

Welbourne Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been fantastic for all at Welbourne to embrace the arrival of spring. The days are now longer than the nights, and with the weather steadily improving, we can all look forward to what summer brings.

The highlight has been the news that Welbourne has been reaccredited as a unicef Gold Rights Respecting School. We are extremely proud of this achievement and below is more information about what this means for our school.

Other highlights throughout March included welcoming the Youth Health Champions from Willowfield Secondary School, World Book Day, and the educational visits enjoyed by our children.

I am pleased to share with everyone that following necessary repairs, we have had three classroom spaces returned to us. We also look forward to when the middle hall will return for everyone to enjoy after Easter. We thank you all for your continued support over this matter.

Finally, all at Welbourne wish you all a fantastic two week holiday. Whether you are using this as an opportunity to spend valuable time with your loved ones and/or celebrate one of the important festivals that fall at this time of year, we sincerely hope that you are able to have the best time.

Mr R Lane

Together we learn. Together we succeed



WE ARE A UNICEF GOLD RIGHTS RESPECTING SCHOOL



Children's rights are learned, understood and lived in this school.



Well done to our whole school community on supporting us to become re-accredited as a unicef Gold Rights Respecting School! Please click the banner to find out more about this from our website!

Dates for your diary....

- Friday 29th March - Friday 12th April - Easter Holidays
- Monday 15th April - **Children return to school 8:55am**
- Tuesday 2nd April - Friday 5th April - Y6 Easter School
- Tuesday 16th April @ 2:30pm - Parents' Forum
- Monday 22nd April - RSE Parent Materials Viewing - 3:30pm
- Monday 6th May - Bank Holiday
- Tuesday 21st May - Pendarren Parents' Meeting
- Friday 24th May - **INSET Day**
- Monday 27th May - Friday 31st May - Half Term
- Friday 21st June - Sports Day
- Thursday 4th July - Summer Fair
- Wednesday 24th July - Last Day of Term

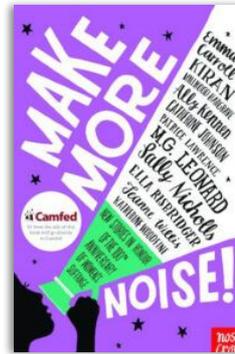


[Link to School's Family First Magazine](#)



Book Recommendation Make More Noise!

'Make More Noise!' is a book created to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the first women in the UK gaining the right to vote. 'Make More Noise!' is a collection of short stories for KS2, written by well-known female authors, including Emma Carroll, M.G. Leonard and Kiran Millwood Hargrave among other celebrated writers. Each story features the strong voice of a real or fictitious female character and has been specially written to celebrate the equality that the Votes For Women campaign represented.



Toys, jewellery & cards

Please be reminded that children must not bring in **any toys, jewellery (other than studs or a watch) cards, money or other objects.** Items may get lost but more importantly they can cause a health and safety risk for other, particularly younger, children.



Class Assemblies

We absolutely love having you in school to watch our Friday class assemblies. Below you will see dates for the Summer 1 class assemblies. These have also been added to the school calendar. **Assemblies start at 9:15am:**

Summer 1 Assemblies:

- 19/04/24 Y3 Zambezi
- 26/04/24 Y2 Seine
- 03/05/24 Y3 Nile
- 10/05/24 Y5 Orinoco
- 17/05/24 Y2 Tagus
- 23/05/24 Y1 Tweed (Thurs)



We hope you can join us!



Educational Visits



Year 2 visited London Zoo to visit the awesome giraffes after reading 'Zeraffa Giraffa'. Gorillas, penguins, meerkats and a rainforest adventure also embedded their learning about animals and their habitats.

Year 5 spent the day at the British Museum investigating the Anglo Saxons and the archeological find at Sutton Hoo.



As part of their learning about animals, for their current science topic, Year 1 had a wonderful time at the London Aquarium, where they got to see and learn about different types of fish.

Reception enjoyed a visit to Freightliners Farm where they extended their learning around Understanding the World. They learnt more about different animals and how to look after them.



Wellbeing Corner

Walking benefits adults and children's well-being by improving physical health, boosting mood through exposure to nature, improving social interactions, and encouraging a sense of exploration and curiosity about the world around them.

