

Bonfire Night STEM Challenge!

Remember, remember the 5th of November... Saturday 5th November is Guy Fawkes Day (Bonfire Night). Have a go at one (or more) of these challenges as you celebrate over the weekend! Take pictures and upload onto Seesaw for your teacher to see!



Fireworks on a Plate

Pour some full fat milk onto a plate and add drops of food colouring in three different colours. Put a squeeze of washing up liquid onto a cotton bud and put it into the middle of the plate. Watch the colours swirl and mix.



Shadow Story

Make your own shadow puppets by cutting out silhouettes on black card and attaching them to wooden lolly sticks. Use your puppets and a torch to retell the story of Guy Fawkes.



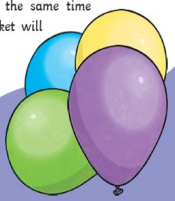
Firework Biscuits

Use tubes of different coloured decorating icing to decorate plain biscuits with firework patterns.



Balloon Rocket Race

Blow up a balloon using a balloon pump. On a countdown, release your balloon rocket at the same time as your teammates. Whose rocket will travel furthest?



PTA Year 3 and 4 Disco

The PTA have organised a Disco for pupils in Years 3 & 4 on **Friday 11th November**. The disco starts 6.30pm - 8.30pm, tickets cost £5 and includes 2 x packets of crisps, unlimited drink and professional DJ Mr Zippy! Tickets can be bought on the night.



The next disco will take place on:

Thursday 24th November for Years 5 & 6 from 6.30pm - 8.30pm

Mr Zippy will also host a party games /entertainment event on Wednesday 14th December for Years 1 & 2 from 3.30pm - 5.00pm.

If you are available to help at any of these events please email the PTA at pta@clpwortham.org.uk

Anti-Bullying Week 14th November



Chase Lane are going to be taking part in Anti-Bullying week, which will be running from Monday 14th to Friday 18th November 2022.

To celebrate anti bullying week, we are asking children to come to school on **Wednesday 16th November** with either a homemade t-shirt/ hat or poster, which has an anti-bullying slogan designed on it. We would like you to be as creative as possible whether this is using felt tip pens on an old t-shirt or using a cereal box and turning it into a placard. Click the link below for some ideas on different t- shirt design techniques:

<https://nurturestore.co.uk/kids-crafts-design-a-tshirt>

Children in Need (CiN)

Children in Need will fall within anti-bullying week on Friday 18th November.

As the children will already be coming to school in non-uniform that week, we will not be doing anything for Children in Need (CiN). However, if you wish to donate to CiN you can make a donation via ParentPay.



Forgotten Sacrifice

Black History month ended at the start of this week. As we enter the month of November we begin to think about **Remembrance Day** which is on Friday 11th November. During the Second World War the total forces of Britain, the Commonwealth and the then British Empire totalled just over 12.6 million. 6.5 million came from the UK and over 6.1 million came from the Commonwealth and Empire - in addition, the Commonwealth and Empire provided vast levels of financial and material support that were crucial to the Allied war effort.

But what is what is Remembrance?

Remembrance is an act of honouring those who serve, or have served, to defend our democratic freedoms and way of life

- Remembrance does not glorify war and its symbol, the red poppy, is a sign of both Remembrance and hope for a peaceful future

Who and what we Remember?

- The service and sacrifice of the Armed Forces community from Britain and the Commonwealth
- The special contribution of families and of the emergency services,
- We acknowledge innocent civilians who have lost their lives in conflict and acts of terrorism

So why do we remember?

- As thanks - It is a chance for individuals, communities and the nation to honour those who serve and sacrifice to defend our way of life and who gave their today for our tomorrow.
- To bring communities together - Communities across Britain irrespective of religion, race or ethnicity share a history of service and sacrifice from the two World Wars through to the present day. Remembrance is a time to reflect on what we have in common.

In 2020 the Royal British Legion and British Future launched a project with British Future called Forgotten Sacrifice, its purpose was to help ensure that the service and sacrifice of people from communities across Britain is recognised, that all feel able to take part in Remembrance activities, and to ensure all who served are fully recognised through better education, commemoration and documentation of our shared history.

Men and women of different backgrounds, colours and creeds came from across the Commonwealth have, for over one hundred years, played a crucial role in defending the freedoms we enjoy today.



Afternoon Nursery Places

A rare opportunity has arisen and Chase Lane Nursery have a small number of afternoon nursery places available. Afternoon nursery runs from 12:25- 3:25pm. If you, or someone you know, has a child who is 3 and is due to start Reception in September 2023 they could be eligible for a fully funded 15 hours place. If you require a nursery application form please request one from the school office or



Parent Consultations w/c 28th November

Parents Consultations will take place at the end this month for the whole school; Nursery - Year 6 on **Monday 28th November** and **Thursday 1st December** in school. Parents are reminded to book your slot via the SchoolPing app by **Monday 14th November**. If you have trouble booking your slot, please contact the school office.



