

News on the Nineteenth

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SUMMER CONCERT AND WORMLEY FEST

We are looking forward to our summer concert again. This will take place on the school field on **Tuesday 21st July** from 1:30pm.

The theme this year is **World Cup Anthems**.



Following this event we have a smaller than usual **Wormley Fest**, which includes a children's World Cup football tournament, a BBQ, refreshments and the ice cream van!

Our concert includes the Rock Steady bands, dance clubs and music with Mr Turner, performed by the children. Hopefully, we will have a new PTA next year. We have had a good number of parents who have expressed an interest in joining so we are planning a meet up at the start of the new academic year.

DATES

SCHOOL CONCERT AND
WORMLEY FEST
21st July 1:30pm

END OF TERM
22nd July 1:20pm

START OF TERM
2nd September

HALF TERM
26th Oct-30th Oct

INSET DAY
2nd Nov

RETURN TO SCHOOL
3rd November

SPORTS DAY

Another great Sports Day was had by everyone on the Friday before half term.

As usual, the weather was perfect and the children really enjoyed the day - taking part with great effort and enthusiasm.

The house which was the overall winner was **Trott**



Well done to everyone in each house for trying their best. The final scores were very close.

It is the participation that counts for most!



Y4 GO TO THE OPERA

On Friday 12th June, our Y4 pupils enjoyed the operatic performance of HMS Pinafore, a comic opera in two acts, with music by Arthur Sullivan and a libretto by W. S. Gilbert.

The comic love story takes place aboard the Royal Navy ship HMS Pinafore. The opera's humour focuses on love between members of different social classes and lampoons the British class system in general.

The children had a workshop in school the week before so that the tenor and pianist could teach our children a few of the songs. They were able to join in with the performance.





TEACHER ASSESSMENTS

This half term, teachers will be completing teacher assessments for the children across the curriculum.

These will be shared with you in the children's reports sent out on the **17th July**.

LOCAL GEOGRAPHY

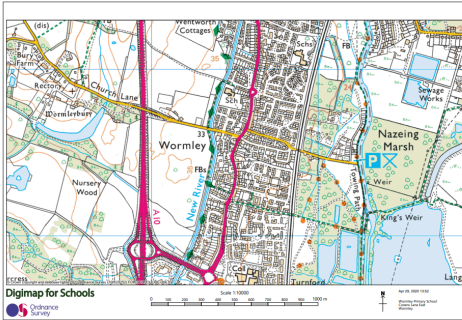
The children have really enjoyed their walks around Wormley, finding out about the place they live in and the ways the land is used - for business and pleasure, its history over time, its links through transport - road, railway and river.

It was wonderful that so many parents were able to join us.

Thank you.

Many children found places in their locality that they hadn't previously explored.

Wormley and Broxbourne is a very pretty place to live!



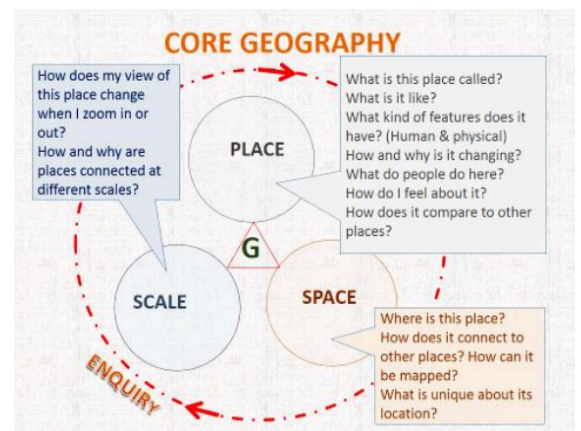
WORLD GEOGRAPHY

This term, children continue their learning in Geography - finding out about places and natural phenomena in the world.

The core concepts are **place**, **space** and **scale**. This is underpinned by enquiry - asking questions and finding out about this place in the world.

The children are learning about continents, countries, oceans and seas. Each year, they add what they know and have learnt to a blank world map.

How good is your knowledge of places in the world?



OUR VALUE OF THE HALF TERM IS CONFIDENCE

This term, we are learning some stories from the Bible which teach us about people who have demonstrated confidence in God, themselves and others. Confidence is not arrogance, selfishness, pride, or unrealistic positivity. Confidence is knowing who you are and living out your purpose.

