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New on the website

Lots to look out for on our website:

- Secondary Transfer Info for Year 6
- Weekly News
- Breakfast Club
- Acorns After School Club

Twitter

Follow us on Twitter:
@WPS_Success

NHS Advice



Nasal Flu Vaccinations

The nasal flu vaccination for Reception to Year 6 will take place at Woodcroft on **10th November 2020**.

We would like parents and carers to register their child and give **consent by 24th October** so that we are able to make arrangements for the school's nasal vaccination day.

What next:

1. Read the letter from Barnet's Immunisation Team on our website via this link: <https://bit.ly/34tv2aH>
2. Give your consent by following this link: <https://clchschoollimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu>
3. Enter Woodcroft's unique code **CL134677**
4. Read an NHS information leaflet click here: <https://bit.ly/30AzELi>

Remember: We never administer any medication in school without the prior consent of a child's parent or carer.

Be Punctual - Arrive before 8.55am

Reminder: All children should be in school and ready for registration before 8.55am to avoid a late mark. If children arrive late it disrupts the lesson and affects the learning of every pupil in the class and not just the late child.

Teachers now set early work tasks from 8.30am. That means if your child arrives on time and by 8.40am every day it is the same as having an EXTRA lesson every week. This adds up to over 8 DAYS of learning across the school year. If a child arrives at 8.30am every day they are getting 2 weeks of extra school every academic year!

This is why being punctual to school is so important!

Time Tables Rock Star: 'Year Group' Battle of the Bands!



Pupils from Year 1 to Year 6 will join a half-term competition and battle against the other class in their year group.

Over the half term holiday, pupils in each class will team-up to go head to head against the other class in their year group. This takes place on Times Tables Rockstars (TTRS)! Starting at 3.00pm on Friday 23rd October, and until 8.30am on Monday 2nd November, pupils can win points for their class by answering as many times tables questions as possible, as quickly as they can. Every question answered counts towards your class total, with every class from Y1 to Y6 competing against the other class in their year group. Check your child's home link book for login details! Try to join in every day - learn your tables and help your class team!



Year 6 Secondary Transfer Applications

Year 6 families should ensure they have submitted their application for secondary school by the **31st October deadline** at <https://www.eadmissions.org.uk/>

Art Week begins Monday 9th November

From STEM to STEAM

After half term the whole school will be taking part in the first Art Week of the academic year! This term's theme will be in celebration of our **Year of STEM**. We will be turning **STEM into STE[+a]M** and celebrating the links between Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths and of course **Art!**



Each year group will take part in research about an artist and learn a particular visual art skill as their focus.

We will be displaying all of the fantastic work created on the class Treehouse and school website so parents will not miss out on the wonderful work of the pupils.

Google Classroom Launch to Reception and Nursery



Google Classroom

Nursery and Reception Classes are coming onboard with Google Classroom! This week, all Nursery and Reception parents have received a 'Logging on to Google Classroom' guide, along with their child's username and password stapled on an attached slip. Please login with your child and view the topic work posted by teachers. We hope you will leave a comment, or even a photograph of your holiday activities. Please see the attached guide and FAQs section below to help you get online!

The Birthday Book Club



Thank you to all of the pupils who have enjoyed recent birthdays and joined the Birthday Book Club by donating books for their Class Library.



Happy Birthday to Elyas (Nursery) age 4, Abokor (Reception) age 5, Arsim (Year 1) age 6 and Teddy (Year 2) age 7

Whole School
Attendance

↑91%↑

Aiming for 96%

Weekly Class Attendance Champions

Week Beginning 19th October 2020

KS1 Class of the week: **2M 99.5% TOP Class! Amazing Attendance**



KS2 Class of the week: **4T 99.2% Well Done**

Half Term Holiday Week

Monday 26th to Friday 30th October

We are then back in school on Monday 2nd November

LOGGING ON: GOOGLE CLASSROOM



1. LOGIN TO WOODCROFT

Visit woodcroft.barnet.sch.uk and click the green 'login' button.



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2. ENTER USERNAME & PASSWORD

Your child will have recorded this in their home link book. If you don't have access, please email, stating your child's name and class, to: woodcroftonline@woodcroft.barnet.sch.uk

3. CLICK THE GOOGLE CLASSROOM LOGO



4. CLICK ON YOUR CHILD'S CLASS NAME



LOOK FOR UPCOMING ASSIGNMENTS ON THE CLASS STREAM

Post any questions you may have to your child's class teacher. You may be able to submit work online, upload a picture of handwritten work, or just enjoy working together with your child.

