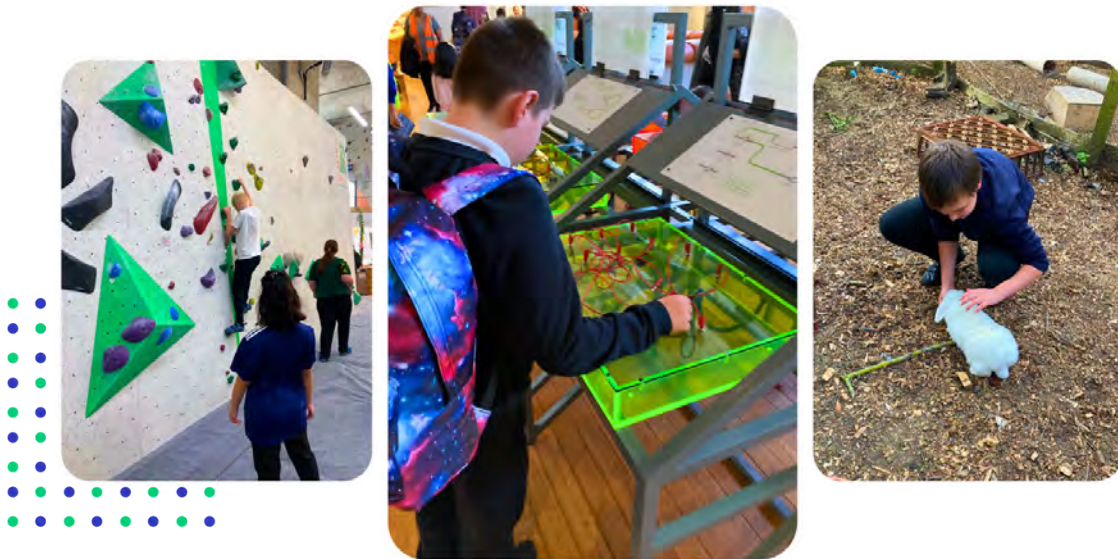




May Half term - Everything you need to know

Headteacher's address, Uniforms, Safeguarding update, Parental conflict programme (Take Charge) and so much more!



Keep posted on IG

Welcome to the summer. It seems that we are being blessed with a spell of beautiful sunshine and it looks set to continue into the half-term break!

Firstly, this half term we have been drilling down into pupil attendance, looking at patterns and identifying those with attendance of less than 95%, less than 90%, less than 85% and most importantly those struggling to meet 75%. **If your child is absent, please telephone the school receptionist, identify the reason for absence and we can take care of the rest. If you do not telephone the school, we will call you.** We will ask you to confirm the reason for the absence and then log it accordingly. **If your child is absent from school for 5 days or more, we must arrange a home visit.** Under safeguarding laws, we must ensure that a child is not suffering abuse and the face-to-face visit satisfies local authority arrangements. If we cannot get to see pupils at least every 5 days, we have to inform local authorities under children missing in education legislation. Please help us, to help you, keep your child safe from harm.



This ½ term we have been busy out in the community; taking our pupils on the Croydon Bus (Learning all about strangers, how to stay safe and what to do in an emergency), pupils have visited The Twist Museum, Various Markets, St Paul's Cathedral, The Tower of London, Fishing in Beddington Park, O2, The IFS Cloud Cable Car and **just around the corner is our Whole School D-Day Trip to Portsmouth.** We have invited parents/carers to join us, the tickets are booked, the coach is hired, and we are all looking forward to a fabulous day celebrating the lives of those who ensured our liberty.

Sport and recreation have seen **new sports added to the curriculum and one of the most exciting is NFL Tag.** This is a version of Tag Rugby using American Football as the vehicle. Our pupils have grasped the



rules and have been fully enjoying all the sport has to offer. It is so popular that we have started to make plans to enter an external competition.

The **Arts Award qualification** groups are doing exceptionally well, their projects are looking fantastic, lots of vibrant colours and creativity from all pupils.

Final assessments are looming for our year 11s and our year 10s have joined them for the final round of mock assessments before the proper assessments at the end of June. **All pupils in KS4 will have had the opportunity to sit at least 3 mock assessments and they are ready; they are confident and well prepared, and we wish them all luck.**





with the warm weather being with us, it is only right that the pupils are encouraged to keep cool and wear something less formal during the final term of the year. With that in mind, please note the school expectations:

Boys & Girls – Black trousers/tracksuit bottoms/joggers, or plain shorts (tailored or sports) mid-thigh in length

White Polo Shirt, White T-Shirt, Black Sweatshirt

Black Trainers, plimsolls, shoes

Please remember to pack sun protection cream/lotion in your child's bag.

Get your uniform

Safeguarding update

Finally, safeguarding – during the half term break there will be an on-call member of the team available for any matter of a safeguarding nature. Please feel free to call one of the

numbers below:

25th – 28th May 2024 – Lana Philippon – [07572710635](tel:07572710635)

29th May – 2nd June 2024 – Kevan Wayne-Morris – [07852989992](tel:07852989992)

Also visit our website www.thewritetimeschool.org.uk for information and support about a range of safeguarding and general support needs.



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support.

We believe this initiative has the potential to transform the lives of families in our community by empowering parents and fostering positive family dynamics and open communication.

If you would like to know more, **contact Suk at** [07903689634](tel:07903689634)

Take Charge

Key upcoming dates



24th May

Last day of ½ term (Sports Afternoon and BBQ from 12.40)



3rd June

Return to School



5th June

D-Day Trip to Portsmouth



21st June

Parents vs Staff Quiz Night
(18.30 – 21.00)



27th June

Sports Day @ Deepdish,
Crystal Palace (Parents
Welcome)



10th July

Careers Day and Parents'
Evening



18th July

Police vs TWT Football
Match



22nd July

Whole School Enrichment
Trips



23rd July

Last day of term (Finish at
12.40)

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