

Thursday 21st July 2022



Dear Parents,



Welcome to the last Weekly Wolfe of the 2021 2022 Academic Year.

Building on from Mr Westerby's comments last week, everyone here at James Wolfe Primary School wishes our Year 6 pupils all the best as they leave our school. Throughout their time at James Wolfe, they have fully lived up to our five values of **Perseverance**, **Respect**, **Opportunity**, **Understanding** and **Democracy**. By demonstrating these values in their daily work, they have achieved outstanding progress and we are all immensely PROUD of their many achievements. We know that their future schools will be very lucky to have them as students and we can't wait to hear about their amazing adventures in Year 7.

I would also like to congratulate all of our other pupils for an amazing year. Following two years of disruption, we have returned to normal schooling and it has been great that we were able to host assemblies, welcome parents into school and return to our rich offer of school visits. Above all, our pupils have been fantastic and it has wonderful to see the many achievements they have made.

We have a number of staff leaving our school – the full list was shared in a letter sent earlier this week. We wish them all the best with their future careers and we thank them for their excellent work at our school.

I close by saying thank you to our Headteacher, Mr Westerby. I have had the privilege of working with Mr Westerby for over eight years and he has led the school through a number of phases, including its expansion, development and, in recent years, through the challenges of the pandemic. With every school development project that he has led, he has always shown his strong commitment to securing the best outcomes for our pupils. His future school is getting an exceptional Headteacher and I have a valued friend. I wish Mr Westerby all the best in his future career.

To every member of our school community -- pupils, parents, staff and friends – I wish you a happy and restful holiday. Relax, eat ice cream and enjoy the sunshine.

I look forward to seeing our pupils in Reception to Year 5 on Monday 5th September.

Kind regards,
Mr Harris

If your child receives a positive test result for COVID-19, please contact admin@jameswolfe.greenwich.sch.uk, giving the child's name and class. Children with a positive result should stay at home and avoid contact with other people for five further days if symptomatic, or three days if asymptomatic.

IMPORTANT DATES

Summer Term 2022

Friday 22nd July -- FJWS Non-Uniform Day
Friday 22nd July -- Year 6 Leaving Assemblies (Virtual)
Friday 22nd July -- Last Day of Term

Autumn Term 2022

Thursday 1st September -- First Day of Term -- INSET Day
Friday 2nd September -- INSET Day
Monday 5th September -- Children Return to School



LEAVERS

This term, we say goodbye to teachers Mr Wadey and Miss Taylor, teaching assistants Mrs Linger and Ms Williams, as well tutors Mr Killner and Ms Lao -- plus, of course, our Headteacher Mr Westerby. We thank them all for their contributions to our school and wish them all the best in their future adventures!



LOST PROPERTY

Please can parents who are concerned their child has lost items in school make sure they check lost property, as it will be disposed of at both campuses during the holiday. Randall Place lost property can be found under the canopy, whereas at Royal Hill it is put out in the playground at pick-up every Thursday.

SCHOOL TRIPS

TRIP PAYMENTS

As of next term, the school will revert to asking for individual contributions for trips, rather than having one payment cover the year.



DINNERS

Please can parents note that a swap from school dinners to packed lunches, or vice versa, can only be made on the first day back after a holiday. If you wish to make a change, please ensure we are informed on your child's return to school.



VOUCHER SCHEME

FUNDS FOR FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN ENTITLED TO FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Funds will once again be provided over the holiday by Royal Greenwich to those FSM families who consented. If parents/carers are not in receipt of Free School Meals for their child but feel they would qualify, they should apply at <https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>. Should you find you are not eligible but are experiencing hardship, please contact the school.



CYCLING EVENT

There is a fabulous Tour de France event on the Greenwich Peninsula this coming weekend (23rd-24th July), with food and activities for young, old and everyone inbetween.

