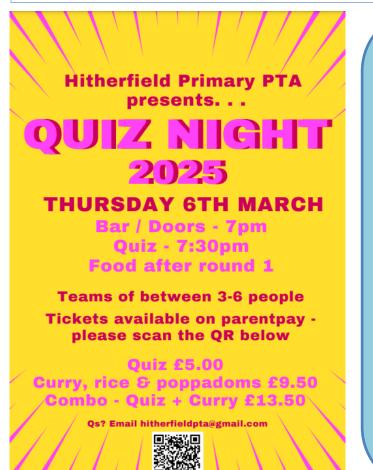
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GOOD NEWS CARDS

Congratulations to these children who have really impressed their Teachers this week.

1 COBRA Zion and Antonio 2 MANATEE Alice and Ruby 3 JAGUAR To be announced next term 4 HIPPOPOTAMUS Jacob and Eleanor 5 KINGFISHER Fia and Adam 6 ORCA Leo and Zain 1 DUGONG Nyla and Keylor 2 MONGOOSE Aihem and Sophia 3 MACAW Arya, Zara, Ariadni and Ivylove 4 FLAMINGO Akmal and Ayana 5 HEDGEHOG Michael and Janosch 6 PUFFIN Elsie and Theo 1 SUNBIRD Sadie and Ze'Nierah 2 HUMMINGBIRD Lilah and Zahara 3 ANACONDA Everyone in Anaconda! 4 CHEETAH Oona and Riccardo 5 OTTER Ellie and Rose 6 WOLVERINE Sonny and Josefina



Dates for the Diary

Friday 14th February – Last Day of Term

Monday 24th February – Children Return to School

Tuesday 4th March - Carnival / Shrove Tuesday / Pancake Day

Wednesday 5th March – 5 Hedgehog Class Assembly and Open Morning 9:15am – 10:30am

Thursday 6th March – 5 Kingfisher Class Assembly and Open Morning 9:15am – 10:30am

Friday 7th March – 5 Otter Class Assembly and Open Morning 9:15am – 10:30am

Friday 7th March – WORLD BOOK DAY

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Do you want to know more about special and additional needs?

JOIN US FOR OUR FIRST COFFEE MORNING ON FRIDAY 21ST MARCH

Are you a parent or carer of a child with Additional or Special Educational Needs or Disabilities (SEND) or just curious to know more about this and neurodiversity? Please join us for our first SEND Parents' community coffee morning on Friday 21st March.

We'll be hearing from the Hitherfield team about SEND at our school, an update on the Neurodiversity Working Group, hearing from parents and about the opening of the brand new space, the "Warren" specifically designed as a calming learning space.

The coffee morning will be a great chance to ask questions, meet other parents and find out more on the calendar of events we'll be running throughout the year.

We look forward to seeing you all then. In the meantime, please join our community whatsapp group by scanning the QR code below:



To ensure that no child is left out, the school-age immunisation service is offering additional flu vaccination clinics at trusted local community centres. These clinics are available for children who missed their in-school flu vaccinations.

The details of the additional clinics in Lambeth are as follows:

- Monday 17th February, 10:00 14:00, Stockwell Children's Centre, SW9 9TG
- Wednesday 19th February, 10:00 14:00, Stockwell Children's Centre, SW9 9TG
- Thursday 20th February, 10:00 14:00, Rye Oak Children & Family Centre, SE15 3PD
- Friday 21st February, 10:00 14:00, Rye Oak Children & Family Centre, SE15 3PD

To help the team manage appointments more effectively, please book a time by calling 020 8614 5495. There are also other community clinics available across southeast London, so please feel free to inquire about alternative dates, times, and venues if the Lambeth schedule is inconvenient.

We strongly encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity to ensure your child is protected against the flu.

Kind regards, Lambeth Public Health

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WORLD BOOK DAY IS COMING! Friday 7th March 2025

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Fancy dress (a book character or your PJs) **Costume parades Drop Everything and Read Paired Reading Book Themed Activities** Book Tokens The Big Book Swap

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Hitherfield Primary School is hosting our third **Big** Book Swap on Friday 7th of March for World Book Day!

And to make it happen, we need YOUR books! 1 or 10, ALL HELP!

Do you have any books at home that your children are bored of, are no longer age appropriate or that have sat untouched for months?

Yes? Then donate them to the Big Book Swap!

Please bring all donations as soon as possible!

Deliver them to either the school office or Nathan in Wolverine Class (Year 6) or Lauren in Koala Class (Reception).

(Please only donate books that children would like to read - No torn up or scribbled on books please!)

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Join our new book activity sessions with your child. These fun and interactive sessions have been designed by Coram Beanstalk to support parents to:

- Discover the joy and fun of sharing books together
- · Build new skills in reading aloud to your child

 Encourage your child to explore and enjoy a range of books

These activity sessions are designed for both parent and child to attend together.

Sessions are for children aged 2 - 5 and are free to attend. Families who sign up are required to attend all three sessions.

Sessions:

Monday 24 February, Monday 3 March and Monday 10 March, 10.30am - 11.30am

Hitherfield Children's Centre Hitherfield Road, Streatham, SW16 2LW

Interested in attending?

Please call the children's centre on 020 8835 9569 to book your place

For more information contact: Jessie Hammans: <u>JHammans1@lambeth.gov.uk</u> 07922 293 684















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Hitherfield SEND Parents Community Coffee Morning!

