



We are an inspiring learning community with high expectations, where all feel safe and happy and everybody has the opportunity to unlock and realise their potential

Dates for your diary

- 21-25/10/19 Half term – no school
- 30/10/19 9am Year 3 Diwali Festival Assembly, parents welcome
- 01/11/19 Halloween and Guy Fawkes Friday Fun Yr5 3.30pm – 4.30pm (see PTA section for more details)
- 05/11/19 9am Year 2 Guy Fawkes Festival Assembly, parents welcome
- 15/11/19 Children in Need (see below)
- 15/11/19 9am PTA Annual General Meeting (AGM)
- 25/11/19 Inset Day – no school for children
- 29/11/19 Quiz Night, 7 – 9pm (see PTA section below)
- 13/12/19 Christmas Jumper Day (details to follow)
- 13/12/19 Christmas Fair (see PTA section below)
- 13/12/19 2.30pm Celebration of Learning Event, parents welcome
- 17/12/19 9am Early Years Christmas Sing-along, parents welcome
- 18/12/19 9am KS1 Christmas Show, parents welcome
- 19/12/19 9am KS2 Carol Concert, parents welcome
- 19/12/19 1.30pm break for Christmas Holidays
- 06/01/20 Return to school
- 17-21/02/20 Half term- no school
- 08/05/20 May Day Bank Holiday – no school
- 25-29/05/20 Half term – no school
- 17/07/20 1.30pm last day of term

Term and Holiday Dates 2019 / 2020

Christmas Day	Wednesday 25 th December
Boxing Day	Thursday 26 th December
Bank Holiday	Wednesday 1 st January
Good Friday	Friday 10 th April
Easter Monday	Monday 13 th April
May Day Holiday	Friday 8 th May
Spring Bank Holiday	Monday 25 th May
Summer Bank Holiday	Monday 27 th August

Term Dates

AUTUMN TERM 2019	4 th September - 19 th December
Half Term:	21 st October - 25 th October

SPRING TERM 2020	6 th January - 3 rd April
Half Term:	17 th February - 21 st February

SUMMER TERM 2020	20 th April - 17 th July
Half Term:	25 th May - 29 th May

INSET Days:

2nd September
3rd September
25th November
20th July
21st July

Message from the Headteacher

Wow! I'm sure you will all agree that this half term seems to have absolutely flown by. I would like to say thank you to all our incredible staff who have worked so hard to make sure the learning is challenging and engaging for the children. I am looking forward to seeing lots of you at our first Celebration of Learning event this afternoon. Hopefully, this will be a useful opportunity for you to see your child's class in action and find out what they have found challenging and exciting this half term, as well as for us all to build even stronger family engagement ties.

Thank you for the very positive feedback we received following parent teacher consultations and the written information that was provided regarding your children's end of year targets and next steps. We were also thrilled with the phenomenal response to the 'Values' questionnaire and I know Miss Rees has some exciting news about this further on in the newsletter. We are always keen to have your feedback, so I would be very grateful if you would spend 2 minutes whilst visiting your child's class today, to answer the simple survey on which area of learning you would most like us to hold a workshop on next half term.

Next half term, Year 4 are participating in the 'I Know, I Wish, I Will' slam poetry initiative. We had to put together a substantial written bid to be selected to participate in this programme which will provide the children with a series of workshops; staff have also enjoyed extensive CPD on teaching and learning of poetry. At least one group of Year 4 children will be given the opportunity to take part in the Poetry Marathon that is being staged at the Criterion Theatre in the West End. This will involve 500 performers from across the country, coming together in the world's longest youth-led spoken word poetry performance on World Poetry Day in 2020.

Please remember to come and support the International Event organised by the FOWHS after school today. It already looks like a lot of fun in the hall.

Have a terrific half term.

Miss Stockley

The William Hogarth School Values Survey – The results are In....

Thank you to everybody who completed a survey during the parent consultations. There were over 90 responses which was fantastic. The whole school community: children, staff, parents and our governing body have now given their thoughts and preferences. The results are:

H - Happy
O – Optimistic
G – Generous
A – Ambitious
R – Resilient
T – Together
H – Hard-working

These values will now be woven into our curriculum and will be the values upheld as those that represent us as a school. These values will be learnt about, modelled and demonstrated by our whole school community so that The William Hogarth School is the best it can be.

Attendance and punctuality

CLASS	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE %	WEEKLY NUMBER OF LATES
REC ROTHKO	94.21%	6
1 MONDRIAN	95.03%	4
2 MATISSE	98.51%	3
2 MONET	94.07%	2
3 PICASSO	97.55%	10
4 BLAKE	90.87%	7
5 SHONIBARE	91.67%	10
6 RILEY	94.31%	5

ParentPay

Please remember your ParentPay account must be kept up to date or in credit. Any money owing for lunches, breakfast club, Nursery, after school clubs etc **MUST** be cleared by the end of today.

Please go online to <https://www.parentpay.com/> and settle **ANY** debt.

