

Cherry Lane Newsletter



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Dates for the Diary- March

Tuesday 4th March - Nursery open evening – 4pm – New parents
September 2025 intake

Thursday 6th March – World book day

Monday 10th March – Year 6 mock SATs week

Monday 10th March – Science week

Tuesday 11th March – Year 4 History workshop

Wednesday 12th March – Reception library trip

Monday 17th March – Year 3 History workshop

Monday 17th March – Reception Hearing and Vision checks

Wednesday 19th – Friday 21st March – Year 6 PGL Trip

Wednesday 26th March – Reception library trip



Eid – whilst we appreciate that this may possibly change, Eid is likely to fall on Sunday 30 or Monday 31 March. As per our Attendance Policy, the school will authorise one day of absence for religious observance per academic year. Please email the school office to let us know if this applies to your child. admin@cherrylane.hillingdon.sch.uk

World Book Day – Thursday 6th March 2025

To celebrate World Book Day, Cherry Lane will be taking part in this wonderful event to encourage children to read and enjoy books. Several events will be held including storytelling and the popular Fancy Dress Competition.

Fancy Dress Competition

In order to celebrate World Book Day, we are asking all children to dress up as a book character on Thursday 6th March. Every year there are some inspirational costumes and I am sure that this year will be no different.

World Book Day Token

Every child will be given a world book day token worth £1. All you need to do is to take it to your local bookseller (there are lots of them out there) and swap it for one of the exclusive, new and completely FREE World Book Day books. Alternatively you can use your book token to get £1 off any full price book instead. The book tokens are valid until 23rd March 2025.

All classes will be taking part in sharing stories/books and activities throughout the day. Look out for further information from your child's class.





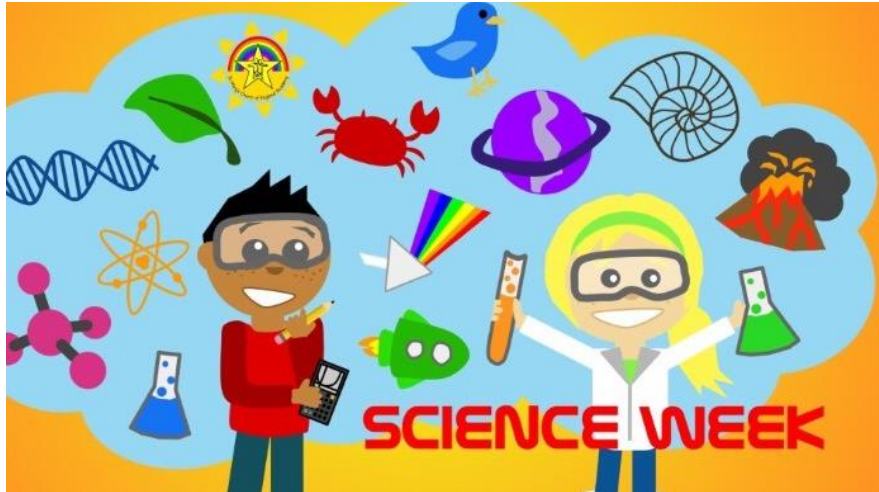
Science week



As you all may be aware that Cherry Lane will be celebrating Science Week the week commencing 10th – 14th March 2025. We are delighted to invite Hounslow Urban farm into our school on Monday 10th March for small workshops. The children will experience a range of exotic animals and will have the opportunity to explore and learn more about these animals.



Years 1-6 in order for us to secure this experience for your child, we kindly ask you for a voluntary contribution of **£2.00** per child, **given directly to the class teacher**. If we do not receive a significant amount towards the cost of this workshop, unfortunately it may not be able to go ahead.



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Family traveller has asked the school to share this opportunity with you.

We would like to offer your school families a unique opportunity to join us at the Allianz Stadium Twickenham, to experience the ultimate day out for all the family. The event is taking place on the weekend of March 22nd & 23rd. The stadium is well connected with plenty of FREE parking available onsite or a short walk from local rail and bus connections.

Once inside there are multiple free activities to enjoy: climbing walls, parkour, crazy golf, surf simulators, ice hockey, football skill classes and stargazing.

Rugby-loving boys and girls will have the unique chance to play inside the home of England Rugby thanks to exclusive pitch-side training sessions with Harlequins coaches.

There will even be the chance to ride on an epic zip line across the stadium – the first time this has ever been open to the public at Allianz Stadium, Twickenham! As well as an abseil off the top of the stadium (*extra charge for these two activities)

Travel experts will be on hand throughout the day to plan your dream family getaway. There will be the chance to win amazing competitions worth £10,000s as well as incredible offers exclusively available at the show.

Tickets for this event are priced at £55 for a family ticket (2 x adults & 2 x kids) but we would like to offer your school families the opportunity to join us for just £10 per family ticket. A huge 80% discount.

If you could please add one of the attached flyers to your weekly school newsletters we would be very grateful. We can guarantee your kids will come back to school on the Monday full of amazing stories and knowledge of new destinations around the world.

CONGRATULATIONS WELL DONE!

W/E 28/02/2025

YOU ARE CHERRIFIC



Attendance

Reception – Badgers 95%

KS1 – 2M 92%

KS2 – 4R 99%

YOU ARE CHERRIFIC



Walking Bear (Year 1 &2)

1st – 1V & 2M

Walking to school trophy (Year 3-5)

1st – 3D

Walking to school trophy (Year 6)

1st – 6S

Bookworms (KS1)

KS1 – 2Z

Super Stepper Winner

Reception / KS1 – 1H

KS2 – 4R

House points

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SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAYS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 2024/2025

Spring Term - 2025

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

Summer Term - 2025

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

(1 additional Teacher Training Day to be confirmed)

Bank Holidays

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 – 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.