Sustrans' will be hosting a number of cycling activities during the event -- for example, you can get your bicycle checked out at the Dr Bike session, practice your cycle skills (should you need a boost in both skills and confidence) or take part in a led ride along the beautiful Thames Path, to explore the Peninsula's maritime history and art trails. Other fun cycling activities include Disco Bike and a workshop making jewellery using old parts from bikes.

Please note that you will have to pre-book some sessions. For more details please visit <https://www.greenwichpeninsula.co.uk/whats-on/events/tour-de-france>.

Friends of James Wolfe School

Hi everyone,



Once again, a huge thank you to everyone who has helped out or donated to the FJWS this year. If you would like to get involved with raising money for our school and putting on great events, please contact us using the methods below, ready for the new term!

We hope you all have a safe and happy holiday. See you September!

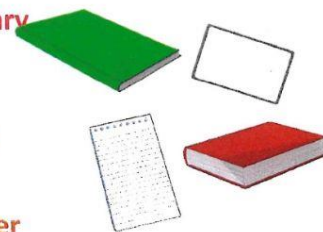
Please follow/like us on Twitter/Facebook to find out more about what we do, as well as about upcoming social/fundraising events. All are welcome!

Email: friendsofJWS@gmail.com
Facebook: <https://en-gb.facebook.com/FJWSGreenwich>
Twitter: <https://twitter.com/fjwsgreenwich>

Summer Reading Challenge at West Greenwich Library SE10 8NN 020 8858 4289



- Starts 9th July – ends 10th Sept
- Ages 4 – 11 yrs FREE TO JOIN
- Sign up for your collector poster
- Read 6 library books to become a Gadgeteer!
- Collect stickers for each book you read
- FREE craft activities Tuesdays 2.30pm
- Summerreadingchallenge.org.uk



GADGETEERS

SUMMER
READING
CHALLENGE

West Greenwich Library's Summer Reading Challenge launches this Saturday and the library staff would be really happy to see the children again during the holidays! You can find more information

at <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>, with information for parents
at <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/home-zone-src>.

SCHOOL'S OUT FOR SUMMER

We wish all our pupils and their families a fantastic summer of fun. While children and teachers enjoy a well-deserved break, our team of chefs and nutritionists will be busy in the kitchen putting the finishing touches to our new Autumn menu, launching in October.

We've got lots of fun theme days planned to get the children **buzzzzzing** with excitement – trying new dishes, experiencing new cultures and learning that nutritious food is fun. Watch this space!!!

DID YOU KNOW THAT SCHOOL MEALS ARE FREE TO ALL CHILDREN IN RECEPTION, YEAR 1 AND YEAR 2?

Simply speak to your school office to enjoy a nutritionally balanced meal every day. Children in Years 3 – 6 could also enjoy a hot school meal or packed lunch for FREE.

Check if you're eligible here:
Apply for free school meals - GOV.UK

Chartwells

SUMMER FUN WITH FULL TIME MEALS

We have partnered with Full Time Meals, the partnership between Marcus Rashford and Tom Kerridge, to promote Free School Meals and the Healthy Start Scheme.

Check out our summer recipe booklet here: <https://www.chartwells.co.uk/fulltime-meals-summerfun>

HOLIDAY FOOD and FUN

Children who receive free school meals can get a free holiday club place in Royal Greenwich.

With Holiday Food and Fun there are activity clubs across the borough ready to provide everything from football to arts and crafts, at no cost to parents.

No need to worry about what to do with the kids outside of school – sign up now!

royalgreenwich.gov.uk/holidayfoodandfun

Family Day: Festival of Books

Saturday 24 September, 12.00 – 16.00

The British Library, 96 Euston Road, London, NW1 2DB
FREE | Drop in | Suitable for all ages

Delivered in British Sign Language and spoken English

Join us to make, touch, sign and explore, as we create, share and celebrate stories. Fully accessible for families with D/ deaf children, parents and carers.