Waltham Forest Residents' News

Click the links below to views the latest Waltham Forest residents' news: <https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/UKWALTHAM/bulletins/3353a79>

Diary Dates

Any additions/changes to the diary dates are highlighted in **purple** text

Tuesday 8th November	8.30am Elm class QE Hunting Lodge trip
Tuesday 8th November	11.30am Beech class QE Hunting Lodge trip
Wednesday 9th November	8.30am Sequoia class QE Hunting Lodge trip
Wednesday 9th November	9.00am Behaviour Surgery
Friday 11th November	9.15am Reception 2023 Parent Tours
Friday 11th November	6.30pm - 8.30pm Years 3 and 4 Disco
Monday 14th November - Friday 18th November Anti-Bullying week	
Wednesday 16th November	Non-uniform Day. Bring t-shirt or placard with anti bullying slogan
Friday 18th November	9.15am Reception 2023 Parent Tours
Friday 18th November	2.30pm - 3.30pm School Nurse Drop-In
Monday 21st November	Year 6 Height & Weight checks
Wednesday 23rd November	8.40 am Acacia & Baobab class Discovery Centre trip
Thursday 24th November	8.40am Sassafras class Discovery Centre trip
Thursday 24th November	Last Year 6 Booster
Thursday 24th November	6.30pm - 8.30pm Year 5 & 6 Disco
Friday 25th November	INSET Day - School closed
Monday 28th November	Nursery -Year 6 Parent Consultations
Thursday 1st December	Nursery - Year 6 Parent Consultations
Thursday 8th December	Year 3 trip to Verulamium Museum
Friday 9th December	2.30pm - 3.30pm School Nurse Drop-In
Wednesday 14th December	3.30pm-5pm Years 1 & 2 party games /entertainment with Mr Zippy
Friday 16th December	School closes 1 hour earlier than usual

Writers of the Week

Starting this week will be including feature introduced last year in our newsletters - **Writers of the Week**.

For one week each term, a different year group will select 3 writers of a range of abilities from across their 3 classes who they feel have done exceptionally well in their writing that week. The children selected will have achieved their own personal best in their writing and this is an opportunity to showcase their amazing work!

Additionally each winner will also receive a special pen and will have the opportunity to share their written work in an assembly. We look forward to sharing all of their fantastic writing! This week our writers come from Year 6.

Abdullah in Aspen class
Maia in Oak class
Haadi in Olive class

We congratulate them on being superstar writers! Check out their writing on pages 3 - 8.



Community Help



It's no secret or shame that the current cost of living crisis is affecting us all. Food Cycle Walthamstow FoodCycle Walthamstow welcomes anyone to attend as a guest and enjoy a **FREE** hot meal. No need to book. Just turn up on the day!

Location: St Mary's Welcome Centre, Church End, Walthamstow, E17 9RH

Day: Thursdays

Time: 6.30pm

For more information and to share this wonderful resources with anyone you know may need it, click the link below:

<https://foodcycle.org.uk/location/foodcycle-walthamstow/#>

Attendance 17th October – 21st October 2022

The following classes for achieving the highest attendance percentage in their Year Groups :- over 96%. The minimum target for attendance each week as set by the Government is 96%.

Year Group	Class	Attendance %
Year 3	Cherry	97.6
Year 4	Sequoia	97.9
Year 5	Willow	96.9
Year 6	Oak	100%



During the above period our overall school attendance was 94.8%. Well done to **Oak** class for having **100%** attendance.

