

News and events from Northwold Primary School

There is only one happiness in this life, to love and be loved.

- George Sand

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Week Beginning 28.01.2019

Day	Event
Monday	Year 3 Spain Class Coffee Morning 9am
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Viney Hill Information Meeting for Year 5 parents - 9 am
Thursday	
Friday	Year 3 Nigeria Class Coffee Morning 9am Year 5 Turkey Class Assembly 9:30am

Viney Hill Information Meeting

There will be a Viney Hill information meeting for Year 5 parents Wednesday 30th January at 9 am.

Year 3 Create Project



The Year 3 Classes' have been taking part in workshops with CREATE.

They have been learning about money by playing games to remember money vocabulary.

Topic Trip Dates:

- Year 1- TBC
- Year 2- Monday 25th February- Leeds Castle
- Year 3-Thursday 14th March- Stonehenge
- Year 4- Tuesday 12th March-British Museum- Roman Galleries
- Year 5- Monday 4th March-British Museum- Egyptian Galleries
- Year 6- TBC

Future Assembly and Inset Dates

Mexico Class Assembly- **THURSDAY** 14th February 2019

Twilight Inset Dates

07.02.2019 4pm-6pm

15.02.2019 – Whole day Inset (**School will be closed on this day**)

07.03.2019

Parents Evening

21.03.2019

PSP Review week

Week Beginning: 25.03.2019

Chinese New Year Whole School Celebration

On Wednesday 6th February, the school will be celebrating the Chinese New Year. More information will be provided in a letter going home at the beginning of next week.

**Hackney Independent Forum for
Parents/Carers of Children with Disabilities
January 2019 Announcements**

**IPSEA training in March 2019 - What areas of
SEND law do you want to know about? Help
design your training package**

We are inviting IPSEA to train SEND parents on SEND law matters in March 2019 and we would like to know if you have any specific themes or topics in law you would like us to concentrate on?

Send us your views by 31st January
emailing info@hiphackney.org.uk

**Mind The Gap – a transition group for
teenagers with high functioning autism** aged
14 – 18 the age when the move into adult life is
taking place.

Using the research and toolkit from
#KNOWYOURNORMAL the group aims to look
at

Interests, hobbies and routines – 23rd January

Health and self-care – 30th January

Relationships – 6th February

Mental Health and Wellbeing – 13th February

To find out more or to get referred contact:

Ellen O’Gorman at CAMHS –

020 3222 5600 or Miranda Gavin at Hackney

Ark 020 7014 7176

Wednesday 29th January 2019 - 3pm-4:30pm

Focus group for unpaid carers

Hackney Adult Social Services is in the process
of redesigning the services for unpaid adult
carers in the borough.

Carers are invited to hear feedback from
previous consultations and provide input
into shaping the design of the new service
For more information or to book a place
email userengagement@hackney.gov.uk or
call 0207 356 4711

Where: **Hackney Ark, Downs Park Rd,
Hackney, London E8 2FP**

22 January 2019, 5:5pm-6:15pm (Every Tuesday)

A Learning Disability Basketball Club

An hour-long session open to all 12 to 25 year olds
during term time.

Where: **Kings Hall Leisure Centre, 39 Lower Clapton
Rd, London E5 0NU**

05 February 2019, 9:30am - 12:30pm (every first
Tuesday)

CAMHS ADHD Parent information session

These monthly morning meetings will be looking at:

- **Understanding ADHD – psychoeducation
and medication overview**
- **Managing behaviours associated with ADHD**
- **Managing family stress associated with
ADHD**

To find out more or book a place contact: Ellen
O’Gorman – (Assistant Psychologist) 020 3222 5600

Where: **CAMHS, Homerton Row, E9 6ED**

Wednesday 6th February 2019, 10am-12pm

**Knowledge is Power Information session for
parents on Behaviour for Learning and Exclusions**

Where: **Hackney Learning Trust, Meeting Room 5**
Limited places. Contact SENDIAGS on 0207 275 6036
or SENDIAGS@learningtrust.co.uk

Friday 15th February 2019, 10am-12:30pm (Every
third Friday)

AS1 Coffee Morning Coffee Cake And Conversation

Monthly coffee mornings for parents and carers of
children and young people who have special
educational needs and/ or disability. These
sessions give an opportunity to meet up in person,
talk, share and offer support and understanding.

Where: **Hackney Ark, Downs Park Rd, Hackney,
London E8 2FP**

Golden Child of the Week!

Class	Child's Name
Mexico	Adam Chariwala
Pakistan	Fatima Budak
Ireland	Zeynab Khan
Somalia	Fatima Sindha
Bangladesh	Violet Sharp
Ghana	Gabriella Johnson
Barbados	Rohandeep Singh
Poland	Daniel Ewiah
Nigeria	Lily-Mae Johnstone
Spain	Shonoya Sinclair
Brazil	Ayaan Chariwala
Jamaica	Nohaila Hafesji
Turkey	Amandeep Singh
Russia	Joshua Ogunkeye
China	Amari Thomas
India	Kian Jameson

Cake Sales!

A cake sale is a fun and delicious way of raising money for the school, 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 as having fun and engaging with the children.