More info at www.bl.uk/family or email FamilyLearning@bl.uk

10% off fun-filled, flexible childcare this Summer for James Wolfe pupils

Dear Parent/Carer,

Venue: James Wolfe Primary, Royall Hill, Greenwich, SE10 8RZ.
wc 25th July 2022 - wc 22nd August 2022

Rated 5* by parents on Netmums and Feefo, our **Ofsted-registered** Holiday Camps bring together the very best of music and childcare to engage and inspire your child **every school holiday**.

Each day is wonderfully different and includes our "Learn Together, Play Together" morning lessons. Choose from either guitar, violin and ukulele - dependent on location and dates. Free hire of an instrument for every child too.

Afternoons include our **carefully-created workshops**, designed by our experienced Head Office team and based on the theme of the week. Workshops range from dance, music, art, sport.

Don't miss out on our End of Holiday Camp Grand Concert too!

♥ **10% off for James Wolfe Primary School Pupils**

To claim your discount - choose which week you'd like to book via our website, register online and call the number below.

Visit www.thestringsclub.org or call our friendly Head Office team on 0121 296 9204.

Why Consider Us?

- Rated 5* on **Netmums** and **Feefo** by parents
 - Book one day to the whole experience
- **EYF5 Ofsted-registered** so we can welcome children aged 4 all day
 - Free hire of an instrument
 - £50 per day
- Qualified, experienced, **fully DBS checked team**
- Standard hours and Extended Hours available
 - 10% sibling discount
- Childcare vouchers and tax-free childcare accepted

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Amy and The Strings Club Team

2022 **feefo**
Gold Trusted Service Award

STANLEY'S SPORTS ACADEMY ACTIVITY CAMP

FOUR WEEKS TO CAMP
BOOK NOW!

1

Stanley's Sports Academy is running summer sports camp at YOUR school!

2

All students are welcome to attend! You can book in now or ask for more information by emailing nadira.a@ssportsacademy.org

3

We are running from 25th July to 26th August 5 weeks of exciting fun sports activities for everyone to enjoy. **BOOK NOW!**

4

Limited free spaces available for students on FSM! Please enquire via email. Visit our website: <https://www.stanleysportacademy.com/holiday-camp>

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Contact Us nadira.a@ssportsacademy.org
<https://www.stanleysportacademy.com/>
[@stanleysportsacademy](https://www.instagram.com/stanleysportsacademy)



Free learning for your child, free childcare for you.

Are you eligible* for a free 30 hours place?

*If you are a working parent (including working foster parents) and your child is aged 3 or 4 on or before 31 August 2022, you may be eligible depending on your income and if you have a valid code.

1. Check if you are eligible and remember to reconfirm **every 3 months**, if you already have a code, to keep your funded place
2. Set up or go to your Childcare Account www.childcarechoices.gov.uk

Childcare Choices

3. Your code must be dated no later than **31 August 2022** so apply **NOW**
4. Take your eligibility code to your early years' setting or school as soon as you can before the end of term and **NO LATER than end of term**. The code must be checked by your nursery, school or childminder before your child can take up a place at the start of the Autumn term. Providers must verify all codes with the local authority to receive funding
5. Your child must also be age eligible ie they had their 3rd birthday by 31 August 2022

For more information, please contact Families Information Service

www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/fis fis@royalgreenwich.gov.uk 020 8921 6921



HELP PAYING FOR YOUR CHILDCARE



TAX-FREE CHILDCARE



- For **working families**, including the self-employed, **in the UK**
- Earning **under £100k** and at **least £152** per week (equal to 16 hours at the National Minimum or Living Wage) each
- Who **aren't** receiving Tax Credits, Universal Credit or childcare vouchers
- With children aged 0-11 (or 0-16 if disabled)
- For every £8 you pay into an online account, the government will add an extra £2, up to **£2,000 per child per year**

Childcare Calculator >

Get an **estimate** of how much help you can get with Tax-Free Childcare and other offers.