Joke of the Week

Q. What is the best Salad to serve on Guy Fawkes night?

A. Rocket!



WEEK 2 School Dinner Menu for w/b 7th November 2022

Autumn/Winter Menu 2022/23 week 2	Monday	Save The Planet Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
CHOICE 1	Jackfruit Jambalya (ve)	"Riverley school favourite" Buttered No Chicken (Cauliflower) (ve)	Jerk Chicken	Sticky Tofu (ve)	MSC Golden Crumb Fish Fingers with a Lemon Twist
CHOICE 2	Oven Roasted Vegetable Sausage with Caramelised Onions & Gravy (V)	Spicy Tomato & Vegetable Pasta Bake (v)	Homemade Cheddar Cheese & Pepper Quiche (v)	Roasted Vegetable Biryani (v)	Smokey Cheese & Cherry Tomato Pasta (ve)
CHOICE 3	Oven Roasted Chicken Sausage with Caramelised Onions & Gravy	Jacket Potato (ve) with Various Fillings	Sweet Potato & Chickpea Curry (ve)	Beef Bolognaise	MSC Lemon Crumb Salmon Fillet with a Lemon Twist
Sides	Creamy Mashed Potato	Savoury Mixed Rice	Rice & Peas Saute Potatoes	Mixed Rice Pasta Spirals	Oven Baked Chips
Vegetables	Fresh Seasonal Organic Carrots Green Beans	Fresh Seasonal Broccoli Sweetcorn	Garden Peas Vegetables Mixed	Sweetcorn Roasted Parsnip	Baked Beans Grilled Tomatoes
Salads	Salad Selection	Salad Selection	Salad Selection	Salad Selection	Salad Selection
Desserts	Chocolate Cracknel & Custard	Fruity Flapjack (ve)	Fruit Jelly Pot (ve)	Cheese & Crackers	Iced Lemon & Lime Courgette Muffin (ve)
DAILY	Organic Fruit Yogurt with Seasonal Fresh Fruit	Fresh Fruit Salad	Organic Fruit Yogurt with Seasonal Fresh Fruit	Organic Fruit Yogurt with Seasonal Fresh Fruit	Organic Fruit Yogurt with Seasonal Fresh Fruit
DAILY	Seasonal Fresh Fruit	Seasonal Fresh Fruit	Seasonal Fresh Fruit	Seasonal Fresh Fruit	Seasonal Fresh Fruit
Bread	Homemade Bread	Homemade Bread	Homemade Bread	Homemade Bread	Homemade Bread

Chase Lane Writer of the Week

Name: Abdallah

Class: ASPen

AS Willie explored the train station a bit more a billiting officer came to see him and some other children to put them with their new guardians. Willie's mother had said that she'd wanted Willie to have a house next to a church.

When Willie was the last child remaining, the billiting officer knocked firmly on the door of an average-sized home. Out of the shadows came Mr. Tom Oakly. Willie was very anxious seeing what the experience would be like but he was ready!

"Would you like to eat some toast?" Muttered Tom underneath his breath.

"Um, yes please," Shivered Willie.

"Here. I will mark for where you can put your things," Tom grunted.

Willie felt cold but the heat of the breakfast warmed

him up a bit. He had never eaten anything like it; he felt astounded.

"Um Willie, I 'ave to go to the market to buy some ^{food} uh, Food," Tom said quietly.

"Uh Mr Tom, I am going to play outside as well, I will meet you later," Willie replied.

Willie was feeling delighted to be with someone who actually did care for him. He was going to love it here and he was hoping he would make some friends. He was thinking that there would be more things to do but he still really missed De London and his mother.

Chase Lane Writer of the Week

Name: Maia Romero Breslin Class: Oak

Nothing. Just a forgotten city completely overtaken by nature. The dangerous eerie silence crept up on me like a ghost city moaning for mercy in my ears. The city, abandoned and crumbling, stood like a silent graveyard waiting impatiently to be awoken from a curse. Glumly, slowly decaying, browning walls of the once - empire like skyscrapers now in shameful ruins weeping not in tears, but in weeds bursting through cracks that used to be perfectly smoothed bricks. My heart pounded like a machine gun while birds who had given up hope squawked alarmingly like war-cries. Every step was a booming echo on the dry, split ground threatening to drop, while every breath was an earthquake that shook the fragile walls suffocated by vines. The air was a dead gasp like the dust and grub out of under an ancient carpet untouched for a thousand years. Time spiralled in my head, every minute, every second knocking my life to pieces. BANG! Frantically, I clutched my fists tightly, my only hope clinging to my aching heart desperately. I had to find it. The rusted, metal crate landed with a deagening clatter while I jumped down to my feet and held my breath, the box rattling open.

Chase Lane Writer of the Week

Name: Haadi Nailah Sham Class: Olive

As Willie stared out of the window, he saw a flock of sheep and cows and lots of other animals. He started smelling a rather nauseous scent. Ewww! It was manure. He had never smelt manure before, but the sight of greenery and views were beautiful. All of a sudden, the train came to a halt, all the evacuees got off and met their billeting officer. Slowly, Willie stepped off the rusty, ancient train and saw a plump billeting officer with red auburn hair tied up in a bun.

In a military formation, they marched in a single file line. Whilst, the lady delivered the other children to their new foster homes Willie was agape by the lack of people. Willie was the last one to be delivered. Loudly, the billeting officer knocked on the door because she had to give Mr Tom his evacuee. Mr Tom stomped downstairs as loud as a gorilla. He yanked the door open. As giant as a bear, Mr Tom stood in front of the tiny, timid boy.