Agent Confident - the power of positive attitude

Having **faith** in their own capability, their knowledge and **understanding** is a key aspect of Agent Confident. This agent is gaining **wisdom** whilst embarking on a learning journey. Agent Confident has the **ambition** to achieve their goals and realise their potential. On their journey they show **humility** to ask for help if needed and feel **empowered** to maintain their vision. Deploying Agent Confident leads to improved **self-efficacy** which is a learner's belief that they can succeed. (Superhero pose)



We want all of our pupils to have confidence in their capability, their knowledge and their opportunity to make a difference in the world. We want them to hold their heads high and believe in themselves.

Agent Confident is a perfect link with this value. You might like to watch the [video](#) with your child on our website.

"For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline." (2 Timothy 1:7).

TRANSITION DAY

Our Y6 children visit their secondary schools on **Thursday 9th July** and the rest of our children will **Budge Up** to the next year group. You will receive an email beforehand with details of your child's next teacher and their class name.

For any Y6 pupils who may be feeling anxious about the move to secondary, you could guide them to this short film - **Moving Up!** Just follow the link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=thnoUraeoGs>

The animation is aimed to help year 6 pupils feel more confident, less anxious and better equipped to cope with the changes associated with moving to secondary school.



SUMMER READING CHALLENGE AT HODDESDON LIBRARY

Hertfordshire Libraries are proud to present the Summer Reading Challenge 2025: **Read to the Beat**. This year's official Read to the Beat book collection includes books about musicians, characters discovering music, sound science, cultural traditions, rhythm, storytelling through sound, breaking down barriers to music, creative expression and following your dreams.



What is the Summer Reading Challenge?

The Summer Reading Challenge encourages children to keep reading during the school summer holidays - and to enjoy reading anything they like!

Children are invited to read 6 library books (or eBooks/eAudio from BorrowBox) over the summer and collect rewards for their reading. It's completely **FREE** to take part.

It is an amazing way to boost children's confidence - last year 72% of children taking part felt more confident reading.

Why should my child sign up?

- They will be better prepared to return to school in the autumn.
- The Challenge supports the move into a new year group.
- Becoming more independent in their reading boosts children's confidence and self-esteem.
- The library provides free access to books and fun family activities all through the summer.
- Library staff are on hand to offer support and book recommendations.

Your child will be part of a UK-wide programme developed by The Reading Agency and delivered in partnership with public libraries.

How can my child take part? (Library AND/OR online)

- From 5 July, sign up for FREE in branch at your library or through the website <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>
- Read any six library books. All reading counts including listening to e-audiobooks, and parents or carers reading to younger ones.
- After every two books, come back and tell us something about the books to collect stickers.
- Once they have read all six books and completed the challenge, children will receive a personalised certificate and a medal, whilst stocks last. They will also be entered into our prize draw to win a ticket to a creative, interactive workshop with Sean Taylor, an award-winning author.

When?

The Challenge in Hertfordshire will launch on **4th July** and continue until **5th September**.

Unsure where your closest library is? Visit www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/libraries to check.

Children can register for a free library card at anytime with a parent/carer present.

For more information, follow the link: <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>

CHILDREN CYCLING TO SCHOOL

We really want to encourage our children to walk, cycle or scoot to school - being active is a fantastic start to the day.

A number of children took part in a Cycling Proficiency course a few weeks ago. The aim is to help children be safe on the road. Current Y5 pupils will have a chance in the summer term 2027 to take part in the Cycling Proficiency course. They will need a bike and a helmet. Please encourage the wearing of a helmet when cycling or scooting.



MUSIC OPPORTUNITIES AT WORMLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Children in Y1-6 have benefited from music lessons with Mr Turner this year. Y1 and 4 have been learning the glockenspiel, Y2 and Y5 learnt percussion on the djembe drums and Y3 and Y6 have learnt the ukulele.



Hertfordshire Music Hub has offered some new musical opportunities for our school next year.

Instrumental/vocal lessons: A 'Have a Go Session' where pupils can try out instruments to see if they would like to carry on in small group lessons. Pupils will have the opportunity to try out brass, woodwind and string instruments and find out what it is like to play one of these instruments.

First Access: This is an opportunity for a year group to learn an instrument over a year. We are able to hire a set of instruments for First Access.

Nurture Groups - 11 sessions for a group of children to experiment with making music.

Broxbourne Secondary School will offer lessons in a range of instruments, including piano, guitar, clarinet and saxophone. If you are interested, please contact The Broxbourne School Finance Department about setting up lessons. (01992 411060 option 4).

At our school concert in **July**, you will be able to watch the rock performances of our school's **Rocksteady Rock Bands**.

Rocksteady Music School will be back next year.

If your child would like to play the keyboard, the electric guitar, the drums or be the lead singer in a rock band, please sign them up!

They are taking bookings for children who want to learn one of these instruments as part of a band.

