

Lancasterian Primary School

A safe and welcoming learning community where:

- we all aim high;
- everyone is included;
- creativity is valued.

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



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Top Attendance for the week: Early Years: Byron 99.6%

KS1: Andrews 99.0%

KS2: Akala 99.6%

Early End of Term Close Friday 1st April

Please note, children will need to be collected at the following times on the last day of this term.

- Nursery a.m. children: 11:45am (usual time)
- Nursery all day children: 12:45pm
- Reception: 12:30pm
- Years 1 & 2: 12:35pm
- Years 3 & 4: 12:40pm
- Years 5 & 6: 12:50pm



Last Day of Term (Friday 1st April) - Ignacio Integrity and Growth Mindset Dinosaurs

As usual, our last day of term will be a Dress-Up Day. So, on Friday 1st April children in Reception are invited to come in dressed as a growth mindset dinosaur (full costume, just the colour or anything in between!) and those in Y1-6 are invited to come in dressed as Ignacio Integrity (children are welcome to come in wearing either some aspect of Ignacio's "look" (e.g. the cape) or their school uniform). Pictures are attached. This is not a fundraiser so children don't have to bring in money.

We will also be running the usual drawing competition; children have until Friday 1st April to hand in a drawing of Ignacio Integrity to their teacher; the house captains will choose winners from across the school who will receive a prize. Entries will be judged on how well the picture shows Ignacio applying his strong sense of integrity. Please ensure your child includes their own name on the drawing!

Good luck!



Competition Time! Deadline Next Friday!!

All Haringey schools, nursery schools and colleges are grouped into Networked Learning Communities (NLCs) – our NLC is the North East Tottenham NLC and is made up of 11 local educational settings including our school.

We have decided to rebrand our NLC with a new name and logo to help us unite and stand out as a group of educational settings working together for the benefit of North East Tottenham children.

We would like your help!

We are inviting ideas for our new **name** and **logo** from our staff and families (both children and parents/carers) – try to think around the themes of education, working together, children, families, staff and the Tottenham area to come up with something unique, appropriate, memorable and punchy!

The winning idea will be developed with a graphic designer to become our official new name and logo!

The winners will be chosen by the NLC head teachers and there will be exciting first, second and third prizes.

The deadline for entries is the end of this half term – **Friday 1st April** – so please submit your ideas (with you name and, if applicable, your child's name included) to the school office by this time.

Winner will be announced early in summer term. Good luck!



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Easter 2022
break

FUN Activities, courses and events for children and young people in Haringey

haringey.gov.uk/holidayfun

Looking for something to do this Easter?

Visit Haringey's Easter Fun Activities page, packed with fun filled activities across the Borough for children of all ages.

[Easter-Fun-2022.pdf](#)
haringey.gov.uk

HARINGEY HOLIDAY ACTIVITY AND FOOD (HAF) PROGRAMME, 4 - 18 APRIL

Haringey is offering a range of HAF clubs over the Easter holidays.

All HAF clubs are completely free for young people who are eligible for benefits based free school meals during the holidays.

Clubs will be run by locally trusted organisations, offering a range of physical and enrichment activities and a tasty nutritious lunch for children across Haringey.

Ensuring they have a fun and active Easter holiday.

To book a place or for more information visit:
www.haringey.gov.uk/haf
Alternatively you can contact:
HAFProgramme@haringey.gov.uk

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Values Character Tattoos

We are selling Values Characters Tattoos to raise money for the school. A bargain at £2 for a set of all 6 characters!

If your child would like some, you can send them in with the money and they can go to the office themselves, or you can come to the office reception.

PARENT WORKSHOP

A Parent workshop will be taking place on Thursday 21st April 09.00am - 10.00am for parents who would like to support their child(ren) with phonics at home.

The workshop is aimed at Reception to Year 1 parents.

If parents would like to wear face masks they can and we will take into consideration our covid management policy.



Family Phonics will begin on **Tuesday 26 April 2022** and will take place every Tuesday morning from 09.10 - 09.40 for Reception - Year 1 parents.