As the weather improves this spring, try to explore more of our wonderful borough.



Follow the link below for a guide to walks and walking groups around the paths, parks and open spaces in Haringey

[Haringey - Smarter Travel Walking Guide](#)



Children loved making wooden spoons into their favourite book characters...

We had a fantastic week celebrating books and World Book Day 2024. Children loved dressing up...



Children enjoyed taking part in themed dance workshops!



Wheel and Walk

Thank you to all of the children who made an extra effort while taking part in Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel – the UK's biggest walking, wheeling, scooting and cycling to school challenge. Many children chose to scoot or cycle on more days over the last two weeks which is fantastic for both their health and the environment. Seine class had an amazing 94% active journeys! Let's try our best to keep these healthy habits as the weather gets warmer.



Congratulations!

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO ATTENDED OUR SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR.

Together we have raised... **£76**
for our school to spend on **FREE BOOKS**

SCHOLASTIC

Youth Health Champions

We were delighted to invite Youth Health Champions from Willowfields Secondary school this month. They had worked tremendously hard on a mental and physical



health campaign which they shared in assembly. They also led workshops with our Year 5 pupils.



Home Learning

Congratulations to:

Noah Y6 - Dominic Y5

Steffan Y3 - Maheba Y3 - Maya Y3

Noah Y4 - Darla Y4 - Melanie Y4

For a fantastic effort in their home learning this half term!



Attendance & Punctuality

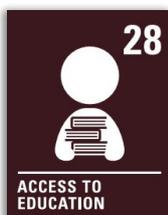
It was good to see that attendance was slightly better this month although we still need to work hard to improve it further so that we reach our target. We will always listen if you feel that we can support you further with your child's attendance.

Class	Lates	Attendance
YR - Thames	10	92.91%
YR - Tyburn	34	90.94%
Y1 - Trent	26	96.19%
Y1 - Tweed	10	94.23%
Y2 - Seine	16	95.47%
Y2 - Tagus	25	94.21%
Y3 - Nile	24	98.25%
Y3 - Zambezi	13	97.06%
Y4 - Ganges	28	94.97%
Y4 - Indus	16	89.95%
Y5 - Amazon	11	96.30%
Y5 - Orinoco	12	95.80%
Y6 - Hudson	31	96.65%
Y6 - Mississippi	13	97.74%
Y6 - Niagara	11	94.74%

Star Attendance of the Month:
Nile

Our Total Attendance of the Month: **95.03%**

Our Total Attendance Target: **96%**



Medical Conditions

Please ensure you contact the school office if your child has a medical condition we do not know about, or if there is any change in your child's condition or medical needs. This includes any changes or alteration to their prescription, or changes in their symptoms. An appointment will be arranged for you to meet with our family support worker who will work with you to complete (or update) their care plan.



How we keep our minds fit, by keeping our bodies fit!

The Welbourne Team know the importance of staying physically active. We know exercise:

- Improves brain function
- Improves sleep
- Reduces levels of anxiety and stress
- Strengthens bones and muscles
- Increases flexibility
- Prevents disease.

Each month we will be showcasing some of the different activities we do to keep fit...

Mr Lane enjoys a range of sports including playing football. If you squint, you might spot him in goal.



Punctuality

Good punctuality at school is essential for pupils to achieve their full educational potential. It is also vital for them to form good habits for later life. Follow the link for a leaflet from Haringey about [punctuality](#).



Walk and Talks are a great way to meet fellow mums, dads,

and carers of children and young people with Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND).



Walk and Talk

Our monthly Walk and Talk - whatever the weather! **This month we're meeting on the second Monday of May.** Afterwards we'll go to a café.

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Please let us know if you have any access requirements - hello@sendpowerinharingey.org

May: Bruce Castle Park



Toilets are not available in this park

Date: Monday 13th May 2024

Meeting point: Bruce Castle Museum (N17 8NU)