You can find out more details by calling
0330 113 0330 or emailing enrol@rocksteadymusicschool.com



TRANSITION MORNINGS FOR CHILDREN NEW TO RECEPTION

We have one more transition morning planned for parents of children who are due to start in Reception in September

SCHOOL MATTERS 25th June 9:15-10:15

Come along and hear all about school life at Wormley CofE Primary School - what a typical day is like, what uniform is worn, the curriculum they study etc.

Meet our Safeguarding Lead, our Attendance Lead, our SENCos and our Early Years Team.
We look forward to meeting new parents and carers.

Y6 LEAVERS' SERVICE

There will be a service for Y6 and their families here at Wormley CofE Primary School on
Tuesday 21st July 9:15-10:15.
to celebrate their time at our school and to wish them well for the future.



OFSTED REPORT

You can read our Ofsted Report on our website

<https://wormleyprimary.co.uk/inspection-reports/>

SPORTS UPDATE

KS2 District Sports will take place at John Warner School on **Tuesday 7th July** between 9:00-13:30. As children are selected for the team, parents will be notified.



CRICKET FESTIVAL

Some of our children had a wonderful day at the Cricket Festival at Broxbourne Cricket Club. Wormley CofE were the overall winners for the second year running!

The club has been running some cricket taster days in school.

PE KITS

Physical Activity is essential to our children's fitness and mental health.

Children must have the correct PE kit and trainers to take part in PE lessons.

Please check that your children come to school in their correct PE uniform on their PE day, hairbands to tie hair back and jewellery removed or taped up.

WORMLEY HOLIDAY MULTI SPORTS COURSES

Our PE coach, Mr Horsley, will be running three multi-sports courses over the summer holidays here at Wormley CofE Primary School. Children will be able to take part in indoor and outdoor games and team activities.

When:

Camp 1: 27th - 30th July

Camp 2: 3rd - 6th August

Camp 3: 24th - 27th August

Age: The club is appropriate for children aged 5-11.

What time: 8:30-4:15

Cost: From £25 per day TFC voucher accepted.



For more information, please email info@challengesporteducation.co.uk or call 07719315932

Need a cheap healthy recipe to make this weekend?

At Beezee Families, we work with hundreds of families who want to eat healthier, but struggle with time AND finding something everyone will eat. Sounds familiar?

Check out our healthy pizza below for a taste of our recipe selection!

Ingredients:

1x8 inch tortilla wrap (or you can use pitta bread)

Tomato passata

30g grated light mozzarella or cheddar

Toppings of your choice, such as:

- Peppers
- Ham
- Mushrooms
- Spinach
- Sweetcorn
- Tomatoes
- Pineapple



Method

- Place tortilla/pitta bread on a plate and spread tomato passata over it
- Add your chosen toppings
- Sprinkle with the grated cheese
- Microwave on high until the cheese is just melted (45 seconds), or place in a pre-heated oven at 200/gas mark 6 for 5-10 minutes
- Leave to cool for a few minutes and then enjoy!

Want more help with recipes?

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We know it can be difficult to find affordable, healthy, recipes that everyone in the family will eat! Our expert team at Beezee Families is available to help.

We are Beezee Families, and our family nutritionists deliver FREE healthy lifestyles programmes to hundreds of families across Hertfordshire. Please see a sample recipe below. We run free healthy lifestyle programmes to support families. You can scan the code for more information.

HERTFORDSHIRE CAMHS SYSTEM NEWSLETTER

<https://herts-camhs.tfemagazine.co.uk/may-2026>

In this edition you can:

- Find out about emotional wellbeing support available in Herts to help with school transitions
- Common signs that someone might need help with eating or have a negative body image
- Join a free Lumi Nova webinar and complete the new free Young Carers e-learning module from Young Carers in Herts
- Refer to the latest Shared Language Glossary, with commonly used words and acronyms and send in your suggestions for future editions.
- And lots more!



JOIN US FOR A COFFEE AFTERNOON TO DISCUSS WELLBEING

on

Thursday 2nd July at 2pm in the Community Classroom.

We have Alis here, a guest speaker from Nip in the Bud. Nip in the Bud® works with mental health professionals of the highest standing to produce FREE short evidence-based films, fact sheets, blogs and podcasts to help parents/carers, primary school staff, teacher trainees and others working with children to recognise potential mental health conditions. The goal is to increase early intervention so the negative impact of conditions can be "nipped in the bud" to avoid them becoming more serious in later years. Their films and resources cover expert information on many conditions and mental wellbeing topics, Real Life Experience, Emotional Wellbeing and Practical Guides.

Everyone welcome