

Walthamstow Montessori School

Our Weekly News



Last week of the term.

The children have been practising very hard to learn their Christmas songs and are excited to perform for you in the next couple of days. More information and details of timings for the shows can be found on [our website](#).

Just a little reminder that the Autumn Term will end on Wednesday, the 18th of Dec, at 12.30pm. The children will not need a packed lunch & there will be no tea timers on that day.

Our festive holiday Club will run this week on Thursday and Friday.

Everyone at WMS would like to wish you all a wonderful Christmas break and a very happy new year. We look forward to welcoming you back on Tuesday 7th January when the school re-opens, and when new families will be joining us too.

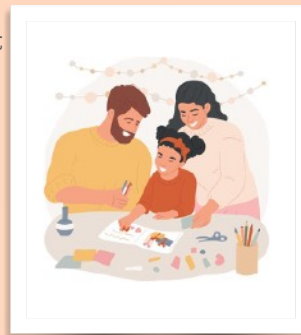
Our Parent Corner:

Best Start In Life

Follow the link above to find a timetable of what is on for under 5s at your local Waltham Forest Family Hub.

There is so much on offer, craft activities, cooking and music clubs, as well as Dads' sessions, grandparent sessions and so much more.

Take a look and find something that suits you. There is also plenty of practical advice and support available.



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SCHOOL TEA TOWELS

Thank you for your support, we raised over £400 selling our gorgeous tea towels! We will soon share our exciting plans for the raised funds.

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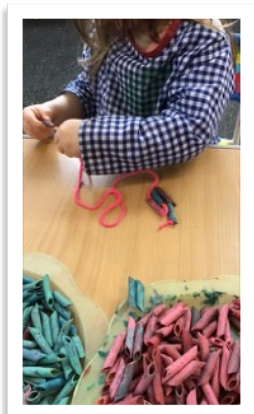
CHRISTMAS POSTBOX

Don't forget to post your Christmas cards in the box by the front door. The last day to do this is Tuesday 17th December.

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DRESSING UP

Are you having a clear out before Christmas? We would love donations of Dressing Up Clothes in good, clean condition. Thank you!



Last week at WMS, the children enjoyed wearing their Christmas jumpers and proudly showing them to their friends!

Elm and Oak enjoyed threading activities, making necklaces from painted pasta and wool. They also took part in various Christmas art activities, such as making wreaths, playing with Christmas playdough and creating Christmas trees using paint and glitter! The children continued to practise washing up their cups and bowls after snack, before drying them.

The youngest children in Seedlings and Acorn love Practical Life activities, such as pouring dry pasta or water from one jug to another and transferring pompoms with tongs. Last week, they painted paper bowls to make 3D planets for our upcoming Christmas concerts.

The children at Brookscroft Children’s House thoroughly enjoyed listening to Winter from Vivaldi’s Four Seasons. One of the children recognised the violin straight away! They also did lots of Christmas crafts, such as making salt dough Christmas tree decorations and pressing leaves into them to make prints.

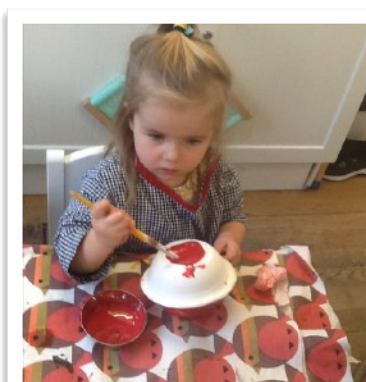
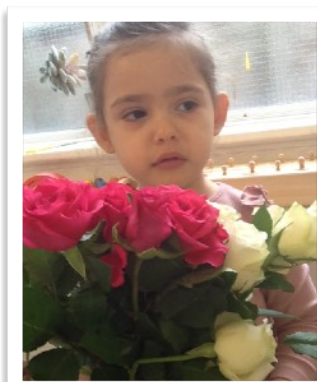
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Don't forget to follow us on Instagram too and look out for regular posts of what we are doing.
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Download a 'Wow Moment' form



Book of The Week.
 'Kipper's Christmas Eve' by Mick Inkpen. This is a charming story, full of festive cheer, perfect to read together before Christmas.



The Wizard Of Oz On Ice.
 Miss Jessica and Miss Karen were so excited to go to Alexandra Palace last week to see Niyah perform in the show. She was amazing and they thoroughly enjoyed it. Well done Niyah!



Brookscroft visits.
 We are excited that some of the children at Penrhyn will be transitioning to Brookscroft in January. They have recently visited their new environment and had a lovely time joining in with the activities on offer, as well creating some festive art and craft.