<https://www.gov.uk/childcare-calculator>

Apply now >

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-tax-free-childcare>



<https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>

ANNA FIORENTINI THEATRE & FILM SCHOOL
SUMMER SCHOOL
IS BACK FOR 2022

WEEK ONE | 25-29 July
All things **Lin Manuel Miranda!**

WEEK TWO | 22-26 August
Musical in a week: **West-End to Broadway!**

FOR 7 - 16 YRS

CHOBHAM ACADEMY, STRATFORD
(10 MINS FROM STRATFORD STATION)

9.30AM - 4.30PM DAILY

VISIT WWW.ANNAFIORENTINI.COM TO BOOK

The award-winning Anna Fiorentini Theatre & Film School's Summer School takes place in East London this July and August. Young people aged 7-16 years old will learn and develop performing techniques, including singing, dance and drama skills, from top industry professionals.

July's session will explore the music of Lin-Manuel Miranda, from 'Encanto' to 'Hamilton', whilst August's session delves into favourite musicals. Each week ends with a musical performance for friends and family. The sessions compliment each other, so you can do both or just the one week.

If you book before 15th June, you'll get an Early Bird Discount! So, for more information and to book, head to www.afterperformingarts.com/theatre-and-film-school/holiday-courses.

ANNA FIORENTINI THEATRE & FILM SCHOOL
 THE AWARD-WINNING PART-TIME SCHOOL FOR 4-18 YEAR OLDS
 CAMDEN | DOCKLANDS | GREENWICH | HACKNEY

Acting, dance singing & film classes taught by industry professionals

Free or subsidised places available this term

Boost confidence, increase self-esteem and develop transferable life skills

Land leading roles on TV, Film and the West End Stage via our Talent Agency.

Celebrating over 21 Years

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FEEDING CHILDREN OVER THE SUMMER

During the Summer holiday (25th July - 4th September), Asda Cafe are offering £1 hot or cold meals for children (aged 16 and under, and including Ella's Kitchen baby pouches), seven days a week, with NO minimum adult spend, in order to support families with the cost of living crisis.

There are also a number of other outlets who have launched similar offers -- please see the list below:

PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) DURING THE 6 WEEKS SUMMER HOLIDAYS 2022
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<p>ASDA CAFE Kids eat for £1 all day, every day with no adult spend from 25th July - 4th Sept 2022</p> <p>FUTURE INNS Under 12's eat for free with any adult meal during the school holidays</p> <p>TABLE TABLE Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!</p> <p>YO! SUSHI Kid's eat free from 3pm-5.30pm, Monday to Thursday until 1st September 2022</p> <p>THE REAL GREEK Kids eat FREE every Sunday for every £10 spent by an adult</p> <p>SIZZLING PUBS Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.</p> <p>BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!</p> <p>PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM From June 27th kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend</p> <p>MARKS & SPENCER CAFE Likely But Not Yet Announced</p>	<p>WHITBREAD INNS Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased</p> <p>MORRISONS Spend £4.99 after 3pm daily & get one free kids meal (usually all day during half term)</p> <p>HUNGRY HORSE Kids eat breakfast free with every adult breakfast, daily from 9am - 12pm.</p> <p>BELLA ITALIA Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Monday to Thursday</p> <p>CAFE ROUGE Kids eat for £1 when you order one adult's main meal. Excludes Saturdays</p> <p>SA BRAINS PUBS Children can eat for £1 with any adult main. Only valid Wednesdays but on all day</p> <p>ANGUS STEAKHOUSE One free children's meal per paid adult meal 12-5pm daily throughout the holidays</p> <p>PRETO Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto</p> <p>FARMHOUSE INNS Likely But Not Yet Announced</p>
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Additionally, please find below a link to the Greenwich Emergency Support Scheme, which provides funding to families for gas and electricity:

https://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/info/200246/benefits_advice/1376/emergency_support_scheme.



UNIFORM

High demand in the Summer months increases order turnaround time, so School Trends, our uniform supplier, have asked that parents place their uniform orders before this week -- so please place your orders as soon as possible. Remember, ordering early gives you plenty of time to try on the clothes for size and order alternatives if required. Please allow 28 days for dispatch over the Summer.



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