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West Hill Primary School



Newsletter December 2017

December has been such a busy month, with a fantastic Winter Fair from the Friends of West Hill, a Nursery Festive Concert, a Reception and Key Stage 1 Nativity and Key Stage 2 Singing Concert. The children have also enjoyed the Big Foot Theatre Company Panto, Christmas Lunch and worked on greeting cards for the Ram Brewery Developers Greenland, culminating in a visit from the Mayor of Wandsworth to award prizes.

There are lots of photos on our [website www.westhillprimaryschool.org](http://www.westhillprimaryschool.org)



SATS Results

The Department for Education has now published the SATs results for 2017 which are on its website at: <https://www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk/school/101024>

In 2016 the government introduced progress measures, which are a type of value added measure. This means that our pupils' results are compared to the actual achievements of other pupils nationally with similar prior attainment in Key Stage One. Most schools' progress is expected to fall between -5 and +5 with the national average being set at 0.

Our progress results for Writing and Maths were well above average and in the top 10% of schools nationally. Our reading progress was average which represents about 60% of schools nationally.

23 pupils included	Reading	Writing	Maths
School progress score	+1.44	+3.58	+3.35
Well above national average (about 10% of schools)		●	●
About National average (about 10% of schools)			
National Average (about 60% of schools)	●		
Below National Average (about 10% of schools)			
Well below national average (about 10% of schools)			

Please turn over the page for more results

The table below shows the attainment and progress of children at West Hill for the academic year 2016-17 in Key Stage 2 compared to the national results. The data includes two pupils with Statements who did not take the SATs (7.4% of the cohort).

2017 – end of year results					
KS2 Attainment (27 pupils)	School	National	KS2 Progress (23 pupils)	School	National
Reading % at expected	63%	71%	Average	+1.46	0.0
Reading % at higher level	15%	25%			
Reading scaled score average	102.8	104.1			
Writing % at expected	78%	76%	Well above national average	+3.58	0.0
Writing % at higher level	15%	18%			
Maths % at expected	63%	75%	Well above national average	+3.35	0.0
Maths % at higher level	26%	23%			
Maths scaled score average	104.5	104.2			
RWM % at expected	56%	61%			
RWM % at higher level	4%	9%			

Winter Break



We hope you have an enjoyable and relaxing holiday. Please remember that school finishes at 2pm on Wednesday 20th December .

All pupils return to school on Wednesday 3rd January 2018 at 8.50am.



Dates for your diary (all dates are on the website)

Autumn Term 2017

Last day of Autumn Term : Wednesday 20th December 2017 (2pm finish)

Spring Term 2018

1st day of Spring Term 2018: Wednesday 3rd January 2018

6th February—Safer Internet Day

9th February—Year 4 Blackfriars Class Assembly

Half Term: Monday 12th to Friday 16th February 2018

First day back: Tuesday 20th February 2018

8th March—Reception Classes Assembly

15th March—Year 1 Holborn Class Assembly

23rd March Year 1 Green Park Class Assembly

Last day of Spring Term : Thursday 29th March 2018 (2pm finish)

Summer Term 2018

1st day of Summer Term 2018: Monday 16th April 2018

SCHOOL CLOSED : Monday 7th May 2018 (May Day Bank Holiday)

14th—18th May SATS week

21st May—School photographer (class photos)

Half Term: Monday 28th May to Friday 1st June 2018

First day back: Monday 4th June 2018

13th June—Sports Day

20th June—Reserve Sports Day

22nd June—Year 3 Baker Street Class Assembly

29th June—Year 3 Charing Cross Class assembly

2nd—6th July Year 6 School Trip to the Isle of Wight

5th July—Year 2 Assembly (both classes)

11th/13th July—Year 4 Trip to Chelsea Physic Garden

12th July—Reception Classes Graduation (9.15am)

13th July—FoWH Summer Fair

Last day of Summer Term: Friday 20th July 2018 (2pm finish)

Autumn Term 2018

INSET Day : Monday 3rd September 2018 (school closed)

INSET Day : Tuesday 4th September 2018 (school closed)

First day back: Wednesday 5th September 2018

Half Term: Monday 22nd October—Friday 26th October 2018

INSET Day : Monday 29th October 2018

First day back : Tuesday 30th October

Last day : Friday 21st December 2018 (2pm finish)

Spring Term 2019

1st day of Spring Term: Tuesday 8th January 2019

Half term: Monday 18th to Friday 22nd February 2019

Last day of Spring Term : Friday 5th April (2pm finish)

Summer Term 2019

1st day of Summer Term: Tuesday 23rd April 2019

SCHOOL CLOSED : Monday 6th May 2019 (May Day Bank Holiday)

Half Term: Monday 27th to Friday 31st May 2019

First day back: Monday 3rd June 2019

Last day of Summer Term : Tuesday 23rd July (2pm finish)

