At East Acton Primary School we help every child achieve their highest potential.

Advanced Notice: Safeguarding Training for Parents
- 6 Part Series
- Starting Thursday 7th November

We are extremely lucky to be able to offer some outstanding training for parents starting this term. This training has been provided in many other schools in Ealing and has received overwhelmingly positive feedback from all parents involved. I would highly recommend you come along. The training is run by Hoda Ali Warsame and Claire Meade from Ealing Local Authority and consists of a series of 6 sessions. Feedback from parents will help shape the content for future sessions.

The first session on the 7th of November will aim to explain what ‘Safeguarding’ means and the school’s role in keeping children safe and the procedures we follow. It will also explain the types of things from which we keep children safe. If you would like to register to attend, please contact the school office who will reserve a place.

Keep up to Date with Events in School
Please spread the word to all parents that this newsletter comes out each Friday and lists upcoming events as well as explaining what is going on in school. The newsletter is emailed, displayed on the parent noticeboard and uploaded onto the school website. If you would like it to be emailed to a different email address or require a paper copy please let us know.

Morning Drop Off
We kindly request that parents stay with their children in the playground until 8:45am when the classroom doors open. There are some staff in the playgrounds and at the gate before school but we value the support of parents in supervising their own children before they go into classes at 8:45am. This is also a valuable time to chat to your child about their learning and prepare them for the day to come.

Thank you to the many parents who already support in this way.

Year 6 Parents – Meeting With Headteacher of Ark Soane
There will be a meeting next Wednesday with the Headteacher of Ark Soane Academy – a new High School in Acton next year. You can hear about the school and ask questions. Please come along.

Golden Leaves
Congratulations to the children who earned a golden leaf this week for aiming high, being a lifelong learner, being happy and healthy, achieving well, or being a positive citizen:

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<td>Reception Ash</td>
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<td>Year 1 Beech</td>
<td>Noa Jovovic Robertson</td>
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<td>Year 2 Chestnut</td>
<td>Sabir Dahir</td>
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<td>Year 3 Cherry</td>
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<td>Ryan McNally-Charles</td>
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<td>Year 6 Oak</td>
<td>Lee Ladjyn-Prystas</td>
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<td>Year 6 Sequoia</td>
<td>Abigail Montague</td>
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Their names are now ‘growing’ on our Values Tree in the hall. Children will take home their leaf at the end of term.
Working with Parents:
Being a parent is a tough job at times – the following links may be useful for support and guidance:
Family Lives:  
http://www.familylives.org.uk/advice/primary/behaviour/positive-discipline/
Parent Channel:  
https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL9Huox3U1NqOWslz6_Ovhg1aejYfg7Lzc&app=desktop

And Finally…

Work continues on our new Edible Playground! The team hope to be finished next week. Soon the children will begin planting some winter vegetable crops.

Mr Peavey
Headteacher

Dates for your diary:

| September |  
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| **Wednesday 25th**  |  
| Parents of children in year 6 are invited to meet the Headteacher of Ark Soane Academy (a new high school opening in Acton next year). 3:15 to 3:45 in the hall. This follows on from last weeks information session for parents applying to secondary school.  
| **Wednesday 25th**  |  
| 2:45 – Class Meetings for year 1 and 2 in the classrooms –  
| **Thursday 26th**  |  
| 2:45 – Class Meetings for years 3 to 6 in the classrooms – teachers will explain the curriculum letters to parents/carers and answer questions about the curriculum for this term.  
| **Thursday 26th**  |  
| Phonics meeting for parents in Reception, year 1 and 2. In the hall at 9am.  

| October |  
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| **Tuesday 1st**  |  
| Maths Workshop for parents – all year groups – followed by open maths morning in your child’s class. 9am in the hall.  
| **Thursday 3rd**  |  
| 9am - Parent Coffee morning with Taina Cameron (School Counselling Service) – Taina will explain the service and explain upcoming workshops  
| **Tuesday 8th**  |  
| English Workshop for parents – all year groups – followed by open English morning in your child’s class. 9am in the hall.  
| **Monday 14th**  |  
| Harvest Assembly – children to bring in Harvest donations in a decorated Autumn themed box. All food donations go to Ealing Food Bank.  
| **Tuesday 15th**  |  
| East Acton Ward Forum meeting will be held - 19:30 - 21:30 at Community Hub, Woodward Buildings, Imperial College Halls, 1 Victoria Road, North Acton W3 6BL.  
| **Tuesday 15th**  |  
| Parents Evening  
| **Wednesday 16th**  |  
| Parents Evening  
| **Monday 21st to Friday 25th**  |  
| Autumn Half Term Holidays  
| **Thursday 31st October**  |  
| Deadline for current year 6 children to apply for high school.  