Children In Need – Friday 15th November from 2pm

This year we are raising money for this great cause with ‘The William Hogarth High Tea’ event. Parents, grandparents and friends are invited to purchase a ticket to this event where they will be served a tasting menu including a selection of food products made and served by the children. There will be baked goods, tarts, bread products and a sweet treat as well as tea. Each class will design and produce something delicious for you to sample and then score in a blind taste test and the winning classes will be rewarded with a prize. Leading up to the event children will be taking part in an ‘apprentice’ style project where they will develop and create their final piece for all those who attend. Recipe books will also be available to purchase on the day.

To make this event successful and to secure your place at this prestigious event, please purchase a ticket for £5 from the office. You can always pre-book a table for you and 6 friends if you get in early! Tickets go on sale after half term.



Friends of the William Hogarth School (PTA)

With half-term next week, we want to thank you for your support in our first few weeks back to school. We loved meeting new faces at our school's *Welcome Event* and were delighted to have a chat with many of you who stopped by for tea and treats at the *Macmillan Coffee Morning*. Thanks to those that stayed for our first *PTA Meeting* of the year. We hope you also enjoyed our first *Friday Fun*, hosted by Year 6 was lots of fun while raising £290.70 for our classes.

Please don't forget to join us after school today, from 3.30 -5pm, for our *International Food Festival* as we celebrate our school's tradition of embracing diverse cultures and backgrounds. We look forward to devouring traditional food and treats, having fun with arts, crafts and games, all while raising money for a great cause!

Upcoming Events

Friday 1 November – Guy Fawkes & Halloween Friday Fun, 3.30-4.30pm: Friday Fun, with a double-theme extravaganza of Guy Fawkes and Halloween, will be courtesy of Year 5 families. There will be fun games like apple bobbing, popcorn necklaces and some spooky cookie making and Guy Fawkes may even make an appearance! Plus candyfloss, the usual snacks, and drinks. Don't miss out on the fun!

Friday 15 November – PTA Annual General Meeting (AGM), 9am: After school drop off, we will vote on proposed governance reform and elect our Committee members. Please see a list of Committee roles and responsibilities on our school's website. We'd be delighted to have you!

Friday 29 November – Quiz Night, 7 – 9pm: A relaxed social event for adults-only. Join us for a good laugh with other parents and teachers to support our school.

Friday 13 December - Christmas Fair!!! Santa's Grotto!! Christmas Jumpers!! Need we say more?!

We can't do it without you!

We are a charity that raises funds to improve the school and our children's learning. All parents and carers are members of our PTA. We organise a range of activities and events including Bingo Nights, BBQs, social events and fairs. But we simply can't do the work we do without our amazing parent volunteers. Here are a few reasons we'd love for you to get involved and join us:

- Get Connected* – there's no better way of knowing what's happening in school.
- Be part of a community* – PTA events are a great way of getting to know other parents, carers, teachers and school staff.
- Share your skills* – By volunteering, you put your skills to use for a great cause – your children's school!
- Speak Up* – PTA can be a great way to effectively suggest change, share your ideas or concerns.
- Be a role model*- By being part of the PTA, you'll demonstrate to your child the importance you place on their education.

While we would love to see you at our upcoming AGM. But in case you can't make it, we want you to know you don't have to come to meetings to be involved. There are many ways you can help from the comfort of your own home or on your commute to and from work. Or simply join us at one of our upcoming events. Every little bit helps to improve our children's school!

Please don't hesitate to get in touch with your Class Rep or on williamhogarthpta@gmail.com

Bikeability Level 1 and 2 Holiday Course at Lampton Park on the 21st & 23rd October



Bikeability Level 2 course is aimed at Years 5 and 6, and teaches children the skills to be able to make a trip safely to school or for leisure on quiet roads.

This course includes a Bikeability Level 1 refresher session ensuring children are safe to carry on with Level 2, which takes place on roads local to the school.

All trainees are assessed against the following outcomes:

- ✓ All Level Bikeability 1 outcomes
- ✓ Completing an on-road journey whilst understanding where to ride on the roads being used
- ✓ Being aware of potential hazards
- ✓ Understanding how and when to signal intention to other road users
- ✓ Passing parked or slower moving vehicles and side-roads
- ✓ How to negotiate a T-junction from every direction as well as performing a U-turn
- ✓ Demonstrate decision-making and understanding of safe riding strategies and a basic understanding of the Highway Code



The Bikeability Level 2 Holiday Course is an excellent opportunity for children to participate in cycle training outside of school term time.

We will be holding the course at Lampton Park on the 21st October from 9:30 – 15:30 and continuing on the 23rd October from 9:30 – 12:45. The course is £15 per child and includes free bike hire. Each child will need to bring a helmet. For more information or to book your child's place please visit: <https://www.cycleexperience.com/Book-ForChildren/debc8671-bc77-4f63-95c4-b18cc0a9d723> or email brittany@cycleexperience.com.

Children's Multi-Activity Holiday Camps

**ACTON
CHISWICK
EALING
KENSINGTON
PUTNEY
UXBRIDGE**

OPEN 7.45AM-6PM

We offer the following types of days (please note that not all our sites offer all types of days)

EXTENDED DAY(S) <small>(7.45am-6.00pm)</small>	STANDARD DAY(S) <small>(9.00am-5.00pm)</small>	SHORT DAY(S) <small>(10.00am-3.00pm)</small>
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For all **2019 dates** or to **book your place** please visit www.aktivacamps.com