TEACHERS WILL RESPOND TO ALL EMAILS WITHIN 48 HOURS.

Frequently Asked Questions when accessing Google Classroom

I've downloaded the Google Classroom app on my phone or tablet, and I'm being asked for a 'class code'. Do I need a code?

No! You don't need a code to join Google Classroom, as your child is already allocated to their class. However, you do need to add your child's Woodcroft (Google) account to your device's settings. This is usually done by going into settings>accounts. A full guide can be found at this link: <https://bit.ly/34e5WxG>

What is my child's Google account email?

You only need your child's Woodcroft username and password to login via the Woodcroft website, but you need the full email address to add accounts to your phone or tablet computer. Just add @woodcroft.barnet.sch.uk to your child's username when asked for your account details. It should look like this: 'username@woodcroft.barnet.sch.uk'.

What do I do if I don't have my child's login details?

Please make a request by emailing woodcroftonline@woodcroft.barnet.sch.uk. You will need to include your child's full name and class in the email.

What content will I find on Google Classroom?

Your child's teacher will make a minimum of one weekly post with activities and relevant links during term time. You should see an outline of the following week's learning on a Friday. Y1 to Y6 will also find their weekly Brain Builder homework in Google Classroom.

Do I need to download the Google Classroom app?

On a desktop or laptop computer this is not necessary, but it's the best way to access content if you're using a phone or tablet computer. Remember, you'll need to add your child's Woodcroft account to your device.

Can I submit pictures and other documents to Google Classroom?

Yes! You cannot add documents and images directly to the 'stream' to be visible immediately, but you can add documents and images to assignments set by your child's teacher. Teachers may choose to post these for the whole class to view once they have been reviewed. Please join the fun and send us pictures of your child's learning

Family Support Section

FREE Food Parcels For Woodcroft Families

You will be aware that the government in England rejected calls to extend a voucher scheme for children to receive free school meals over the half-term and winter holidays. This may put many families in additional hardship.

A member of our school community, and with the support of Morrisons supermarket, has arranged for **50 FREE food parcels to be made available to Woodcroft families over half-term**. This will take place next week on Tuesday 27th October between 10.00am and 12.00pm. If you want to take advantage of this kind offer please come along and pick up one of the parcels from outside school, on the pathway, by the main front door.

What: 50 Family Food Parcels

Where: Woodcroft Front Entrance

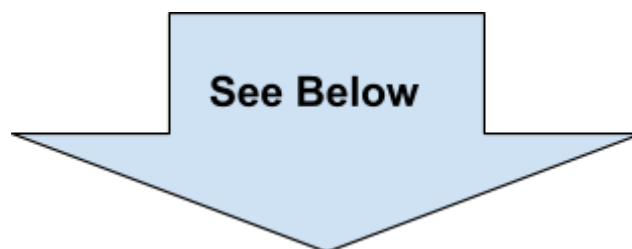
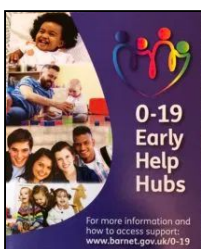
When: Tuesday 27th October Between 10.00 and 12.00



Children's Centre Services in West Barnet

Below is the 'Half Term Specials' flyer and also the Autumn timetable of sessions being delivered at Fairway, Silkstream and Wingfield & Stonegrove Children's Centres for our Branet West Locality. As you can see there is a blend of virtual and face to face sessions. Following positive feedback, the timetable has retained a directory that lists specialist support services. Please contact the service providers directly and not Woodcroft.

Thank you



Barnet
Sure Start Children's Centres
West Locality Activity Timetable
Part of the 0-19 Early Help Services

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02.11.20 - 18.12.20
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Activities offered weekly unless otherwise stated





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Staying COVID-19 Secure in 2020

We confirm we have complied with the government's guidance on managing the risk of COVID-19

FIVE STEPS TO SAFER WORKING TOGETHER

To help keep everyone safe, sessions will be outside and / or in well-ventilated rooms; group sizes have been significantly reduced as have resources to enable thorough cleaning at the end of each session; hand sanitizer will be available and adult social distancing is to be respected. Face coverings are required in all of the face to face groups. There is a booking system for all universal sessions. We will be following Government guidance and will review our risk assessments accordingly.

