

Cherry Lane Newsletter

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Have a wonderful Christmas Break. Please do not forget to order your child's lunch for the return to school, the deadline is Wednesday 1st January.

Dates for the Diary-January

Friday 20th December – END OF TERM - School finishes at 2pm

Monday 6th January – Children back to school

Monday 13th January – Year 5 History workshop

Please see added training days to term dates below & year group newsletters.

We communicate with parents through ParentPay, either by email or text message please ensure your contact information is up to date so you do not miss important information.



We would like to say a huge thank you for all your support and donations, we raised an amazing £2368.00 at our Christmas Fair.

AIRPORT BOWL
BAR & ARCADE RESTAURANT

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

2 GAME SPECIAL
KIDS £10 per person
ADULTS £12 per person

FAMILY SPECIAL
ONE HOUR FOR £32

Tel. 0208 759 7246
bookings@airport-bowl.com www.airport-bowl.com
Airport Bowl, Bath Road, Harlington, Middlesex, UB3 5AL

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CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES & FOOD PROGRAMME 2024

FREE FOR FREE SCHOOL MEALS CHILDREN
Paying children also welcome!
LUNCH PROVIDED

DECEMBER 27 to DECEMBER 30
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH HILLINGDON COUNCIL

ST MARTINS PRIMARY SCHOOL, ROWAN ROAD, WEST DRAYTON, UB7 7UF

For more information and to register please visit
<https://www.skipzproductions.org/skipzhaillingdon>



Sports Plus
Scheme



MULTI-SPORTS CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY CAMP

Yiewsley & West Drayton

Community Centre

228 Harmondsworth Rd, UB7 9JL

2nd January 2025

3rd January 2025

9.00am-3.00pm

To book or for more information
please scan the QR code or contact

01932 568 570

westlondon@sportsplusscheme.com

Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Funded places available

Does your child receive benefit-related free school meals?

Dose your household receive government benefits?

Have you received a HAF E-vouchers from Hounslow Council?

If so you are entitled to a free place!



Late Arrivals and Collections

Our school day starts for Years 3-6 at 8.45am. Reception and Years 1 & 2 start at 8.50am.

If your child is late to school, please make sure they come to the main reception, so they can be signed in.

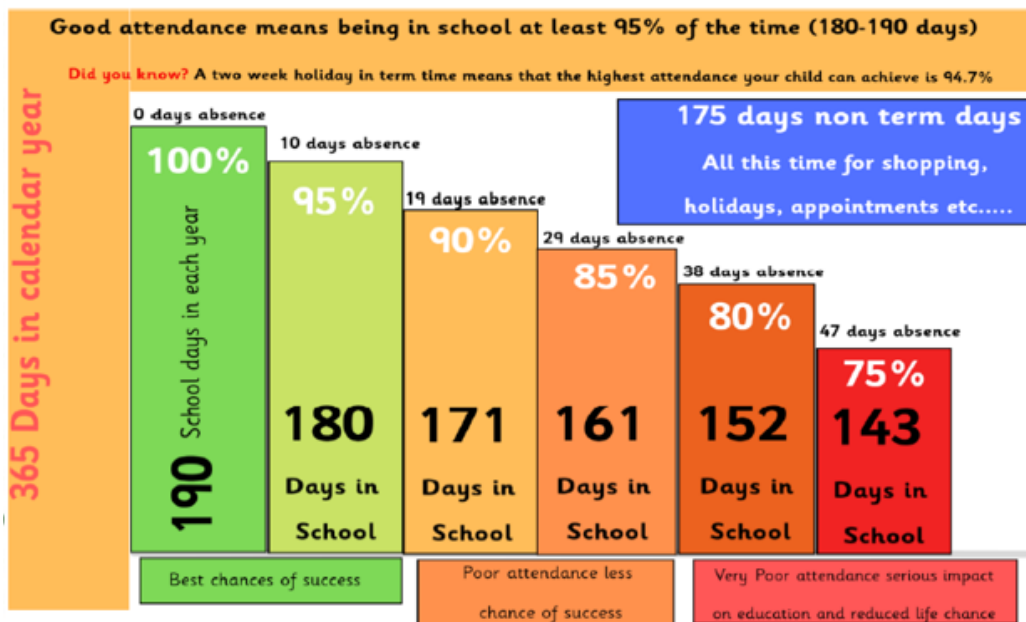
Learning starts at this time.

