

1st April 2022

Newsletter



Year 6 enter the scores at the Inter-House Times Table Challenge

Canonbury Artist



Our Year 4 artist holding her embroidery, Thick, swirling pools of colour with contrasting thin, straight lines that create a deep and vibrant work that you could look at for hours.

Y2 Athena Parent Workshop



In the last days of term we enjoyed our House Times Table Challenges, with years 5/6 and 3/4 teams answering quickfire questions for points, with bonuses for the audience—the hall was crackling with concentration!

From the Headteacher

We received 168 responses (see page 4) to the Parent Survey at the Parents Meetings this term, considerably more than half of Canonbury families. We are proud that all parents agree that their children are happy and safe at Canonbury, with most choosing 'strongly agree'. This will inspire us to continue developing and improving what we do in ways that match what children and parents value about the school. The weekly newsletter is the first step in developing communications, meanwhile teachers are working with Tanisha, Assistant Head, on adding further depth and breadth to our curriculum. Changes to homework will be informed by your responses to the survey. THANK YOU to our amazing PTA and Foundation for the excellent Easter Eggstravaganza, come snow or wind, to all the cake makers and our Year 6 Raffle Ticket Sellers – over 100 sold! (photos below!).

more news on the website– [click here](#)

School Attendance

 Islington target is 96%

Canonbury this week: 91%

Attendance Trophy

Reception- Pegasus class 96%

Y1/2- Athena Class 93%

Y3/4- Hermes Class 95%

Y5/6- Poseidon Class 95%



Punctuality Trophy

Reception- Phoenix class

Y1/2- Athena Class

Y3/4- Orpheus Class

Y5/6- Poseidon Class



Canonbury Superstars This Week

Year 1 Apollo - Chiara 

Year 1 Artemis - Kamran & Max

Year 2 Athena - Onur 

Year 2 Odysseus - Darcey & Kinzi

Year 3 Hermes - Toa

Year 3 Hestia - Henry

Year 4 Orpheus - Ben 

Year 4 Prometheus - Kamil

Year 5 Poseidon - Whole Class

Year 5 Rhea - Lucien 

Year 6 Hera - Alfie

Year 6 Zeus - Ilyess

Notices

Breakfast club and Playcentre - Please remember to book your sessions for the summer term via Scopay.com

Beat the Street - During the Easter break remember to tap your card at the beat boxes to get points. We are currently second on the Leaderboard but we NEED more points. See below screenshot of top 10 groups and points.



Key Dates for your Diary

Easter Monday - Monday 18th April 2022

Return to school for Summer Term 1 - Tuesday 19th April @ 8.45am- Breakfast club will run as usual

Clubs start- Monday 25th April 2022

Health and Wellbeing Clinic - Friday 29th April- (See poster)

May Day Bank Holiday - Monday 2nd May- School closed

Year 6 SATs week - Monday 9th May- Thursday 12th May 2022

Yr 3 Hermes intense swimming lessons - Monday 16th May - Friday 27th May 2022

May Half term - Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June 2022

Inset day 5 - Monday 6th June 2022

Return to school for Summer Term 2 - Tuesday 7th June 2022

Yr 3 Hestia intense swimming lessons - Monday 6th June - Friday 17th June 2022


School Trips -

Hera Class to Treginnis - Monday 16th May - Friday 20th May 2022

Yr 6 trip to Chessington World of Adventures - Thursday 26th May 2022

Zeus Class to Treginnis - Monday 6th June - Friday 10th June 2022



	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
My child is happy at Canonbury	71% 	29%	0%	0%	0%
My child feels safe at Canonbury	73%	25%	1%	0%	2%
The school has high expectations of my child	48%	40%	4%	0%	8%
My child does well at Canonbury	54%	44%	1%	0%	1%
The school lets me know how my child is doing	47%	45%	5%	1%	2%
My child has special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND) and the school <u>gives</u> them the support they need to succeed	55%	25%	4%	4%	12%
The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved	46%	48%	3%	0%	3%
The school deals with bullying effectively (Bullying is defined as deliberately hurtful behaviour which is unprovoked and repeated over a period of time)	32%	46%	4%	2%	16%
The school makes me aware of what my child will learn each term	55%	41%	1%	0%	3%
There is a good range of subjects available to my child in this school	59%	36%	1%	0%	4%
The school supports my child's wider personal development	56%	36%	6%	0%	2%
When I have raised concerns with the <u>school</u> they have been dealt with properly	46%	39%	5%	0%	10%
My child can take part in clubs and activities at Canonbury	64%	31%	2%	1%	2%
I would recommend Canonbury to another parent	74%	25%	0%	1%	1%

