



A member of the Harlington and Sundon Academy Trust
SPRING TERM 2021 NEWSLETTER
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Our March Value is Perseverance

Dear Parents and Carers,

Living the Values

This week we have started to think about our new value Perseverance. We started by looking at the meaning of perseverance and how important it is to persevere with challenging tasks without giving up! During lockdown while managing their home learning has your child made a huge effort to get a difficult task done? Can they stick with difficult challenges and not give up? If your child shows the value of perseverance or any of our other values, please continue to share these with your child's class teacher.

Return to School

We look forward to welcoming all pupils back to school on Monday the 8th March. Please see below Measures for arriving and leaving school- Staggered timings. These measure are in place so that we avoid large gatherings at the school gate as well as keeping different groups apart.

Unfortunately, parents will not be able to come onto our school site. The start and finish times for each class are below. Please be punctual with keeping to these timings. These staggered start and finish times will not reduce the overall teaching time as we will adjust lunchbreaks accordingly. Only one parent or carer to bring and collect children from school please. Parents are **not** permitted to use the car park unless exceptional circumstances which has been discussed and agreed with school. Children must stay with their adult at all times and not mix with other families whilst waiting to come into school. Do please explain this to your child.

Families with sibling must use the later time to arrive and the earlier time for collection and teachers will release children out onto our playground to stand with their sibling/s. Please **do not send children earlier** and be prompt with timings to ensure the flow of movement and people at the gate.

Harlington	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Start	9.00am	8.55am	8.55am	8.50am	8.50am
Finish	3.10pm	3.15pm	3.20pm	3.25pm	3.30pm

HVPS / Wrap Around Care Information

From Monday 8th March, Wrap Around Care sessions will be available after school on the following days for children in Oak, year 2 and Year 3.

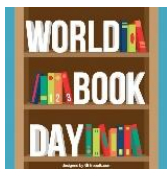
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday until 6.00pm and Thursday and Friday until 5.00pm

Unfortunately due to maintaining social distancing in year groups, we are unable to offer sessions for year 1 and 4 at this time. The after school WAC sessions are run from The Conifers building behind lower school by the friendly and experienced pre-school staff who are qualified to Level 3 in Childcare or above. Your child will be collected at the appropriate time for their year group.

We do have spaces until 5pm for £7.25 or 6pm for £9.25. Children are provided with a meal such as jacket potatoes, cheese or beans on toast or pasta along with fresh fruit. We have plenty of outdoor space and equipment along with a large choice of games and activities. The children will remain in their year groups whilst at WAC. Unfortunately, we are unable to operate breakfast club at the moment due to current Covid measures.

If you would like your child to attend WAC on a regular basis or on an ad-hoc sessional basis, please e-mail wac@harlingtonvillagepreschool.org.uk

HVPS/WAC TEAM



World Book Day 25th March 2021



We recognise the importance of reading and wish to celebrate this with all the children when they return to school, so this year **we will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 25th March, Children (and adults in school) are encouraged to dress as one of their favourite book characters for the day.**

FHLSA

FHLSA will be running the popular Mother's Day sale in school on Friday 12th March. Each child will be invited to visit a pop-up shop in their classroom where they will be able to choose a small gift. Please complete the attached form and return by email to fhlsa99@gmail.com.

Please do not send payment into school.

100 Club March winners

1st - number 34 Felicity Horlick-Coutts (Oak)

2nd - number 15 Toby Tyler.

Vacancies

Harlington Upper School are currently seeking a Head of Year to join them in September 2021. Please see the vacancies page on the school website for more information <https://www.harlington.org/our-school/vacancies>

Attachments

Caterlink Spring Menu starting 8th March week 3