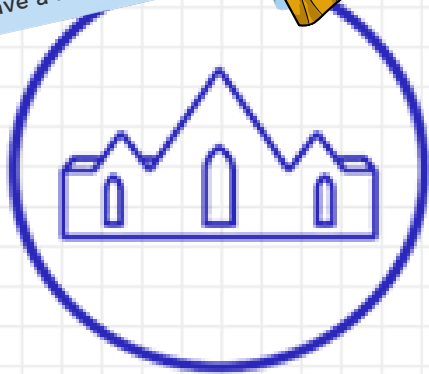


LAST WEEK'S
WHOLE SCHOOL
ATTENDANCE
96.4%



Habt ein schönes Wochenende!
German
Have a nice weekend!



WINNS WEEKLY

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DATES FOR DIARIES W.B. 5.6.2023

Monday 5th June INSET Day - School closed to children

Tuesday 6th June Children return

No after-school activity clubs in the first week
back (tea-time runs as normal)

Please remember to subscribe to [our online calendar](#) so that you receive automatic updates into your own calendar.

YEAR 1 TEDDY BEARS PICNIC

Our year 1 children had a special treat on Wednesday afternoon when they headed over to Lloyd Park for a teddy bears picnic. The children spent the afternoon eating their lunch and playing games with the classmates. Thank you to all the parents who volunteered to help with the event!



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HEAD'S MESSAGE

Dear families,

The sun is shining properly (at last) and I am sure you are all looking forward to the half-term. Hard to believe the end of the school year is in sight!

This half-term is always a busy one in school. Our Year 6 children sat their SATs (assessments at the end of primary school) and wowed us with their resilience, positive attitude and determination. We are all very proud of them. Although exams can be stressful for some children, we work hard to make sure our children learn that having a positive growth-mindset and the confidence to face challenges is a recipe for success – along with hard work of course! Year 6 – you are all AMAZING. We would also like to say thank you to all our school staff who have supported our children so well during this time.

Over the next few weeks, we will be making arrangements for new teachers and classes for September. This year, we have made the decision to mix up our Y2 and Y3 year groups. Please do not be alarmed by this decision – it is very common practice in schools. We think very carefully about how we manage this change and spend lots of time thinking about friendships, personalities and learning needs. We always find that children settle very quickly into their new classes and their circle of friends expands. We will be letting the children know early in Summer 2 who will be in their new class and will also make sure they have time together before the new school year begins.

This week, we sadly said goodbye to Jenny Rouchy, who is retiring after working at the school as a Senior Learning Mentor for 25 years. Jen has supported hundreds of children during her time at The Winns and will be very much missed by children, parents and staff. On behalf of our school community, we would like to send her all our warmest wishes for her retirement and thank her for her many years of service to our school.

Enjoy the break . Looking forward to seeing you all back in school on **Tuesday 6th June**.

Bike Thefts

Recently, we have had two adult size, expensive bikes and an adult size scooter stolen from the school premises. The police are aware and we do have camera footage of the person. We strongly recommend that you lock your bike, especially if it is an expensive bike, but also keep a close eye on it if you are leaving it in the playground while you drop off or collect your child.

Lateness

Recently, we have seen an increasing number of children arrive late to school in the morning . We also have a number of children who are regularly late being collected at the end of the day. Arriving in school late means that your child is missing out on early morning work. They also often find it hard to settle and are embarrassed having to walk in late to their classroom. Office staff have to leave their work and bring children to different parts of the school.

Although we appreciate that emergencies do occasionally happen, we would like to remind families that children need to be in school every day by 9am. Children also need to be collected on time from the school playground.

Thank you for your support.



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WINNS WINDOWS TRAIL 2023 UPDATE!



A grand total of £420 was raised from the Winns Windows trail! A big thanks goes out to **Central Estates** for generously sponsoring this event, with all money going towards new books for the school library. Thank you to all parents and carers who decorated windows, hosted sponsorship signs or joined in the trail, by spotting as many Winns Windows as they could. We look forward to next years trail and communications will come out about it in the New Year.

1EF CLASS ASSEMBLY

1EF wowed children and families alike on Wednesday morning when they performed their class assembly. They showcased their recent learning which had been based on the book Astro Girl. The children showed us some of their writing about what they want to be when they grow up, as well as sharing some astronaut-related facts that they had learnt. Well done to all the children who delivered their lines so well and to Miss Fuller and Ms. Carmela who prepared the children brilliantly. Thank you as always to the families that came along to support their children.