Sing-along Baby Care Arts & Crafts

Baby Massage Fun Activity Gardening Rhyme Time

Boogie Mites Healthy Cooking Story Time Makaton

Includes sessions in community languages
Please check Facebook for additional fun activities, information and updates

Barnet Children's Centres – West Locality 

		
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Face To Face Sessions



Antenatal & Postnatal appointments arranged via your Midwife

Midwifery @ Barnet & Southgate college Appointments only	Midwifery @ Barnet & Southgate college Appointments only	Midwifery @ Barnet & Southgate college Appointments only	Midwifery @ Barnet & Southgate college Appointments only	Midwifery @ Barnet & Southgate college Appointments only
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	Midwifery @ Silkstream Antenatal & Postnatal Clinic Appointments only		Midwifery @ Fairway Antenatal & Postnatal Clinic Appointments only	Midwifery @ Silkstream Antenatal & Postnatal Clinic Appointments only

Face To Face Sessions



All sessions will have limited spaces. Please contact the host Children's Centre for more information and to book a place

Stay & Play 0- 5 years 9.30 -11am To register your interest SilkstreamCC@barnet.gov.uk or call 020 8905 7605	Coffee Morning 10 -11.30am Hearing impaired pre-schoolers and their parents Delivered by the Hearing Impairment Team To register your interest Ann.East@Barnet.gov.uk or call Ann East 07771613496	Stay & Play 0 - 5 years 9.30 – 11am To register your interest childrenscentre@fairwaycc.barnetmail.net or call 020 8359 3730	Family Time Invite Only 9.30 – 11am	Fun with Stories Stay & Play 2 - 5 years 10 – 11.30am To register your interest childrenscentre@fairwaycc.barnetmail.net or call 020 8359 3730
Baby Group Under 18 months 10 – 11.30am *Starts 09.11.20* To register your interest childrenscentre@fairwaycc.barnetmail.net or call 020 8359 3730	Let's Get Active Physical experience 1 – 5 years 1 - 2.30pm To register your interest SilkstreamCC@barnet.gov.uk or call 020 8905 7605	Toddler Time Stay & Play 2 - 3 years 9.30 – 11am To register your interest SilkstreamCC@barnet.gov.uk or call 020 8905 7605	Little Walkers Buggy to 5 years Silkstream & Montrose Park 1 – 2pm Autumn walk 12.11.20 Winter walk 10.12.20 To register your interest	Baby Group Under 18 months 9.30 – 11am To register your interest SilkstreamCC@barnet.gov.uk or call 020 8905 7605
Stay & Play @ One Stonegrove 0- 5 years 10.30 – 12noon To register your interest wingfield@barnet.gov.uk or call 020 8359 3510	Baby Group Under 18 months 1 – 2.30pm To register your interest SilkstreamCC@barnet.gov.uk or call 020 8905 7605	Stay & Play@ Greentop Activity Centre 0- 5 years 12.30 – 2pm To register your interest wingfield@barnet.gov.uk or call 020 8359 3510	SilkstreamCC@barnet.gov.uk or call 020 8905 7605	Baby Group Greentop Activity Centre Under 18 months 12.30 – 1.30pm To register your interest wingfield@barnet.gov.uk or call 020 8359 3510
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Children Centres Addresses

<p>Fairway School & Children's Centre The Fairway, Mill Hill NW7 3HS 020 8359 3730 childrenscentre@fairwaycc.barnetmail.net</p>	<p>Silkstream Children's Centre Silkstream Road, Edgware HA8 0DA 020 8905 7605 SilkstreamCC@barnet.gov.uk</p>	<p>Wingfield & Stonegrove Children's Centre Mercury, The Concourse, Grahame Park, NW9 5XN 020 8359 3510 wingfield@barnet.gov.uk</p>
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Outreach Venues

		<p>One Stonegrove 5 Hayling Way, Edgware HA8 8BN</p>
		<p>Greentop Activity Centre Quakers Course, Lanacre Avenue, Grahame Park, London NW9 5WR</p>