Arriving late will mean;

- Your child will miss out on important learning, which may affect their achievements.
- They don't get social time to settle into the class.
- It can be embarrassing for them.
- It may disrupt the learning of the rest of the class.

Reception, Y1 and Y2 finish at 3.20pm and Y3-6 finish at 3.25pm. Please make sure you are here on time to collect your child.

If you are running late, please call the school office so we can let the teacher know. If you are persistently late to collect your child, they will be placed into afterschool club and you will be charged.



Holiday requests during Term Time

A reminder to all parents that all holidays taken within school time will be unauthorised. We ask all parents to be mindful that taking a pupil on leave during term time interrupts teaching and learning and will disrupt a child's educational progress.

Requests should be made at least 4 school weeks in advance of the proposed absence, by completing a 'Leave of Absence' request form, explaining why the leave is essential and the reasons why it needs to take place during term time. This form is available from the school office.

CONGRATULATIONS WELL DONE!

W/E 20/12/24

YOU ARE CHERRIFIC



Attendance

Reception – Badgers 87%

KS1 – 2J 96%

KS2 – 4R 98%

YOU ARE CHERRIFIC



Walking Bear (Year 1 & 2)

1st – 1V

Walking to school trophy (Year 3-5)

1st – 5M & 4R

Walking to school trophy (Year 6)

1st – 6S

Bookworms (KS1)

KS1 - 2J

Super Stepper Winner

Reception / KS1 – 2Z

KS2 – 5C

House points



Hampton



SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAYS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 2024/2025

Autumn Term - 2024

Training Day:	Monday, 2 nd September (school closed to pupils)
Autumn 1 starts:	Tuesday, 3 rd September
Half term:	Monday, 28 th October to Friday, 1 st November
Training Day:	Monday, 4 th November (school closed to pupils)
Autumn 2 starts:	Tuesday 5 th November
Term ends:	Friday, 20 th December @2pm

Spring Term - 2025

Spring 1 starts:	Monday, 6 ^h January
Half term:	Monday, 17 th February to Friday, 21 st February
Training Day:	Monday 24 th February (school closed to pupils)
Spring 2 starts:	Tuesday 25 th February
Term ends:	Friday, 4 th April

Summer Term - 2025

Training day:	Tuesday 22 nd April (school closed to pupils)
Summer 1 starts:	Wednesday 23 rd April
Half term:	Monday, 26 th May to Friday, 30 th May
Summer 2 starts:	Monday 2 nd June
Term ends:	Tuesday 22 nd July

(1 additional Teacher Training Day to be confirmed)

Bank Holidays

2024

Christmas Day: Wednesday, 25th December
Boxing Day: Thursday, 26th December

2025

New Year's Day: Wednesday, 1st January
Good Friday: Friday 18th April
Easter Monday: Monday, 21st April
May Day Bank Holiday: Monday, 5th May
Spring Bank Holiday: Monday 26th May
Summer Bank Holiday: Monday 25th August

HOLIDAYS ARE NOT AUTHORISED DURING TERM TIME

KEY CONTACTS

Head Teacher: Miss Tranter

Reporting an absence – Choose telephone option 1

Welfare – Mrs Ramsay – Choose telephone option 2

Admissions – Mrs Haddad – Choose telephone option 3

Business Manager – Mrs Sondi – Choose telephone option 4

To speak to main office please hold
If you wish to make an appointment to see a teacher, please contact the school office.

SRP newsletter



Dear Parents and Carers,
As December draws to a close, we are thrilled to share the highlights of this festive month with you!

Our Amazing Christmas Trip

This month, the students had an unforgettable Christmas trip! We visited a local charity, where the students learned about giving back to the community. We also stopped by the library, sparking their love for books and stories. To top it all off, the students enjoyed a special treat at McDonald's. Throughout the trip, the students demonstrated outstanding behaviour, making us so proud of how they represented the SRP.





Tree Planting Champions

A special mention goes to Idris and Vivaan for their fantastic work planting trees during our outdoor activity. Their enthusiasm and environmental awareness were truly inspiring. Well done Idris & Vivaan!



Celebrating Miguel

Congratulations to Miguel for earning the mainstream class certificate this month for his kindness to others. We are so proud of his achievement and the way he supports his peers.



Cosy Hot Chocolate Morning

One of the highlights of December was our cosy hot chocolate morning in the SRP.