Homework Survey: We are reviewing our homework policy before the next academic year and would like know your views. As part of this we are considering: how using a shared computer drive for tasks and resources could support children with their homework and how we can help parents to be confident in helping with homework

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
<u>Home work</u> is an important part of my child's learning	43%	48%	8%	1%	1%
My child receives the right amount of homework	38%	50%	35%	1%	2%
too much 6% about right 82% too little 12%					
The homework set provides the right amount of challenge for my child	36%	54%	7%	0%	3%
too hard 1% about right 86% too easy 13%					
My child can complete their homework independently	29%	42%	27%	1%	2%
I know how to help my child with their homework	46%	48%	2%	1%	3%
Creative homework tasks (e.g. making and <u>designing</u>) <u>help</u> my child to learn more and remember more	39%	49%	6%	0%	7%
Using the school homework exercise book is the best way to help me and my child complete the homework	44%	47%	3%	1%	5%
Using a computer drive (e.g. google classroom or <u>classdojo</u>) could help my child to do well in their <u>home work</u>	23%	45%	17%	4%	11%
My child reads at home every week	59%	38%	3%	0%	0%
Once 4% more than once 32% <u>every day</u> 64%					



Whittington Health
NHS Trust

Hello, We Are Your School Health Team!



We run health and wellbeing clinics in your primary school

Our next clinic is on

29.04.22
9.30-12.00

You can talk to us about any health issue, including these...

We are...

- ✓ Confidential
- ✓ Visible
- ✓ Accessible

Bedwetting/
Toileting
Problems

Body Changes/
Personal Hygiene

Diet and Nutrition

Dental Health

Managing Minor Illnesses

You can contact us on 020 3316 8021/
whh-tr.IslingtonSchoolNursing@nhs.net
where there is a nurse to speak to Mon-Fri
9am- 5pm



Islington

Leaderboards



How it works + prizes



All



Average pts

Total pts



1	St John's Highbury Vale CofE Prim...	283 players	116,350 pts
2	Canonbury Primary School	368 players	61,980 pts
3	Thornhill Primary School	254 players	53,720 pts
4	St Joseph's Catholic Primary School	331 players	44,190 pts
5	Sacred Heart Catholic Primary Sch...	284 players	38,870 pts
6	Ambler Primary School and Childr...	232 players	35,590 pts
7	St Andrew's (Barnsbury) Church of...	125 players	24,010 pts
8	St Joan of Arc RC Primary School	165 players	23,300 pts
9	Gillespie Primary School	167 players	21,870 pts
10	Robert Blair School	150 players	16,270 pts

Term dates for 2022/2023

AUTUMN TERM	Thursday 1st September 2022 - Friday 16th December 2022
Autumn term 1	Thursday 1 st September - Friday 21 st October 2022
<i>Half-term</i>	<i>Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October 2022</i>
Autumn term 2	Monday 31 st October - Friday 16 th December 2022
<i>Christmas break</i>	<i>Monday 19th December 2022 - Monday 2nd January 2023</i>
SPRING TERM	Tuesday 3rd January 2023 - Friday 31st March 2023
Spring term 1	Tuesday 3 rd January 2023 - Friday 10 th February 2023
<i>Half-term</i>	<i>Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February 2023</i>
Spring term 2	Monday 20 th February - Friday 31 st March 2023
<i>Easter break</i>	<i>Monday 3rd April - Friday 14th April 2023 (Easter weekend: 7 - 10 April 2023)</i>
SUMMER TERM	Monday 17th April 2023 – Friday 21st July 2023
Summer term 1	Monday 17 th April - Friday 26 May 2023 (May Day Bank Holiday will be taken on Monday 1 May 2023)
<i>Half-term</i>	<i>Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June 2023 (Spring Bank Holiday will be taken on 29th May 2023)</i>
Summer term 2	Monday 5 th June - Friday 21 st July 2023
<i>Summer break</i>	<i>Monday 24th July – Monday 4th September 2023</i>
Inset Days	1 st & 2 nd September 2022 Three more inset days to be confirmed