



Weekly Newsletter Friday April 28th 2023

Message from the Headteacher

This week we had a visit from a Quality Assurance teacher from CUSP. She visited our classrooms and met with children to talk about their learning. She was very impressed with the children's oracy (speaking and listening skills) and the inclusive classrooms that our staff manage. We were very proud to hear this positive feedback about learning at WD.

Important dates 2022-23

Mon 1st May Bank holiday
Tue 2nd May strike closure for N,R, Yr 1, Yr 2 Yr 3 Yr 4

Mon May 8th Bank Holiday for the King's coronation
Tue May 9th- 12th Yr 6 SATs week

Mon May 15th INSET day
Wed 24th May Sports Day
Mon 29th May- Fri 2nd June half term holiday

June/ July Yr 5 and 6 intensive swimming sessions
June 9th-12th Gorsefield
Wed 28th or Thurs 29th June
Eid Al-Adha not confirmed
Fri 30th June summer fayre
Wed 19th July Yr 6 performance
Thur 20th July date last day of term

Autumn term 2023
Mon 4th September School starts tbc

Bank Holiday Closures
Monday 1st May
Monday 8th May

INSET day Closure
Monday May 15th

Staff Updates

Our new Attendance Welfare Advisor, AWA, Ropna, started last Tuesday. She may be in touch with parents if there are concerns about attendance or punctuality.

Women's Safety in the Neighbourhood

Please see the poster below about online safety sessions for women in Bethnal Green May 2nd.

Online Safety

Keeping children safe online is our joint responsibility. Make sure that you have parental controls in place;

Attendance

N- 93%

R- 84%

1- 92%

2- 96%

3- 94%

4- 96%

5- 92%

6- 93%

Well done to Yr 2 and Yr 4. They achieved 96% attendance. Please ensure that your child is in every day so that all classes achieve at least 95%

WD Wrap Around Care

Wrap Around Care (childcare) is available for all children. Contact Florida on the admin email if you want to book sessions. All information is on the website:

[William Davis' Wraparound Care](#)

Oracy Target

Our oracy target this week is:

I can politely build on the views of others: 'Building on that, I'd like to add...'

Please encourage your children to listen to each other and then politely develop ideas themselves.

Children with 100% Attendance in the Spring Term

Please see below for all of the children who attended school every day last term.

Parent Volunteer Class Trips

Please see Annika if you would like to volunteer to support class trips. It is always helpful to have 2-3 additional adults to support.

Support with Parenting

Please see Annika if you are concerned about your child's behaviour at home. Sophie (THEWs) has spaces for 1-1 sessions as well as group sessions.

Strike Closure

The NEU has called a strike day on the 2nd of May. **Yr 6 and Yr 5 will be open but all other classes are closed.**

Parent Sessions

Coffee Morning on Wednesdays 9-10 am in the Parents Rm run by Yasmin- all welcome

Toy Library Thursdays Hoyam and Dilara
Felix Food Project Friday 2:30-3:30 run by Yasmin, Hoyan, Muna

[Food On Our Doorstep - Family Action](#)

Please go to this website for more information about new food scheme for families.

Uniform Stall

Look out for our new monthly uniform stall on a Friday afternoon. Parents, Hoyam and Dilara will be running this.

Parent Sessions

We have a number of parent sessions running this half term. Please see below for the next fortnight:

Wed 3rd May 9:00 am Parent Book event Yr 3

Thurs 4th May 9:00 am Parent Book event Yr 5


Thurs 4th May 9:00 am EYFS parent S&L workshop (1/3) in Rec
Tue 9th May

Yr 4 Football Team

Well done to the Yr 4 football team for getting to the Semi Finals in the E1 Football Tournament.

The game has not yet been scheduled. It would be great if parents could come and support the players!