RCS CLASS ASSEMBLY

RCS performed their very first class assembly on Thursday to a packed hall of families and other Reception children. We found out all about their learning around the story Monkey Puzzle by Julia Donaldson. We saw some amazing writing about favourite animals as well as some incredible artwork. The children even wowed the audience with some songs that they had been learning. Well done children, Miss Smith and Miss Saida for putting together such a lovely assembly. Thank you also to all the families that were in the audience supporting their children.



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MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK

Over the last few days, we have marked Mental Health Awareness Week in school. The children spent time in their classes and also in phase assemblies discussing what mental health is and what to do if you need help with your mental health. Each week in school we receive a visit from a team of mental health support workers, who are on hand to speak to any children or staff who need support. We now also have a team of playground buddies from years 4 & 5 who have received training in supporting their peers during play times and lunch times. Mental Health Awareness Week is promoted by the Mental Health Foundation and this year's theme is 'anxiety'. For more information, [please visit their website](#).



QUAD KIDS ATHLETICS

This week, teams of children from years 3, 4, 5 & 6 competed at the Waltham Forest Quad Kids Athletics event at The Feel Good Centre track. Each athlete competes in four events (a sprint race, a long distance race, standing long jump and howler throw), earning points for their overall team score. In total there are three days of competition, with around 40 schools from across the borough taking part. All the children represented the school brilliantly and acquitted themselves superbly, and we now await the final day of competition after half term to find out our final placings. Next up will be our teams of year 1 and 2 children who compete in June.



Our year 3 (in white) and year 4 (in yellow) Quad Kids teams



Our year 5 (front row) and year 6 (back row) Quad Kids teams



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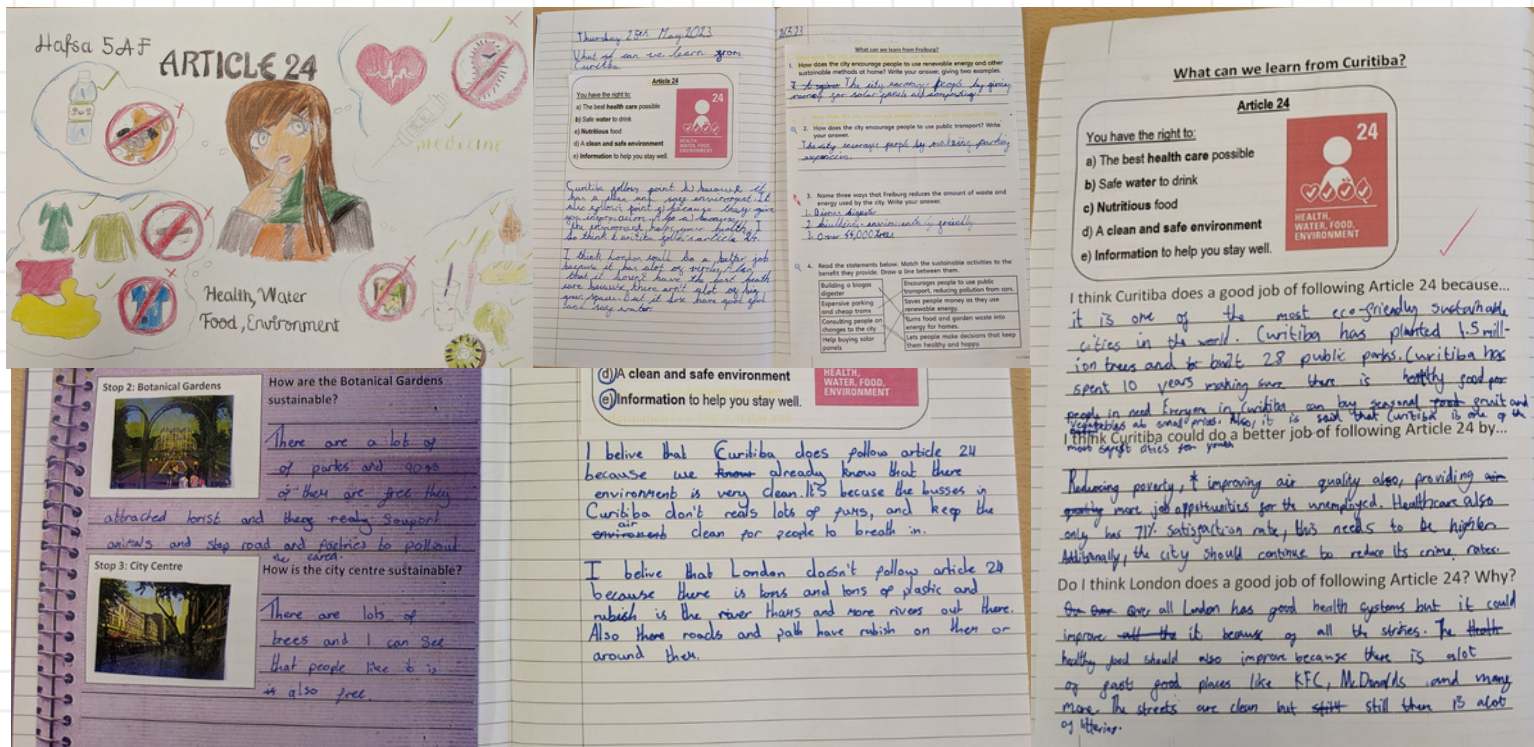
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RIGHTS RESPECTING SCHOOLS