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"How dare you open me ~~door~~ door at 'is bur!" Tom Shouted furiously. He was smoking in his bacci and the smoke was dancing around the house. He grunted at the lady.

"Well Mr Oakly, this is your evacuee, William Beech," exclaimed the billeting officer.

"Oh yeah, come in boy," mumbled Mr Tom with his bacci in his mouth. He barged the door close. He looked at the scared, skinny boy who had scars and bruises all over himself. The boy was a gaunt, ~~the~~ skeleton, wchin boy. William gazed in ~~awe~~ awe at the plump, old man. He had a massive beard.

"Uh, hang yer coat and bag 'ere boy," exclaimed Mr Tom. Slowly, the timid boy hanged his coat and his bag on the peg slowly and then stood with his head to the floor.

"You can sit down on the chair next to the table and I'll go make some bacon and potatoes for ya to eat as ya must be starvin' after a journey like that," babbled Mr Tom. Willie

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Sat down and waited patiently for his food. He noticed an amazing smell from the food and wondered what it would taste like. It started making his tongue watery. Tom gave Willie his plate. It was very hot thought Willie but, he decided to not say as his mother said that complaining about food is a sin. He had a nibble of the bacon and was astounded to the loving taste. He had five more ~~bite~~ bites but was already full.

What kind of food was this that makes you full so quickly thought Willie. Mr Tom stared at the boy.

"If you had enough then I'll have it," murmured Tom glaring at the boy.

"Thank you... Mr Oakly," mumbled the insipid boy.

"Oh no no no! Please do not call me Mr Oakly, you may call me Mr Tom out of no where.

"Sorry, Sir," murmured the boy in his turn. Tom gave Willie some fresh water. Willie had a Sip.



Chingford Satellite Music School



1-2-1 Music Lessons

Learn to play guitar, cello, drum kit or sing in one to one lessons with professional music teachers. In lessons children will develop instrumental/vocal technique and can work towards goals such as Grade Exams and performances. Suitable for children at any level - beginners welcome!

Wednesdays from 4pm

1-1 lessons held at Chingford C of E Juniors, E4 7BP

Contact Waltham Forest Music Service for times, fees and booking

Scan QR code



Early Help Community Drop-In

Our Early Help Community Drop-In is here.

It's a place where everyone can come to get friendly support and information from local volunteers, community organisations and Waltham Forest Early Help teams in an informal space.

We can help you with information about local services, support for parents, community activities, and help to use online services and more.

Can you help?
You can find out how to volunteer here:



Drop in from 9:45-11:15am

TUESDAY
LEYTON
CHILDREN AND
FAMILY CENTRE HUB

215 QUEENS ROAD, E17 8PJ

WEDNESDAY
CHINGFORD
CHILDREN AND
FAMILY CENTRE HUB

5 OAKS GROVE, E4 4EY

THURSDAY
WALTHAMSTOW
CHILDREN AND
FAMILY CENTRE HUB

313 BILLET ROAD, E17 5PX

FRIDAY
LEYTONSTONE
CHILDREN AND
FAMILY CENTRE HUB

2-8 CATHALL ROAD, E11 4LF

Community Competition



WIN a £20 Aldi Voucher in Aldi's drawing competition.

Good news! Your new Aldi Chingford store will open on
Thursday 10 November 2022 at
Cork Tree Retail Park, Chingford, London, E4 8JA

To celebrate, Aldi have launched an exciting new
drawing competition for kids. Here's how to enter:

- Take a sheet of A4 paper
- Draw a picture of what healthy eating means to you
- Submit your drawing to your teacher
- Entries close Monday 7 November 2022

The winning drawing in your school will be announced in
a special School Assembly on **Thursday 10 November 2022**.

Sign up to getseteatfresh.co.uk/register
to learn more about fresh, healthy food.

Terms and conditions.

Entry is open to any year group. One entry per child. Each Primary School will judge their winning drawing and submission in the special assembly. The prize of a £20 Aldi voucher will be sent home to the winning child's family.



Protect your child against polio

Get the polio booster vaccine available for children
aged one to nine years.



Polio has been detected locally. The NHS has advised all children in London aged one to nine get a polio vaccine to protect them against the potential spread of the virus.



Available in addition to your child's regular polio vaccination schedule, unless they have had a polio vaccine within the last 12 months.



The polio vaccine is safe, has been used for over 70 years, and is the best way to protect your child against disease.

Your GP practice will contact eligible families.
Alternatively, visit nhs.uk/poliosites to find your
local polio vaccination clinic.