The students enjoyed delicious hot chocolate with marshmallows, waffles, and treats while watching a nativity movie. It was a wonderful way to relax and celebrate together.

Assessment Success

All the students have worked incredibly hard to complete their assessments this term. Their dedication and focus have been excellent, and we are so pleased with their progress. They can now take pride in their achievements as they head into the Christmas break.



Time to Celebrate

With all their hard work behind them, it's time for the students to relax, celebrate, and enjoy the festive season.

We hope everyone has a wonderful and restful Christmas holiday!

Looking Ahead

We will provide updates about upcoming events for parents in our January newsletter. Stay tuned!

Thank you for your continued support, and we wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



Contact us:

Email:

admin@cherrylane.hillingdon.sch.uk



Best wishes,

The SRP Team



Christmas vibes!

Nursery Newsletter



HAPPY

Holidays

Nursery have had such a busy month! We hope you enjoyed watching the christmas show and loved hearing all our fantastic singing!



We have also enjoyed the last week of cooking with parents and the children have made some lovely snowball cakes. To end off the year we have also had fun at our class parties. Thank you for all your kind food donations , the children had a lovely time.

The best fun ever

Thank you for all your donations, we raised £300.06! Money raised will contribute to some new nursery resources!



Baby, it's cold outside!



From All the Nursery staff, we would like to thank you all for your kind gifts and cards. We hope you all have a wonderful Christmas break and wish you all a happy, healthy new year!



**Christmas
vibes!**

Reception Newsletter



HAPPY

Holidays

Wow what a month it has been, carol singing, parent events, a church visit, the nativity story and class parties to end the term beautifully.



The children sung Christmas carols learnt in singing assembly. The grown-ups joined in as their children were going home singing and teaching them the words. We invited parents in for Christmas Crafts and Christmas Decorating. Children decorated biscuits and made Santa fruit wands.

The best fun ever!

We took a lovely stroll to St Martin's Church in West Drayton accompanied by parent volunteers.

Baby, it's cold outside!



We heard the nativity story and the children got to take part. They were all very well behaved and made Cherry Lane and their teacher's proud From All the Reception staff, Wishing you all a safe and relaxing Christmas break and New Year. See you all in 2025



KS1 YEAR 1



NEWSLETTER



WELCOME

Dear Parents and Careers,
We are excited to share with you this month's newsletter. We've had a fantastic Autumn term and the children have all worked very hard. Thank you for all your support and generosity when donating to school for the Christmas fair and school parties. We wish you a very Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!

Warm regards,
Mrs Madan
KS1 Phase Leader

LOOK OUT FOR

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- February half term begins - **Monday 17th February 2025** (last day of term is Friday 14th February)
- Staff inset day - **Monday 24th February 2025**
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THIS MONTH

FUN ACTIVITIES:

In year 1 we have enjoyed the Christmas fair at our school! We were also very thrilled to invite our parents to a fun filled Christmas themed afternoon and carol singing in the playground.



CRAFT TIME!

REMINDERS

- Please label all your children's coats and jumpers/cardigans
- PE Days: 1V Wednesdays & Thursdays
1A Wednesdays & Thursdays
1H Wednesdays & Tuesdays
- Homework is on Learning with parents and occasionally on Purple Mash.



**EDUCATION IS THE KEY TO UNLOCKING THE WORLD,
IT IS THE PASSPORT TO FREEDOM!**



KS1 Year 2

NEWSLETTER



Dear Parents and careers,

Welcome to another exciting month in Year 2! We've had a fantastic Autumn term and the children have all worked very hard. Thank you for all your support and generosity when donating to school for the Christmas fair and school parties. We wish you a very Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!

Warm regards,
Mrs Madan
KS1 Phase leader

Classroom Highlights

Exciting news:

In year 2 we have enjoyed the Christmas fair at our school! We were also very thrilled to invite our parents to a fun filled Christmas themed afternoon and carol singing in the playground.

Outdoor fun:

The children enjoyed practicing and singing the Christmas carols outside in the playground with their parents joining in.

Maths Fun:

This month the children have been learning about multiplication and division arrays. They also have started doing timed, weekly multiplication tests. They will be focusing on the 2, 5 and 10 timetables in the future.

Upcoming events...

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Reminders

- PE days: 2M : Tuesday & Friday
2J: Tuesday & Friday
2Z: Monday & Thursday
- Please read the parents notice board outside your child's class
- Don't forget to read with your child EVERYDAY!
- Homework is on Learning with parents and occasioanly on Purple Mash.