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Virtual Sessions

				
<p>Paediatric First Aid (2 part workshop)</p> <p>09.11.20 10 - 11.30am</p> <p>and</p> <p>16.11.20 10am - 12noon</p> <p>To book a place please email childrenscentre@fairwaycc.barnetmail.net</p> <p>or call 020 8359 3730</p> <p>In partnership with Vital Workplace Training</p>	<p>Baby Rhyme Time with Rachel Under 18 months 10 – 10.30am</p> <p>To register your interest Please email childrenscentre@fairwaycc.barnetmail.net or call 020 8359 3730</p> <p>Oral Health Advice with Rachel and Fiona 1 – 3pm</p> <p>Support and advice about your child's oral health</p> <p>In partnership with CLCH</p> <p>To book an appointment please email rachael.crosbie@nhs.net</p>	<p>11 O' Clock Question Time 11 – 11.30am Live Facebook Stream on 'Barnet Childrens Centres – West Locality'</p> <p>Answering your questions around parenting</p> <p>Please email your questions to wingfield@barnet.gov.uk</p>	<p>Developmental Baby Massage 8 weeks- 18 weeks old 1 – 2pm FREE</p> <p>12.11.20 – 10.12.20 (5 week programme) To book a place please email childrenscentre@fairwaycc.barnetmail.net</p> <p>or call 020 8359 3730</p>	<p>Toddler Music & Dance with Action Songs 2 - 5 years</p> <p>2 – 2.30pm 06.11.20 20.11.20 04.12.20 18.12.20</p> <p>To book a place please email childrenscentre@fairwaycc.barnetmail.net</p> <p>or call 020 8359 3730</p>

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	<p>Health Promotions Workshops with Leah & Rachel 1.30 – 3pm</p> <p>Speech, Play & Communication 10.11.20</p> <p>Sleep Routines 17.11.20</p> <p>In partnership with CLCH</p> <p>To book a place please email childrenscentre@fairwayaycc.barnetmail.net or call 020 8359 3730</p>	<p>Oral Health Advice with Rachel and Fiona 1 – 3pm</p> <p>Support and advice about your child's oral health</p> <p>In partnership with CLCH</p> <p>To book an appointment please email rachael.crosbie@nhs.net</p>	<p>Parenting Workshops</p> <p>Encouraging Positive Behaviour 10 -11am 19.11.20</p> <p>Toilet Training 10 -11am 26.11.20</p> <p>exploring positive parenting skills</p> <p>To book a place please email childrenscentre@fairwaycc.barnetmail.net or call 020 8359 3730</p>	

Partner Service Directory

Health Visitor & School Nurse Duty Line

Health Visitors; All aspects of child health, development and parenting; infant feeding, introduction to solids, management of minor illness, behaviour, sleep and more.

School Nursing Team; health promotion advice, allergies, bedwetting, nutrition, growth, development, physical activity, behaviour, relationships and more.

020 8200 2500

7 days per week 9am – 5pm

clcht.childhealthinformation@nhs.net

Midwifery Help Line - 'Stars at Night' Team

Providing an out of hours telephone support service. They will give you advice on feeding, caring for your new born as well as a sensitive listening ear during those waking night time hours 10pm – 8am

07773 579529

Breastfeeding Support

Our Breastfeeding Support Service provides parents with support and information on infant feeding.

No appointment needed and our service is free for all - mums, dads, partners, grandparents, breastfeeders, mixed feeders, whether it's lots of support wanted or just little questions answered, drop us a call or message and we will get back to you

Phone: **07815 717055**

Facebook: BreastfeedingSupportinBarnet

Email: CLCHT.breastfeedingsupport@nhs.net

Instagram: BarnetBreastfeedingSupport

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Healthy Start Vitamins

Are you pregnant or have children under the age of four? You could qualify for free Healthy Start vitamins if you're on benefits, or if you're pregnant and under 18. To check eligibility please go to the following website.

<https://www.healthystart.nhs.uk/>

Vouchers can be redeemed at Barnet Childrens Centres.

Barnet Wellbeing Service

A hub that connects people to the appropriate wellbeing support.

'The wellbeing navigator will listen to your personal story, understand your needs and connect you to services tailored for you'.

0333 344 9088

www.barnetwellbeing.org.uk

info@barnetwellbeing.org.uk

Embrace Service

A post natal depression support group continues to provide support to mums and families experiencing low mood, anxiety or depression whilst pregnant or post birth. Natasha and Charlotte can be contacted via Coppetts Wood Children's Centre **07917 521350**. They can offer email or telephone support to anyone who would like to talk to them. Both of them have personal, lived experience of PND and anxiety. Talking to someone who understands what you are experiencing can help enormously in your mental health and wellbeing in the perinatal period.

Barnet Integrated Clinical Service (BICS)

BICS Early Help Clinical services offer social, emotional, behavioral and mild to moderate mental health support to children, young people and families within Barnet.

<https://www.barnet.gov.uk/barnet-integrated-clinical-service-bics>

079260 85495

9am to 8pm

Barnet Library Service

In line with government guidance, Libraries will be gradually re-opening and services re-introduced over the coming weeks and months. The safety of customers and staff is paramount. The libraries popular Select and Collect Service for books, DVDs and CDs is now available from all 14 Barnet libraries and pre-booked computers are available at selected times at four libraries. Please visit www.barnet.gov.uk/libraries for more information.