Over the last month, we have been continuing our work as a Right Respecting School, focusing on Article 24. Our children have produced a range of work that links to this article.



ARTICLE 24: YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO THE BEST HEALTH CARE POSSIBLE, SAFE WATER TO DRINK, NUTRITIOUS FOOD, A CLEAN AND SAFE ENVIRONMENT, AND INFORMATION TO HELP YOU STAY WELL.



SCHOOL LIBRARY WISHLIST

Thank you very much to those families who have already donated books to our library through our wishlist - we are very grateful! The children have loved seeing the new titles in the library and we have now received over 40 individual books as donations, which is amazing! There are some extra titles being added to our list based on suggestions from the children ranging from graphic novels to adventure series, so they will have even more choice when they visit our library.

We have partnered with A New Chapter bookshop, who are hosting a wish list of books that parents and families are able to purchase as a donation to the school. If this is something that you feel you are able to do, please do take a look at the [wishlist](#) on [A New Chapter's website](#). As soon as a donation is made, the books are couriered to the school and will be added to our stock straight away.





Winns
WORLD
fest
FREE ENTRY

SATURDAY 1 JULY, 12-3PM

STREET FOOD & BAR * RAFFLE

TOMBOLA * BOUNCY CASTLE

NEARLY NEW TOYS & BOOKS

PLANT SALE * BEAUTY BAR

POKEMON SCAVENGER HUNT

CRAFTS * FESTIVAL T-SHIRTS

& LOADS OF GAMES!



Come and join our big celebration at

The Winns Primary School, Elphinstone Road entrance, E17 5ET!

Featuring stalls, food, games and entertainment, from different communities within our school. We can accept cash or cards at the event.

A LOCAL CHARITY NEEDS OUR HELP!

The Together Project was set up by Louise Goulden, mum to Heath, when she was on maternity leave (pictured below at a local care home in 2017). They are one of 5 finalists up for a prize of £40,000 in The People's Projects; the funding would allow them to launch five of their intergenerational Songs & Smiles music groups in the local area, bringing young children, their parents/guardians and older people in care homes together to have fun and make friends. Winners are decided by public vote, so please vote for them at <https://www.thepeoplesprojects.org.uk/projects/view/songs-smiles> and spread the word!

Help a local charity win £40,000 to spread joy & reduce loneliness!

Vote for Walthamstow charity, **The Together Project** to win National Lottery funding so we can roll out our intergenerational Songs & Smiles music groups to east London care homes. Thank you!

Click to:

VOTE NOW

The Together Project CIO, registered charity 1192175





**TREASURE
OUR
YOUTH**



YOUTH SPACE

delivered by Treasure me Kids London


Our Youth space welcomes 9 – 12-year-olds. It's a safe & secure space for children to learn new skills, encourage community friendships, have chill time while enjoying plenty of FUN! Children will have access to positive leadership, a hot nutritious meal, along with a variety of activities each week, such as: Art & Crafts, Cooking skills, Indoor sports, homework support, traditional & electronic games. We will also provide access to a variety of taster activities.



**Delivered every Tuesday during term
time**

Tuesday 9th May - 20th June 2023

For ages 9 – 12 Years



Entry Time: 4:15 pm
Sessions Start: 4:30 pm
Sessions End : 6:30 pm

Walthamstow Children & Family Centre
313 Billet Road, Walthamstow, E17 5PX



Join Us/ Register Your Interest

Contact: 0208 496 3511

Email: Nicola.george@walthamforest.gov.uk



ACTIVITIES

**Indoor Sport Games/Gaming/Arts & Crafts/Cooking/Homework Support
+ Much More**

Hot food provided

Have fun, make friends and enjoy learning new skills



Help your child grow and thrive! Family Learning



Our family learning programme delivers a variety of courses, workshops and events both in person, online and at different venues in Waltham Forest - courses and workshops are free for families.

