



NEWS FLASH

Friday 24th April 2020



WELCOME BACK

We would like to welcome you all back, to what will be (we hope) a positive Summer term. We trust you had a happy and safe Easter, enjoying valuable, quality time with your families. We will continue with home learning as we did before the holiday and keep you updated with all resources and information on a regular basis ☺.

GOOGLE CLASSROOM

We continue to develop the resources we use and the products available to us via Google. As a result of feedback, we have now made YouTube available. This means the following:

- Pupil Google logins now have access to YouTube BUT they do have some filtering applied.
- When logged in to a Chromebook (school owned or personal) with a school account, school filtering will be applied.
- When using a different device (mobile, tablet, windows pc etc) pupils will have the filtering that you as parents have in place at home.

PUPIL'S WEEKLY CHALLENGES

In an effort to ensure that our children are keeping physically fit and healthy in difficult times, we would like to draw your attention to the following resource, produced by Active Surrey. Each week, Active Surrey will set a 'Weekly Challenge' which is open to all ages but particularly suited to KS1 and KS2. The 'Weekly Challenge' can be found on our website at: 'Our Learning' – 'Distance Learning' – 'Pupils Weekly Challenge'. Please use it as a tool, in addition to the Google Classroom tasks and Joe Wicks, to support you in keeping your children physically fit. No garden? No problem ☺.

<https://www.worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk/page/?title=Pupil+Weekly+Challenge&pid=92>



SAFETY

Network Rail - Trespassing on Railway Lines

Due to the very high level of trespassing on the tracks by young people in our local area, Network Rail in partnership with Learn Live are working to help raise awareness to students across the UK educating them about the dangers of the train tracks through interactive digital delivery.

Network rail have asked us to share this safety video with our teachers and parents of students during this difficult time, to help educate students before going back to school and help to protect them while being off school.

<https://learnliveuk.com/network-rail-primary-school-safety-talk/>

FREE SCHOOL MEALS CRITERIA

If as a parent/carer you think you may be able to receive FSM for your children, you must be in receipt of one of the benefits below:

The entitlement criteria from 1 April 2018 is –

- *Income Support*
- *Income Based Job Seekers Allowance*
- *Income Related Employment and Support Allowance*
- *Eligible for Child Tax Credit but not Working Tax Credit and the household income (as used by HMRC to assess tax credits) is not more than £16,190. Please note: anyone eligible for Working Tax Credit, or if you have a partner and they receive it, regardless of Income, you will not qualify*
- *The Guarantee element of State Pension Credit*
- *Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999*
- *In receipt of the 4 week run on of working tax credit (this is where someone becomes unemployed or reduces their hours and so is no longer entitled to working tax credit but will continue to receive it for a further 4 weeks and is entitled to free meals during that time)*
- *Universal credit (provided you have an annual net earned household income of no more than £7,400 as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods). Your net earned income is your household income after taxes and deductions and does not include income from Universal Credit or any other benefits you may receive.*



Are you entitled?

Please contact Amy Sawkins (asawkins@worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk) in the school office who can support you with the process.

SCHOOL NURSING TEAM

For families of children from birth to 19 years, the 0-19 Advice line continues to run at normal hours; 8am to 5pm Monday to Friday providing support on all aspects of child health, development and parenting. Parents can contact the advice line team on 01883 340 922 who can then refer to school nurses if further support is required. Please see their website for further information at www.childrenshealthissurrey.nhs.uk.



BOOGIE PUMPS

Dance Classes RETURN LIVE in your own home!

Boogie Pumps are very excited to go LIVE, delivering weekly online sessions for children of all ages.

If you haven't signed up yet there's still time to book...



How to sign up?

Simply head over to their website and book on to the Summer term as usual for your child. Each week they will send an exclusive live feed link via email, to access their classes, for those who have signed up. Once schools reopen any remaining credit will be carried over to Boogie Pumps in venue sessions and your child will automatically be listed on the class register. **[BOOK NOW](#)**

Online Group & Party Sessions

Looking for a fun exclusive dance session for your child and their friends? Boogie Pumps can bring the party to your home with an exclusive Zoom session led by one of their teachers, full of games, disco fun and dance routines. Children can interact with their friends virtually through split screen webcam display. **Price: £30 for a 45 minute session, up to 6 children.** **[ENQUIRE NOW](#)**