| November |  
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| **Friday 1st**  |  
| Individual school photos will be taken today  
| **Thursday 7th**  |  
| Safeguarding Training for Parents – session 1 – run by Hoda Ali and Claire Meade 9am in the hall  
| **Thursday 14th**  |  
| Safeguarding Training for Parents – session 2 – run by Hoda Ali and Claire Meade 9am  
| **Monday 18th**  |  
| Safeguarding Training for Parents – session 3 – run by Hoda Ali and Claire Meade 9am  
| **CHANGED DATES**  |  
| Parent Workshop ‘Calmer, Easier, Happier Parenting’ – Part 1 (Three part Workshop for parents/carers of children from Reception to year 6 - with Taina Cameron – School Counselling Service. Come along at 9am in the hall)  
| **Thursday 21st**  |  
| 9am in the hall – just come along!  
| **Thursday 28th**  |  
| Parent Workshop ‘Calmer, Easier,  

*School Counselling Service*
- Support for Parents / Carers & Children -
Taina Cameron is our school counsellor. She works in school every Thursday. She can help if you are concerned about your child or you would like to talk about any worries that are affecting you or your family.
Telephone number: 07582310756
Email: tcameron11.307@lgfmail.org

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Part 1
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9am in the hall | Happier Parenting’ – Part 2  
December  
Thursday 5th 9am in the hall | Parent Workshop ‘Calmer, Easier, Happier Parenting’ – Part 3  
Thursday 19th | Last Day of Autumn Term – children go home at 1:30  
Friday 20th to Friday the 3rd of January | Christmas Holidays  
January  
Monday 6th | First Day of Spring Term – Children back to school  
Wednesday 15th | Safeguarding Training for Parents – session 4 – run by Hoda Ali and Claire Meade 9am  
Wednesday 15th | Closing Date for applications for primary school – starting in reception in September 2020  
Thursday 23rd | Safeguarding Training for Parents – session 5 – run by Hoda Ali and Claire Meade 9am  
Date TBC | Safeguarding Training for Parents – session 6 – run by Hoda Ali and Claire Meade 9am  
February  
Friday 14th | Teacher Training Day – School closed for pupils  
Monday 17th to Friday 21st | Spring half term holiday  
March  
Monday 2nd | National offer day for current year 6 children to be informed of high school places  
April  
Friday 3rd | Last day of Spring term – children go home at 1:30  
Monday 6th to Friday 17th | Easter Holidays  
Thursday 16th | Offer date for primary school places – starting Reception 2020  
Monday 20th | First day of Summer Term – children back to school  
Thursday 30th | Deadline for parents to respond to primary school place offers made on 16/4/20  
May  
Friday 8th | May Bank Holiday – school closed  
Monday 25th to Friday 29th | Summer half term holiday  
June  
July  
Friday 17th | Last Day of Summer Term – Children go home at 1:30  

Many more dates to follow. New or altered dates are in red.
Buildings

Visit these buildings for FREE during Open House on Saturday 21 and Sunday 22 September 2013.

1 Art West Open Studios, Mythe Road, and 6 other buildings
   12-14 Mythe Road, CV61 4SK
   Sat 10am-5pm only to studios that have agreed to open, exhibitions at 3pm.
   Last entry 5.30pm.
   An Edwardian light industrial brick building, formerly used for making metal casement windows, currently it has 5 studios on the first floor with Terry Hearns' famous glass sculpture making studio on the ground floor.

2 Priddy Oxen
   1 Stanley Mills, 78 Corrington Road, WN15 7PD
   Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 10am-4pm. Last entry Sat 4.45pm, Sun 3.30pm.
   An industrial building originally built for maintaining confidence with a modern rear extension now housing a modern glass processing company.

The Playhouse at Gypsy Corner
   20-22 Victoria Industrial Estate, Victoria Road, WN1 6SF
   Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 10am-4pm. Admission £1 on the door.
   The venue is created from a Victorian industrial warehouse and is a great venue for small theatre groups.

3 Old Torpedo Factory
   51 Lioncliff Road, WN1 6ST
   Sat 12-5pm
   A prominent local landmark building. Believed to have been a soap factory originally, and was linked to the neighbouring property. Named by the present owner after its role as a torpedo manufacturing site in WN1.

John Lewis and Partners
   45 Old Market Road, WN1 1FW
   Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 10am-4pm. Last entry Sun 4pm.
   A 1930’s site, former Pease’s factory and is now a residential property.

Ace Cafe London
   7 Ace Cafe, North End Road, W10 5BP
   Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 10am-4pm. Last entry Sun 4pm.
   Established in 1938. Ace Cafe London has become the home of petrolheads and is known as the world’s most famous motor club, based on a shared passion for the rich traditions of motocross, car and rock ’n roll.

Wormwood Scrubs, The Chapel of Saint Pancras
   1057 & 1057A Wormwood Scrubs, Du Cane Road, W12 0HD
   Sat 11am-5pm, Sun 11am-4pm. Admission £2.50 per person.
   A Victorian built category B-listed grade 2 building.

Park Royal Fire Station
   48 Wood Road, W10 5QD
   Sat 11am-3pm, Sun 3pm-5pm. Admission £2.
   A 1949 fire station originally designed by Sir Basil Spence.

Key to Listings
   ✔ - Good access
   ✔ - Parking
   ✔ - Refreshments
   ☑ - Open normally for free
   ✔ - Address of listing
   ☑ - Opening times
   ✔ - Booking required