Please find below dates for the cake sale days:

Spring Term 2019

Year Group	Date
Reception	Friday, 1 st March 2019
Year 5	Friday, 29 th March 2019

Summer Term 2019

Year Group	Date
Year 6	Friday, 17 th May 2019
Nursery	Friday, 14 th June 2019

Class Coffee Mornings

Class coffee mornings will start in the week beginning 17th September 2018. There is one every Monday and Friday at 9:00 am in the canteen. A full timetable is published below. It's a great chance for parents to meet the class teacher and one another. We look forward to seeing you there.

Spring Term 2019

Week Beginning	Class	
	Monday	Friday
04.02.19	Brazil	Poland
Half Term		
04.03.19	Barbados	Ghana
11.03.19	Bangladesh	Jamaica
18.03.19	Ireland	Somalia
25.03.19	Pakistan	Mexico

Summer Term 2019

Week Beginning	Class	
	Monday	Friday
29.04.19	Turkey	Russia
06.05.19	Nigeria	Spain
20.05.19	Ghana	Bangladesh
27.05.19	Jamaica	Brazil
Half Term		
10.06.19	Poland	Barbados
17.06.19	Somalia	Ireland
24.06.19	Mexico	Pakistan

Forest School

All children from **Nursery to Year 2** will participate in Forest School. Forest School is an inspirational process that offers learners regular opportunities to achieve and develop confidence and self-esteem through hands-on learning experiences in a woodland or natural environment. On your child's Forest School day, your child will come to school in their school P.E kit (NOT SCHOOL UNIFORM) and wear it for the whole day.

Pupils will be provided with a light rain jacket to be worn over their coats; however you will need to purchase wellington boots. Also, as winter approaches and the weather gets wetter and colder, please ensure that your child is warmly wrapped up, wearing warm coats, hats, gloves and thermal socks.

The Forest School day for each year is as follows:

Day	Year Group
Monday	Reception
Tuesday	Pakistan Year 1
Wednesday	Mexico Year 2

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.

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Summer Term 2019

Week Beginning	Class
29.04.19	Ireland
13.05.19	Pakistan
Half Term	
10.06.19	India
17.06.19	China

Next Week's Menu:

Week 2:

Monday	Spaghetti Bolognese	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

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

School Uniform Price List

Item	Size	Price
School Uniform		
Performer V-Neck school logo LB	26 – 30	£14.50
Performer V-Neck school logo LB	32 – 34	£15.50
Girl's Cardigan school logo LB	26 – 30	£15.50
Girl's Cardigan school logo LB	32 – 34	£16.50
Innovation Sweatshirt school logo LB	24 – 30	£7.50
P.E Kit		
Child P.E T-Shirt School logo & Monogram LB	5/6 years – 14/15 years	£5.00
Child Hoodie Monogram LB	Small Youth – Extra Large Youth	£10.50
Adult Hoodie Monogram LB	Small Adult – Large Adult	£13.50
Child Zip Front Hoodie Monogram LB	Small Youth – Extra Large Youth	£12.50
Child Forest School Fleece School logo & Monogram LB	5/6 years – 13 years	£11.00
School Bags		
Book Bag	One Size	TBC
Backpack	Small	£8.50
Backpack	Large	£10.50
Monogram		
Various colours	1 cm H Under School logo	£1.75

School Uniform

Please make sure your child starts the year wearing the correct school uniform:

Years 1 - 6

- ✚ White school shirt with top button
- ✚ Red school jumper or cardigan*
- ✚ Grey trousers or school pinafore
- ✚ School tie*
- ✚ Grey socks
- ✚ Black school shoes (no boots)

Early Years

- ✚ School red sweatshirt*
- ✚ White polo top
- ✚ Black tracksuit bottoms – no logos
- ✚ Black trainers – no logos

*These items can be bought from the school office.

P.E. Kit

On your child's P.E. day, your child will come to school in their P.E. kit (NOT SCHOOL UNIFORM) and wear it for the whole day. Your child needs to wear the school's P.E. kit:

- ✚ Black school hoodie* (with your child's name in house colour)
- ✚ House colour t-shirt with your child's name*
- ✚ Plain black jogging bottoms (Leggings, jogging bottoms in other colours or with logos are not acceptable)
- ✚ Black plimsolls or trainers (no logos)

*These can be bought in the school office.

The P.E. day for each year group is as follows:

Day	Year Group
Wednesday	Reception Year 2 Year 4
Thursday	Nursery Year 1 Year 5
Friday	Year 3 Year 6

Term Dates for 2018-19

The Education (School Day and School Year) Regulations (1999) require all maintained schools to open for teaching for 190 days a year, offering 380 sessions. The tables below set out dates for 195 days. Pupils are to be released for a further 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.

We have 2 INSET Days left for the academic year.

Term Dates 2018/2019

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)

Summer 2019			
First Day	Half-Term	Finish	Number of Days
Tuesday, 23 rd April 2019	Monday, 27 th – Friday, 31 st May 2019	Friday, 19 th July 2019	60 days (23 days first half-term, 37 days second half-term)