**"WE LOVE LEARNING,
IT'S SOO MUCH FUN"**





Year 3 Newsletter December 2024

This month at school

Year 3 have had a busy December. In history we built Stonehenge from biscuits. In Science we looked at Food and our Bodies. We found out about healthy diets and discovered how our muscles and joints make us move.

We also performed our Christmas Show to our parents and to the rest of the school. We have had a great time dressing up, performing and singing.

Photographs



Reminders

PE Days for next half term.

3C - Monday and Thursday

3D - Tuesday and Friday

3S - Monday and Thursday

What are we Reading?

This month our classes are continuing to read *The First Drawing* by Mordical Gerstein. Using this book we looked at sequencing events to complete a retell.

Maths Challenge

I'm thinking of a number. Double it. Add 10.

Divide by 3 My answer is 12. What number am I thinking of?



Year 4 Newsletter December 2024

This Month at School

In December, Year 4 took part in a community project and planted trees in The Closes. Everyone planted a tree and are looking forward to watching them grow. As part of our RE topic this term, Year 4 also made Christingles with the parents coming in to help - Many thanks to those parents who came.

Photographs



Reminders and Events:

PE Dates - Spring 1

4G - Monday and Thursday

4R - Monday and Tuesday

4RC - Monday and Wednesday

Maths Challenge

Baking Challenge

This baker has three bags of flour. Each is a different weight.

- The first and third weigh 11kg altogether.
- The first and second weigh 7kg altogether.
- The second and third weigh 8kg altogether.



What is the weight of each bag of flour?

What are we Reading?

Year 4 have read the Iron Man and have really enjoyed this book and have produced some fantastic writing based on this book.



Year 5

UKS2

This Months at School

Year 5 pupils have been very busy learning this month! It has been very busy but fun! All of year 5 have been watching and waiting for our Carrots to grow! This term Yr 5 have been studying Living things and their habitats in Science. Understanding the life cycle and habits of plants and animals and how we fit into this system. One such task was seeing whether our carrots could grow asexually - and some have definitely sprouted! (Don't think we have the other end of the carrot though).

In RE, children have been working in groups to compare different versions of the Christmas story, developing their understanding of Christianity beliefs. In Maths, children have been learning how to calculate the perimeter and area of rectilinear shapes. Children presented their research on multi-media artist Chila Kumari Sing Burman with their parents for our parents event. They have produced some really creative fact files! Well done to all the pupils that got a Special Teachers Award on Monday.

Thank you to all the parents that attended our Parent event and to those who came and supported us with our Christmas Carol Singing!

We wish you all a Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

*First day back to school: Monday 6th
January 2025!*

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PE Days
5C: Wednesday & Thursday
5M: Monday & Friday
5T: Monday & Friday



*Please sign into Bug Club - letters have
been sent out.*

What are we reading:

*The Lost Thing
by
Shaun Tan*



Maths Challenge

John bought a car for 200 pounds.
He then sold it for 300 pounds.
He bought it back for 400 pounds.
He sold it again for 500 pounds.

Did John make a profit or loss when
he finally sold his car?
How much did he make or lose?





YMS2

Year 6

This Month at School

Well done to Year 6 pupils for completing their Mock SATS. All pupils tried really hard! In Year 6, we have enjoyed our trip to the World War 2 Bunker. Pupils enjoyed the workshop and exploring the museum.

Year 6 pupils enjoyed the parent workshop, looking at SATs style reading papers. We looked at inferencing and retrieval questions.

Our Christmas Fair was a huge success, Year 6 pupils enjoyed running their own stalls after the Dragon's Den pitches for stall ideas. We also loved seeing all the Parents and Carers that came to support the Year 6 pupils singing Christmas songs. It has been a busy term but lots of fun! Well done to 6S for their lovely class assembly!

Well done to all the pupils that got a Special Teachers Award on Monday.

We wish you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

The pages of this book are numbered starting with the number 1. The pages numbers have a total of 595.

Maths Challenge



How many pages does the book have?

How many of the page numbers have a 5 in them?



Reminders

PE Days

6C: Tuesday & Thursday

6S: Wednesday & Thursday

6F: Wednesday & Thursday



What we will be reading

The Invention of Hugo



First Day back: Monday 6th January - don't forget to bring your Christmas homework.