Barnaamijka Bulshada Somaliyeed

XANAANADA IYO QOYSKA GAAWINTA

Fursad ay bulshada somaliyeed ka faa'iidayo adeegyada haringey ka jira. Qaasatan dhanka carruurta, dhalinyarada iyo qoysaska somaliyeed. Waliba, fursad oo jawaabo laagasiinayoo arimaha muhiim kuu ah.

Waxaad kala hadli kartaa shaqalaha:

- ✓ Health Services
- ✓ Local Nurseries
- ✓ Family Support
- ✓ Children Centres Services
- ✓ Haringey Adult Learning
- ✓ Connected Communities
- ✓ Haringey Youth Services

29th March
10.00AM - 1.00 PM

Marcus Garvey Library
(Children's Library)

Haringey LONDON In Partnership with **A Class Nursery**



Somali Community Event

CHILDCARE AND FAMILY SUPPORT SESSION

A chance for Somali families to explore the services available in Haringey for children, young people and their families, and a great opportunity to ask professionals questions you might have.

You'll be able to speak to professionals from:

- ✓ Health Services
- ✓ Local Nurseries
- ✓ Family Support
- ✓ Children Centres Services
- ✓ Haringey Adult Learning
- ✓ Connected Communities
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Haringey Music Service is delighted to be returning to the Royal Albert Hall on Friday 1 April 2022.

The concert will feature young musicians from all over Haringey, including choirs from local primary and secondary schools, and there will be performances from the Haringey Young Musicians ensembles including their Symphony Orchestra, Big Band, Guitar Orchestra, Percussion Group, Steel Band and Youth Choir.

Haringey Music Service have been working with living Haringey composers to bring you world premieres of multiple works, including a large scale performance of the new work *Songs for Unsung Heroes* by **Ty Lowe** and **Peter Desmond**. There will also be a specially commissioned piece featuring performers from special educational needs settings across the borough.

Join us for an exciting celebration of music uniting young people from across Haringey.

[Book tickets here!](#)



The Paddock Volunteer Diary April 2022

Suitable for all levels. Families and young people are welcome.
The Paddock Community Nature Park, Ferry Lane, London, N17 9BS



Friday 1st April 2022
Meet: 10:00 Finish: 11:00

[Bird Survey Volunteering Session](#)

Friday 1st April 2022
Meet: 11:15 Finish: 12:15

[Meadow Survey Volunteering Session](#)

Wed 6th April 2022
Meet: 10:00 Finish: 15:00

[Practical Conservation Activity](#)

Friday 8th April 2022
Meet: 10:00 Finish: 11:00

[Bird Survey Volunteering Session](#)

Friday 8th April 2022
Meet: 11:15 Finish: 12:15

[Butterfly Survey Volunteering Session](#)

Sat 9th April 2022
Meet: 6:00 Finish: 7:30

[Dawn Chorus Birding Walk](#)

Wed 13th April 2022
Meet: 10:00 Finish: 15:00
[Practical Conservation Activity](#)

Friday 15th April 2022
[Bank Holiday -No Activities](#)



Sign up: <https://www.tcv.org.uk/london/haringey/>

Email: thepaddock@tcv.org.uk; Call: 07483 045 734 or 07483 045 713

If the volunteer is under 18, please contact us before the first session for details.

Wed 20th April 2022
Meet: 10:00 Finish: 15:00

[Practical Conservation Activity](#)

Friday 22nd April 2022
Meet: 10:00 Finish: 11:00

[Bird Survey Volunteering Session](#)

Friday 22nd April 2022
Meet: 11:15 Finish: 12:15

[Pond Survey Volunteering Session](#)

Wed 27th April 2022
Meet: 10:00 Finish: 15:00

[Practical Conservation Activity](#)

Friday 29th April 2022
Meet: 10:00 Finish: 11:00

[Bird Survey Volunteering Session](#)

Friday 29th April 2022
Meet: 11:15 Finish: 12:15

[Bumblebee Survey Volunteering Session](#)

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on our website

New River Sports and Fitness in partnership with To the Whistle, Little Cubs, London Skolars and Haringey Rhinos presents its Easter Eggstravaganza holiday camps.