Welfare Rights

The welfare rights service provide advice to families about welfare benefits provide other advice services. They can help you complete forms, appeal against decisions, help you apply for other benefits, provide information on other benefits and offer money advice.

Ayesha.Feisal@barnet.gov.uk

Amina.Baadhio@barnet.gov.uk

Citizen Advice Barnet (CAB)

Although they have suspended their face-to-face services, the team are still there to help and give you free, impartial advice.

For advice on any issue call us on: **0300 456 8365** – Monday-Friday 9:30am – 4pm, Wednesday 9:30am – 7:30pm

If you need help claiming Universal Credit please call: **0800 144 8444 (Freephone)** – Monday-Friday 8am – 6pm.

For help applying to the EU Settlement Scheme, please call: **0300 456 8365**

For the Macmillan Welfare Benefits project, please call: **020 8440 4227**

For email advice, please complete the online form found on the webpage <http://barnetcab.org.uk/>

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Boost

Boost provide an array of services including employment, benefit advice, skills and wellbeing project with the aim to helping Barnet residents. They use a personal approach to understand individual's circumstances, help residents overcome obstacles and gain the confidence and skills to make a positive change.

Services include:

- CAB (0300 456 8365)
- Twining Enterprise (0300 123 7059)
- National Careers Service (0800 100 900)

020 8359 2442

boost@barnet.gov.uk

boostbarnet.org

Paddington Development Trust (PDT) The SWEET Project

'The SWEET project is for women who want to make a change in their lives' Advisers are on hand virtually to register and support you in 1-2-1 or group settings: **WELLBEING** – Our service will help you get the support you need to stay happy and well. **PREPARE** – You can start a training course, revise your CV and practise interview skills. **SEARCH & APPLY** - there are jobs out there now or you could look for things for the near future.

pdtesocial@pdt.org.uk or 020 7266 8254

Free Early Years Education

Information about the Free Early Education for 2 and 3/4 year olds. You may be entitled to up to 15 hours free Education for 2 year olds or up to 30 hours free Education for 3/4 year olds. For more information please call the Early Years Brokerage Team

020 8359 3052

Family Support & Early Help (0 -19 Early Help Hubs)

* Providing help and support to children, young people and their families from birth, up to the age of 19 (or 25 if they have special educational needs or a disability).

* All families face challenges and sometimes need support. Early Help is about providing you with this at the right time.

* We operate from 3 geographical areas or 'hubs', which enable us to be closer to where families live.

* With our partners, we provide a range of services, some of which are accessible to everyone and others that are more targeted.

C/O Barnet & Southgate College
7 Bristol Avenue
NW9 4BR

020 8359 3510

**West Locality Hub primarily covers the postcodes of: HA8, part of NW7, part of NW9

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Solace

A free and confidential service for women and men in Barnet affected by abuse;

- *Improving your safety
- *Housing & homelessness
- *Finance and welfare benefits
- *Access to legal services
- *Parenting & children
- *Emotional support

020 3874 5003

Barnet.advocacy@solacewomensaid.org

Barnet Children's Integrated Therapy (Speech and Language Therapy, Occupational therapy and Physiotherapy)

Barnet Children's Integrated Therapy Team will be running services virtually for most of our caseloads from September. We will offer video and telephone consultations for Children and Young People referred to Occupational Therapy and Physiotherapy Speech and Language Therapy accepted to the service. Where there is an identified urgent and critical need by a Physiotherapist, Occupational Therapist, Speech and Language Dysphagia Therapist then face-to-face intervention will be provided. We are excited to offer a virtual parent drop in service for families not yet referred to our service for parents to get some advice on how they can support their children's language and functional needs development at home.

0300 300 1821

nem-tr.barnetcit@nhs.net

Change, Grow and Live Service

The service is for those living in the Borough of Barnet who are experiencing issues with drugs and alcohol. Support is available between 9am – 5pm, Monday to Friday.

0300 303 2866

Barnet.info@cgl.org.uk

www.changegrowlive.org/barnet

Smoking Cessation

Supporting Barnet residents to stop smoking. Please refer to the Barnet website for further information

smokingcessation@barnet.gov.uk

<https://www.barnet.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/adults-health/stop-smoking-support>

Stop Smoking London Helpline:

0300 123 1044

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