

WILBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter



NOVEMBER 2025

Children at the heart of all we do!

This Newsletter can be accessed on our School website:

www.wilburyprimaryschool.org.uk

Dear Parent/Carer

It was lovely to see so many parents and carers around at our Parents' Evenings last month – if you did not get a chance to see your child's teacher at that time, please contact the school office.

REMEMBRANCE DAY: Unfortunately, the British Legion are no longer able to supply us with poppies to sell in school, but have advised us to buy them from local supermarkets. Children will still be allowed to wear their poppies in school.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHER: The photographer will be here on **Wednesday 5th November** to take the children's photographs which will be returned to you in time for Christmas. Please remember to let us know if you require individual photographs as well as family ones.

EARLY YEARS OPEN DAYS: We have arranged for parents and carers to visit our Early Years dept – Nursery and Reception – on **Thursday 20th November** and **Thursday 8th January from 9.30 – 11.00 am**. You are welcome to bring your preschool child to visit the department, meet our staff and to PLAY!

REGISTRATIONS FOR RECEPTION AND NURSERY 2026: If your child is due to start in nursery or reception next September, 2026 you can apply for places now online via the Enfield admissions website. If you are unable to do this or need any assistance please contact the school office. You must apply by **15th January 2026** or the application will be classed as a late entry and will be awarded a place at a school without a waiting list.

SECONDARY TRANSFER 2026: Online applications for secondary schools next September have now closed. If you have any problems with an application, please contact the school office. Please visit the admissions website for additional details: [Admission to secondary school 2025 | Enfield Council](#)

FoW CHRISTMAS FAYRE: The Christmas fayre returns this year and will be held in school on **Wednesday 26th November** from 3.15 pm.

FLUORIDE APPLICATIONS: This will take place here on **Monday 10th November** for the first round of application. Application details have now been sent to Nursery, Reception and Year 1 children.

ATTENDANCE: We would like all parents to know that our target for school attendance remains at **96%**. Please report your child's absence from school before **9.30am** by telephoning 020 88075335 (**Select Option 1 for Attendance**) and advise us of the reason for your child's absence. Please give your child's full name and class each time.

PUNCTUALITY & ATTENDANCE: **Please make sure you bring your children to school on time every day**, we don't want them to miss out on any valuable learning time! Your most important job as a parent is to bring them to school on time every day and, in school, we will help your children to thrive and achieve! **We have arranged an online workshop for all parents and carers on Friday, 14th November from 9.30-10.30 am which covers 'A Peaceful School Run. Log in details will be emailed to you nearer the time.**



Friends of Wilbury –

CHRISTMAS FAYRE – WEDNESDAY 26TH NOVEMBER FROM 3.15 PM

Felix Project - food deliveries are every Tuesday. If you would like to receive some items, please contact Mrs Mohamed. PLEASE BE AWARE - The Felix Project collects fresh, nutritious food from suppliers that cannot be sold. Please visit <https://thefelixproject.org/about/our-story> for more information

FACEBOOK: You may not be aware that the school has a facebook page – please follow us – Wilbury Primary School.

CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION: This is open until **Friday, 7th November** – please ensure your child’s entry has their name and class written on the back.

HEADLICE/RING WORM: If you think your child may be suffering from headlice or ringworm please ask your pharmacist for advice or access the NHS website for information. All children must be treated before they return to school.

GAS WORKS: Cadent will be working on replacing underground gas pipes until the end of December in Wilbury Way – this will involve some disruption to the houses involved but will include the area of pavement outside the house being taped off for the duration of their upgrade. Please be aware when walking along Wilbury Way over the next several weeks.

MUSIC TUITION: Parents are now able to renew and book music lessons and activities for Spring 2026 from the Music Store:
<https://traded.enfield.gov.uk/musicstore>

NUT ALLERGIES: We are a healthy eating school and several of our children have severe nut allergies. Please **DO NOT** send any child into school with nut products (peanut butter, sesame seeds, nutella etc) or chocolates or biscuits and cakes containing nuts in their lunch boxes. Even the smell of these products can cause an allergic reaction to another child sitting nearby.

WATER BOTTLES: Please remember to send your child to school with a **plastic water** bottle showing their name – not a metal bottle.

KEEPING OUR CHILDREN SAFE: ROAD SAFETY & Parking in Wilbury Way/ Weir Hall Road: Please remember that road safety is the responsibility of everyone and we must ensure all our children are safe at all times. Please remember to park sensibly outside our school for the safety of all our children and **DO NOT** stop on the mini roundabout to drop off your child as this is extremely dangerous. In consideration of our neighbours, please do not park across their driveways whether the car is there or not. If they have a dropped kerb you could be fined up to £250 if traffic wardens are in attendance and it is towed.

Always ensure you are never blocking emergency vehicle access. Please keep well away from the bus stop area as this is very dangerous for children boarding or leaving the buses.

L. Wise (Mrs)
Headteacher

DATES FOR YOUR NOVEMBER DIARY:



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Tuesday	4th	3 x Year 4 classes at Natural History Museum
Wednesday	5th	Family and individual photos
Thursday	6 th	Year 5 PGL 2026 Residential trip information meeting for parents in Year 5 – Early Years Hall
Monday	10th	Fluoride applications – 1 st round Nursery, Rec & Year 1
Tuesday	11th	Remembrance Day Classes 5V & 5M Gurdwara visit
Thursday	13th	Classes 5L & 5S Gurdwara visit
Friday	14 th	9.30 – 10.30 A Peaceful School Run – online workshop for parents - details to follow 9.45 am THFC – KS2L workshop
Monday	17 th	Road Safety Week
Tuesday	18 th	3 x Year 4 classes cinema trip 'DOGMAN'
Thursday	20 th	9.30 – 11.00 am: Early Years Open Day – drop in session
LAST DAY OF TERM: Friday 19th December at 2.00 pm		

BREAKFAST & AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS:

Please register your child at the school if you would like to attend either club at any time.

Please be aware that we cannot accept children in the clubs as emergency child care.

Each child must be registered with all your contact details and given a regular place.

for health and safety as well as insurance reasons. We need to be fully staffed for the group in the club. All places must be paid for in advance via parentpay.

Breakfast Club: 07.45/8.00 – 8.30 am After School Club 3.15 – 5.30 pm

SCHOOL STREETS: Please be aware that our school is part of the scheme - this means you cannot drive through Weir Hall Road between **08.30 – 9.15 am and 2.45 – 3.30 p.m.** The area covered is between Wilbury Way/Lansbury Avenue. **Our address is also included in the ULEZ extended charging zone.**

The last day of the Autumn Term is **Friday 19th December** when we close at **2.00 p.m.** **School reopens on Tuesday 6th January, 2026 after one inset day on 5th January.**

School Closure Dates: 2025/2026:

INSET DAYS: (Staff training)

- **Monday 1st September**
- **Tuesday 2nd September**
- **Monday 5th January 2026**
- **Monday 23rd February 2026 (T)**
 - **Friday, 3rd July 2026**
 - **Monday 20th July 2026**