The Easter Camps will be running from 4 – 14 April.

Camps are available for 3 – 15 years, you can book one day or all nine days. Places funded for those receiving free school meals.

The camps will have a range of activities, with a grand Inflatable finale on 14 of April.

Parents, friends and families area all welcome to attend.

[Book online here](#)

Families could get a £150 council tax energy rebate

Most Haringey households in properties with council tax bands A to D will receive a one-off council tax energy rebate payment of £150 to help with rising energy costs.

It is quicker and easier for residents to receive their £150 payment if they pay their council tax by direct debit.

We will make the £150 payment to the bank account they use to pay their council tax once we have received their first direct debit payment in April 2022.

If they don't pay by direct debit, they will need to wait until we write to them and invite them to claim their £150 payment online. To get their payment easily, they can [sign up to pay their council tax by direct debit using Haringey My Account](#).

Find out more on our website: [Council Tax Energy Rebate](#).

Save money on your childcare bills with Tax-Free Childcare

If you're a working parent or carer, you can get up to £500 every three months (up to £2,000 a year per child) to help with the costs of childcare. If your child has a disability, you can get up to £1,000 every three months (up to £4,000 a year per child).

You can use it to pay for childcare including:

- childminders, nurseries and nannies
- playschemes, before and after school clubs, and holiday clubs

Check with your provider to see if they're signed up.



Childcare
Choices


HM Government

How it works

You set up an online childcare account for your child. For every £8 you pay into this account, the government will pay in £2, up to a maximum of £2,000 a year (or £4,000 if your child has a disability). You can then use the money to pay your childcare provider.

You need to reconfirm your eligibility for Tax-Free Childcare every three months. You'll get a text reminder and it's easy to do through your online childcare account.

Am I eligible?

To get Tax-Free Childcare, you need to be working at least 16 hours a week, earning at least the National Minimum Wage or National Living Wage. This includes being:

- self-employed
- on maternity or parental leave
- on sick leave or annual leave. Your child is eligible until the September after their 11th birthday, or until their 17th birthday if they have a disability.

Each parent or carer can earn up to £100,000 per year and still be eligible for Tax-Free Childcare. Your eligibility doesn't depend on how much tax you pay, so it won't affect your income tax liability or any other tax, like VAT.

You can't claim Tax-Free Childcare at the same time as Working Tax Credit, Child Tax Credit or Universal Credit.

If you live in Northern Ireland

If you live and pay tax in Northern Ireland but use a childcare provider in the Republic of Ireland, please call 0300 123 4097 to check your eligibility.

If you live in Northern Ireland but work in the Republic of Ireland, you're eligible for Tax-Free Childcare if you or your partner pay UK tax and complete an annual Self-Assessment tax return and foreign income page.

Find out more

To find out how much you could get towards your childcare costs and check whether you're eligible, visit www.childcarechoices.gov.uk



Queen's Platinum Jubilee PRIMARY SCHOOL COMPETITION

Please design a patriotic poster for the Queen to commemorate her Platinum Jubilee on 3rd June





£50  1st prize

£30  2nd prize

£20  3rd prize

Email entries to:
jubilee@parkview.haringey.sch.uk

Please include the following in the email:

-  Student's Full name
-  Date of Birth
-  Parent/carer contact number
-  Primary School & Year Group

Deadline for entries is 29th April 2022



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HELP PAYING FOR CHILD CARE

Childcare
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MONEY TOWARDS CHILD CARE

Any **one** of the following schemes...

