Tomato slices Coleslaw
	Boiled New Potatoes Broccoli		
Wednesday	(Masala) Sabji and Rice	Shepherdess Pie	Green salad Tomato slices Cucumber slices
Thursday	Fish Fingers	Cheese Whirls	Green salad Tomato slices Beetroot
	Chips Baked Beans		
Friday	Lasagne	Potato Frittata	Green salad Tomato slices Bean salad

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Every day, for dessert, there is fruit and yoghurt.

Term Dates for 2017-18

Below are dates for our 195 teaching days, including 5 days for the purpose of teachers' staff development (INSET). These days can be taken as INSET days or equivalent twilight sessions.

Academies, free schools and voluntary-aided schools are able to set their own dates but have been asked to set the same or similar dates in the interest of parents who may have children at different schools.

Start Date in September 2018

Please note that the first day of Autumn term 2018 is Wednesday, 5th September 2018.

Term Dates 2017/2018

Summer Term			
First Day	Half Term	Finish	Number of Days
Monday 16 th April 2018	Monday 28 th May to Friday 1 st June 2018	Friday 20 th July 2018	64 Days (29 first half-term, 35 second half-term)

Dates for Next Academic Year 2018/2019

Autumn Term 2018			
First Day	Half-Term	Finish	Number of Days
Wednesday, 5 th September 2018	Monday, 22 nd – Friday, 26 th October 2018	Friday, 21 st December 2018	73 days (33 days first half-term, 40 days second half-term)

Spring Term 2019			
First Day	Half-Term	Finish	Number of Days
Monday, 7 th January 2019	Monday, 18 th – Friday, 22 nd February 2019	Friday, 5 th April 2019	60 days (30 days first half-term, 30 days second half-term)