List of upcoming courses / workshops

Course Title	Venue	Date	Time	Day
Let's Explore Recycled Arts and Crafts and Create an elephant lamp	Walthamstow Library	2.6.2023	10:00–12:00 pm	Thursday
Let's Explore Recycled Arts and Crafts and Create an elephant lamp	Leyton Family Hub Queens Road E17	3.6.2023	10:00 – 12:00 pm	Friday
After School Maths Club	Queens road learning centre	6.6.2023 - 18.7.2023	3.30 - 5.30pm	Tuesday
Parenting Calm Parents, Calm Children	ONLINE	14.6.2023 – 12.7.2023	7:30-9:00pm	Wednesday
Parenting Calm Parents, Calm Children	Leyton Family Hub Queens Road E17	15.6.2023 – 13.7.2023	10-12pm	Thursday
Families plant a seed and let it grow	The Lloyd Park centre	24.6.2023	10-12pm	Saturday
Families Let's explore nature inspired art	The Lloyd Park centre	24.6.2023	1-3pm	Saturday
Create a nature inspired crown	Kukoolala Coffee shop Jubilee Park	15.7.2023	11 -1pm	Saturday
If you have any questions regarding family learning activities, please contact – cherie.cowan-smith@walthamforest.gov.uk Curriculum Manager Family Learning				

Enrol now through our website - www.lbwfadultlearning.co.uk
For more information email adult.learning@walthamforest.gov.uk



FREE CARNIVAL WORKSHOPS

Free Carnival workshops

Inspiration Arts invites you to participate in our Free Carnival arts workshops.

About Us

We use experienced workshop leaders to work with all members of the community to create an environment where cultural and artistic exchange is free flowing and reflects the ethos of real Caribbean carnival culture in the UK.



About The Workshop:

- Our skilled and lovely experts will guide you through the creative process step by step.
- No prior skill or experience is required just a willingness to learn!
- Join us and have the opportunity to create amazing masks and headdresses.

Join Us

Monday 17th July - Friday 21st July

Address: (W.F.A.L.S) Queens Road
97 Queens Road, London E17 8QR

Time: 12pm - 4pm

Monday 24th July - Friday 28th July

Address: The Junction Centre
2-4 Cathall Rd, London E11 4LF

Time: 12pm - 4pm

JOIN US FOR

SUMMER STARTS HERE



**YOU'RE INVITED TO
AN AFTERNOON OF
FUN FOR ALL AGES**

**LANGTHORNE PARK
FESTIVAL**

**LANGTHORNE PARK:
E11 4YG LEYTONSTONE**

**10 JUNE
FROM
12-4PM**



**ON THE DAY YOU WILL BE ABLE TO
CONNECT TO LOCAL GROUPS,
BUSINESSES AND ORGANISATIONS
TO SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING LOCALLY
AND HOW TO GET INVOLVED.**



LIVE MUSIC AND DANCE

FACE PAINTING

**ROLLER DISCO
(BRING YOUR OWN SKATES)**

**FREE THROW BASKETBALL
COMPETITION AT 2PM**

**CHILDREN AND FAMILY CRAFT
ACTIVITIES**

ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECTS

HEALTH CHECKS

FREE HENNA TATTOOS

ACTIVITY TASTER SESSIONS

STORYTELLING

YOUTH BUS

**DR BIKE
(FREE BIKE CHECK AND MOT)**

FOOD STALLS

BOUNCY CASTLE

**COMMUNITY LARDER
DROP OFF POINT
(IN DATE DRY GOODS AND TINS)**

**PLUS MANY MORE ACTIVITIES,
STALLS AND OPPORTUNITIES**

**PLEASE BOOK
YOUR ROLLER
DISCO SPOT HERE:**



WALTHAM FOREST

MY NEIGHBOURHOOD

LEYTONSTONE

E11



Holy Trinity and
St Augustine of Hippo
Harrow Green



Waltham Forest

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You can take part in our free programme if you are 19 or older.

- ✓ Manage your money, budget and bills
- ✓ Help children with their maths homework
- ✓ Use practical maths for shopping
- ✓ Play games like chess and have fun learning maths
- ✓ Learn maths for your job or business
- ✓ Study for a GCSE or other formal qualification.

Find out how Multiply can help you

- Phone: 020 8496 2974
- Email: Multiply@WalthamForest.gov.uk
- Website: bit.ly/WFALS-Multiply

Free event

Summer fun with numbers

Come along for an exciting afternoon
all about numbers!

1pm–5pm, Saturday 17 June 2023
Fellowship Square, Waltham Forest Town Hall,
Forest Road, London E17 4JF



- ✓ Games
- ✓ Competitions
- ✓ Performances
- ✓ Workshops