Age	Age	Age
0-11 <small>Or 16 if disabled</small>	0-16	0-15 <small>Or 16 if disabled</small>
Get up to £2000 per child For working families	Claim back up to 85% of costs For working families	Claim back up to 70% of costs For working families
TAX-FREE CHILD CARE	UNIVERSAL CREDIT	TAX CREDITS

 AVAILABLE IN UK

... can be used with

FREE HOURS OF CHILD CARE

Age	Age	Age
2	3 ^{3/4}	3 ^{3/4}
For families getting certain government support	For all families	For working families
15 HOURS FREE CHILD CARE	15 HOURS FREE CHILD CARE	30 HOURS FREE CHILD CARE

 AVAILABLE IN ENGLAND
For offers in Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland check childcarechoices.gov.uk
Speak to your provider about any additional charges that may apply

For full details visit

childcarechoices.gov.uk

Getting childcare vouchers?
Go to GOV.UK to find out more

Family Benefits Advice Service

Providing free, impartial and confidential advice to parents, carers, childcare providers and employers



employersforchildcare.org

Freephone: 0800 028 3008

Employers For Childcare

Working For Parents

Our Family Benefits Advice Service provides free, impartial and confidential advice to parents and carers to help them maximise their income and inform them of their rights and entitlements. We operate a Freephone helpline 0800 028 3008 - Monday to Friday from 8am to 5pm.

Many people don't realise that even if they are working, they may still be entitled to financial help. Whether it's a first-time parent wanting to know what support is available or someone considering altering their hours of work, our team of experts will be happy to work out what's best for each individual.

How we can help

We provide information and advice on a wide range of childcare and work-related issues including:

- Tax-Free Childcare
- Universal Credit
- Tax Credits
- Childcare Vouchers
- Disability Benefits
- Social Security Benefits
- Maternity/Paternity Leave and Pay
- Shared Parental Leave
- Flexible Working
- School Uniform Allowance
- Free School Meals

Information we may need

To help us identify the support someone may be entitled to, it can be useful to have the following information to hand when calling:

- P60 income for previous tax year
- Estimated earnings and weekly working hours for this tax year
- Childcare costs
- Any disability or sickness benefits in payment
- Housing costs including rates
- Details of Maternity Leave and Pay
- Immigration status (if applicable)

Help towards childcare costs

If working and paying for registered childcare parents may be entitled to help through:

- Universal Credit
- Tax-Free Childcare
- Tax Credits

Parents currently using Childcare Vouchers can continue to do so, while they remain with their current employer and their youngest child is under 16 (17 if registered disabled).

Our advisors can calculate which form of support is best suited to each household's circumstances. We also work directly with employers and childcare providers, to give advice and guidance.

For further information please contact us:
hello@employersforchildcare.org

Freephone: 0800 028 3008

or visit our website:
employersforchildcare.org



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World Autism Acceptance Week

World Autism Acceptance Week runs from 28 March to 3 April. Please join us to promote the acceptance of autism and help improve the lives of autistic children in the UK.

In celebration of World Autism Acceptance Week 2022, we are hosting a range of inclusive events for autistic adults, friends, supporters, and professionals to promote Autism Acceptance.

Find out more about World Autism Acceptance Week on the [National Autistic Society website](#).

You can find out more on our Local Offer webpages and social media channels:

- [Local Offer webpages](#)
- [Facebook SEND](#)
- [Twitter SEND](#)
- [Instagram SEND](#)

Origami with Laura at #ActuallyHaringey Thursday 31 March, 12.30pm - 1.30pm

Join us for our Origami session with Laura. Origami is the Japanese art of paper folding. The goal is to transform a flat square sheet of paper into a finished sculpture through folding and sculpting techniques.



Online Event - Sharing An Autism Diagnosis With My Child

Haringey Language and Autism Support Team are hosting an online event for the chance to meet and hear other parents and practitioners experience of sharing a diagnosis of autism with children and young people.



You will need to register in advance. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information on how to join.

- **When:** Tuesday 29 March, 9.30 - 12.30pm
- **Where:** Online (Zoom)

[Register for this event](#)

Autism Acceptance Session (Online) Monday 28 March, 11.30am - 1pm

An online information session for those who would like to gain a better understanding of autism. Please email autismhub@haringey.gov.uk to register and receive the Microsoft Teams link.



Relaxed Open Morning at #ActuallyHaringey 29 March and 31 March, 10am - 12pm

Join us for our relaxed open morning, this will be an opportunity to have a tour of the #ActuallyHaringey building. This will also be a chance to find out more about the services we provide and meet the #ActuallyHaringey Team. Light refreshments will be available.