Meeting time: 11:30am



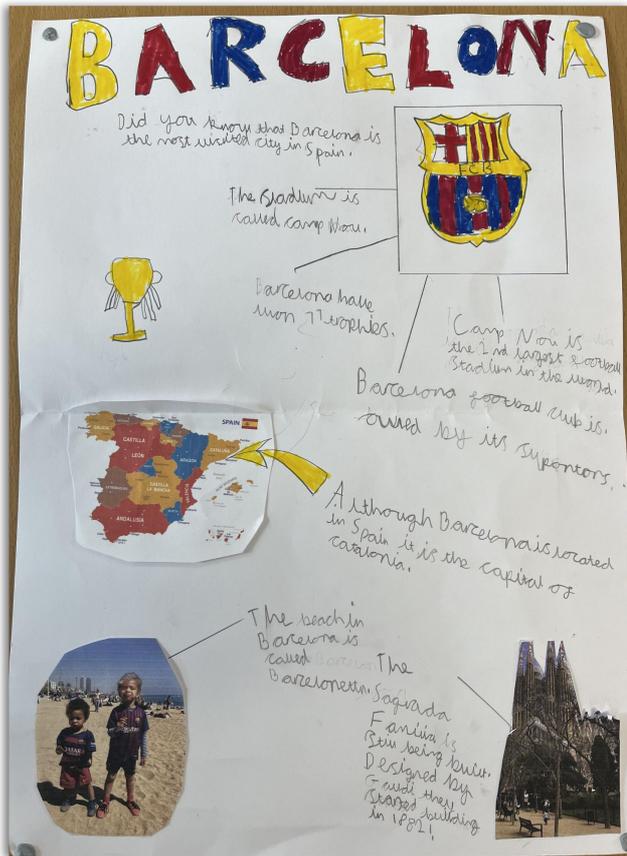
Walk leaders:
Lizzy and Grace

Grace's number: 07549 023657



Home Learning

This month we share with you some great home learning from some of our Y3 children.

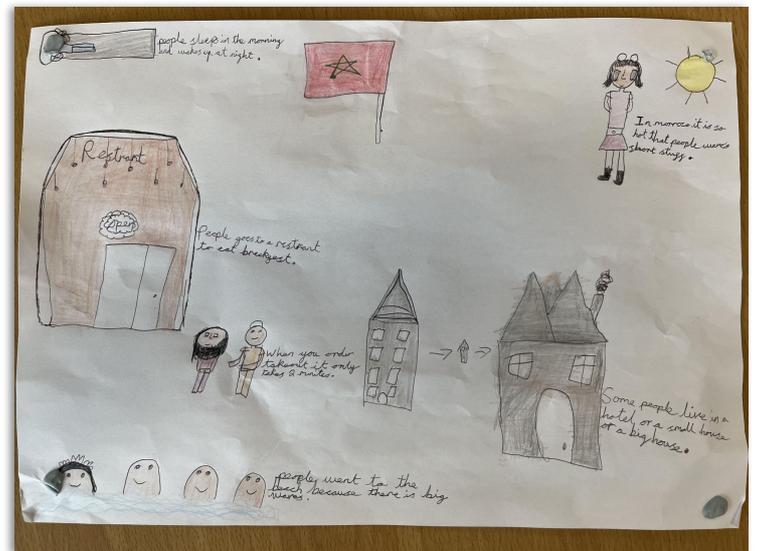


Steffan

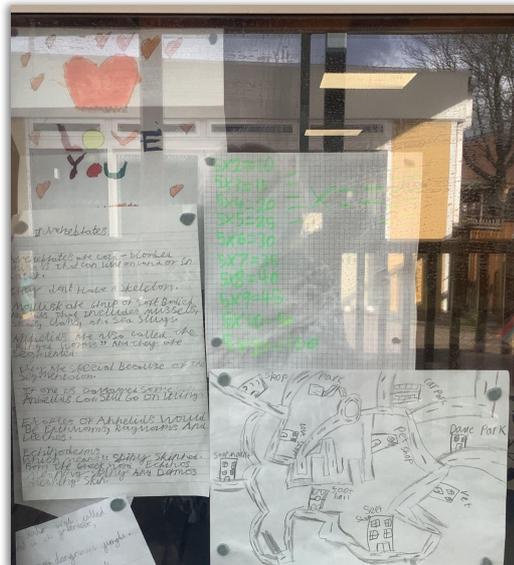
What great pieces of home learning by some of our Y3 children! They completed a task which required them to pick a city (or country) to research as part of settlements for Geography.



Maya



Maheba



Year 2 Seine have done really well bringing lots of their home learning in to share. Have a look at their windows to see what they've been up to.