<p>Parent Volunteer Gardening Our gardening volunteers have to finish; if you would like to help us keep the playground tidy please see Annika.</p> <p>Parent Volunteers Needed to Read in EYFS Could you give time to read with children in Nursery in the mornings? If so please see Charlotte or Annika.</p> <hr/> <p>Fathers and Male Carers Fathers Football at Thomas Buxton Thursday mornings - see Russell/ Annika.</p> <hr/> <p>Yr 6 Gorsefield</p> <p>Please note we have been allocated new dates for Gorsefield over a long weekend Fri June 9th- Mon June 12th. We are grateful for this opportunity.</p> <p>Please ensure all medical and consent forms have been returned by Friday 5th May.</p>	<p>Women's Health and Family Services</p> <p>Brady Centre 192-196 Hanbury Street London E1 5HU To request support or advice, please email support@nour-dv.org.uk</p> <hr/> <p>Reading for Pleasure Are you a member at the Whitechapel Ideas Store? Why not join this weekend and be a regular visitor to borrow books for you and your children.</p> <p>Please use the website to find the opening times: Idea Store Whitechapel</p> <hr/> <p>Family Whole School Trip Do you have any good ideas for a low cost family trip? See Annika or Charlotte. It must be accessible for all ages and all families. Travel must be accessible for parents with buggies and young children; and costs must be minimal to include all.</p>	<p>and that you know the sites and Apps that your children use. Check the school's online safety policy on the website. http://www.williamdavis.org.uk/safeguarding-and-child-protection.html</p> <p>POETRY BY HEART</p> <p>Spring in New Hampshire (1922) by Claude McKay</p> <p>Too green the springing April grass, Too blue the silver-speckled sky, For me to linger here, alas, While happy winds go laughing by, Wasting the golden hours indoors, Washing windows and scrubbing floors.</p> <p>Too wonderful the April night, Too faintly sweet the first May flowers, The stars too gloriously bright, For me to spend the evening hours, When fields are fresh and streams are leaping, Wearied, exhausted, dully sleeping.</p> 
<p>Children with 100% attendance in the spring term: Ayan Nursery Mykah Reception Dawud Reception Amelia Year 1 Sumaiya Year 1 Mariha Year 1 Rudro Year 1 Maryam Year 2 Yasreeba Year 2 Khaira Year 2 Isa Year 2 Abid Year 2 Salimah Year 2 Malikah Year 2 Alma Year 2 Khadija Year 2</p>	<p>Children with 100% attendance in the spring term: Mohammad Year 3 Haneefah Year 3 Suhana Year 3 Musa Year 4 Maheera Year 4 Youcef Year 4 Suhayb Year 4 Uthman Year 4 Arifa Year 4 Ahyan Year 4 Natsnet Year 4 Amber Year 5 Moosa Year 5 Amelia Year 5 Abdullah Year 5 Mashrafe Year 5</p>	<p>Children with 100% attendance in the spring term: Ariana Year 5 Isey Year 5 Elyass Year 6 Aminul Year 6 Sumaya Year 6 Abiir Year 6 Afra Year 6 Saidur Year 6 Sumaiya Year 6 Abdullah Year 6 Md Rahat Year 6 Umar Year 6</p>



Join us for a digital walk around your neighbourhood



These online women's safety walks will be a safe and inclusive space where you can tell us your thoughts and concerns on safety issues across our borough so we can make improvements to benefit everyone.

We will take you for a virtual walk through a neighbourhood and you will be able to point out any areas you think need to be improved. We look forward to seeing you there.

Weavers, Spitalfields & Banglatown
19th April: 10am / 1pm / 7pm



Meeting ID: 374 898
441 968
Passcode: DhxwHu

St Katherine's & Wapping, Shadwell and Whitechapel
21st April: 10am / 12pm / 7pm



Meeting ID: 323 261
195 416
Passcode: kTSBPW

Canary Wharf, Island Gardens and Blackwall & Cubitt Town
3rd May: 10am / 1pm / 7pm



Meeting ID: 335 526
583 350
Passcode: jEWJvM

Bow East, Bow West & Bromley North
20th April: 10am / 1pm / 7pm – school session



Meeting ID: 341 545
448 761
Passcode: yts6Rz

Bethnal Green East & West and Stepney
2nd May: 10am / 1pm / 7pm



Meeting ID: 377 016
662 500
Passcode: bemuDe

Poplar, Limehouse and Lansbury
4th May: 10am / 1pm / 7pm



Meeting ID: 315 302
776 382
Passcode: eXAF6u

Mile End, St Dunstan's and Bromley South
5th May: 10am / 12pm / 7pm



Meeting ID: 336 626
248 096
Passcode: dsn4vG

This is a collaboration between the Strategic Planning and Community Safety Teams to create more inclusive streets and public spaces in Tower Hamlets.



Save the Children

FAMILIES CONNECT

6 Week Workshop for Early Years Parents/Carers

**Learn how play-based activities can
improve your child's educational
achievements.**

Learning
through
Play!

Number
Games!



Good
Listening!

Feelings!

Book
Talk!

William Davies Primary School

Tuesday 9th May

Tuesday 16th May

Tuesday 23rd May

Tuesday 6th June

Tuesday 13th June

Tuesday 20th June

Time: 9.00-10.30 am

(Children will take part in the sessions)