World Autism Acceptance Week

28 March - 3 April 2022

We are promoting World Autism Acceptance Week at Lancasterian Primary school.

Our Monday assembly will be on the topic: **What is Autism?**

This will be an age appropriate PowerPoint to explore what is Autism; including some

Myth busting facts and a look at some very successful Autistic Adults,
such as the creator of Pokémon Satoshi Tajiri.

Please follow this link to a story about Autism from Daniela who you will recognise as she used to work here!

My Friend Sam- Read by Daniela

https://app.seesaw.me/pages/shared_item?item_id=item.00af9f7f-fb5d-4aa7-8cfb-ae25eee263e9&share_token=YaNabVJMTHa09bNmV7XEDg&mode=share

There are lots of things happening in Haringey to help raise awareness of Autism. Please follow the link to access these:

<https://www.haringey.gov.uk/children-and-families/local-offer/health-services/health-conditions/autism/world-autism-acceptance-week#:~:text=World%20Autism%20Acceptance%20Week%20runs,autistic%20children%20in%20the%20UK.>

Don't forget that Haringey have an online event for sharing a diagnosis with your child please see the details below:

Haringey event

Online event - Sharing an autism diagnosis with my child

Haringey Language and Autism Support Team are hosting an online event for the chance to meet and hear other parents and practitioners experience of sharing a diagnosis of autism with children and young people.

Register in advance for this meeting: [Meeting Registration - Zoom](#) After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting **Tuesday 29 March 2022 9.30-12.30pm Online Via Zoom.**

World Autism Acceptance Week

28 March - 3 April 2022

STARS OF THE WEEK

The children below have demonstrated exemplary attitudes and behaviours in school for the following reasons:

Andrews	Whole Class	<i>For being fantastic during assessment week and working super hard.</i>
Rashmi	Angelica	<i>For her amazing effort in English and phonics.</i>
Rashmi	Daniel	<i>For doing so well on his new timetable, with his new adults.</i>
Jeffers	Serpil	<i>For having a positive and resilient attitude to his learning, especially with home reading.</i>
Jeffers	Indigo	<i>For the amazing progress she has made in reading and her amazing growth mindset.</i>
Ringgold	Sadiya	<i>For her growth mindset in Art this week, and her creative weaving and plaiting.</i>
Ringgold	Vinnie	<i>For his amazing focus and concentration in assessment week, and showing off all of his Maths and reading skills.</i>
Akala	Tallulah	<i>For making excellent effort in her assessment this week.</i>
Akala	Lucas	<i>For his fantastic effort in Maths.</i>
Mian	Ali	<i>For his awesome basketball skills, and showing all of his peers how to throw a basketball.</i>
Mian	Chloe	<i>For her persuasive writing and great listening in her small group.</i>
Dahl	Zakiya	<i>For always trying to extend and link learning by using new vocabulary.</i>
Dahl	Daniel	<i>For showing growth mindset and high aspiration in all lessons, especially Maths and English.</i>
Kerr	Latoya	<i>For her unending positivity and growth mindset.</i>
Kerr	Ella	<i>For always making a fantastic effort to support her peers with their learning just like Imari.</i>
Coelho	Sumaiyah	<i>For consistently concentrating and working to the best of her ability showcasing the values of the school at every possibility.</i>
Coelho	Saraya	<i>For producing a wonderful spring watercolour scene, and providing the class with excellent painting tips.</i>
Magorian	Dominik	<i>For showing a growth mindset in Art this week, seeking feedback and having a great attitude to improve his work.</i>
Magorian	Leija	<i>For being like Hetty in Art this week, by using her sketching skills.</i>
Blackman	Lela	<i>For continuing to work hard and having Hetty high aspirations in all her work.</i>
Blackman	Malak	<i>For having high aspirations in Art this week and working hard to produce a beautiful outcome.</i>
Zephaniah	Asmin	<i>For having amazing resilience within her writing and Maths.</i>
Zephaniah	James	<i>For engaging superbly in his learning this week, especially in his printing lesson.</i>