Friday 21 March 9-1030 am

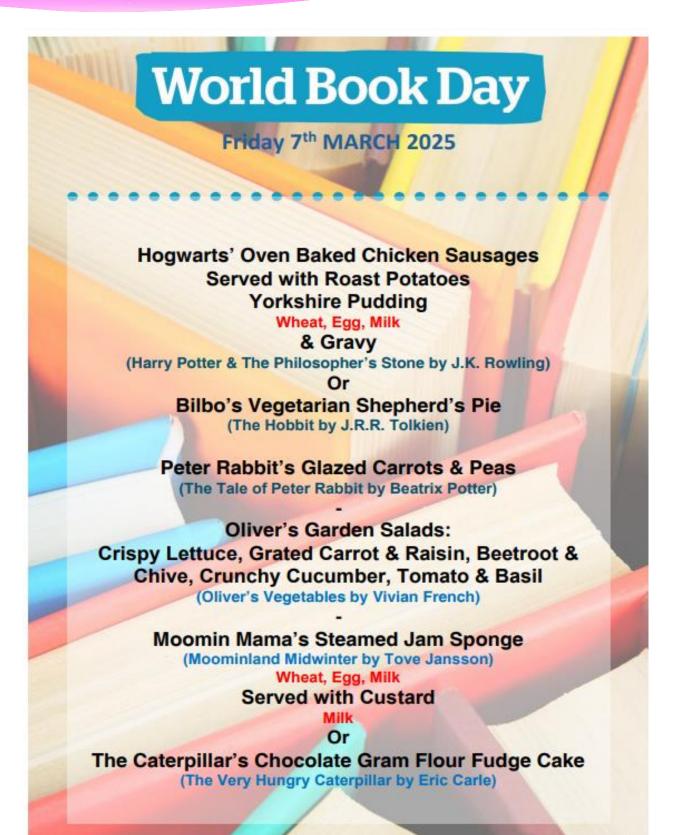
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Come and join us for our first SEND Parents' Community Coffee Morning. Meet Unta, our new SENDCO for the upper years, learn about SEND support at Hitherfield and hear news on the opening of the brand-new space, The Warren, specifically designed as a multi use area to support all students.

The coffee morning will be a great chance to **ask questions**, **meet other parents** and find out more on the **calendar of events** we'll be running throughout the year. We look forward to seeing you all then.



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Munch Brunch, Story & Rhyme Time





You will receive:

- A free brunch
- Free Story & Rhyme Time
- Free low-cost, no-cost activity
- ideas Free books

To book a place scan QR code or contact:

Angela Russell on 07508 074921

Email: unitymatterscic@gmail.com





Do you have a child under 5?

Are you feeling the impact of the cost-ofliving crisis?

Would you like to connect with other parents in a supportive environment?

If so, sign up for one of our Munch Brunch, Story & Rhyme Time's today!

Treehouse Children's Centre at Holmewood Nursery School, Upper Tulse Hill, SW2 2RW

- Start: Monday, 3rd March- 31st March 2025

- Time: 10:00 - 12:00

Or

Streatham Library 63 Streatham High Road **SW16 1PN**

- Start: Friday 28th February 4th April 2025
- Time: 10:00 12:00



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Guy's and St Thomas

Children's Toilet Training Workshop

Looking to toilet train your child?

Join our free workshop for families with preschool children in Lambeth and

Southwark. Get them ready and nappy free for school.

Parents, carers and children are all welcome.

Limited crèche is available so please book early to avoid disappointment.

When? Wednesday 19 February 2025, 09:30 - 11:30

Where? Hitherfield Children's Centre, Hitherfield Road, Streatham, SW162LW

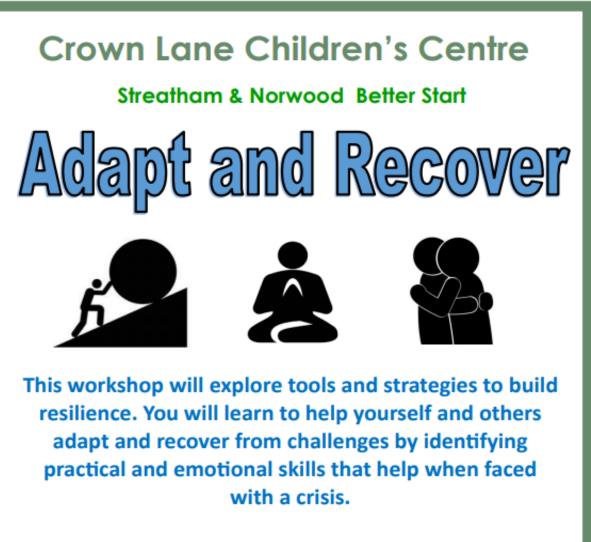
How to join To book, visit the Children's Centre or call 020 8835 9569

What to expect

We'll talk about:

- Where and when to start
- Getting your child motivated
- Toilet hygiene skills
- Coping with going out nappy free
- How to encourage independent skills
- Keeping dry overnight

We also offer 1-to-1 support to families referred to our service. To find out more, contact your Children's Centre or Health Visitor, or ask for more information at the workshop. NUMBER 0674 14th February 2025 HITHERFIELD HERALD www.hitherfield.co.uk



The workshop will be based around interactive activities and group discussion, with chances to reflect and share personal experiences.

Thursday 3rd April 9:30-11:15 Crown Lane Children's Centre, Crown Lane, SW16 3HX 20204 542 3520

Please call us to book a place on this Workshop



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Hitherfield Children's Centre Streatham & Norwood Better Start









This workshop will explore tools and strategies to build resilience. You will learn to help yourself and others adapt and recover from challenges by identifying practical and emotional skills that help when faced with a crisis.

The workshop will be based around interactive activities and group discussion, with chances to reflect and share personal experiences.

Thursday 13th March 9:30-11.15

Hitherfield Children's Centre, Hitherfield Road, SW16 2LW 20208 835 9569

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Hitherfield Children's Centre Streatham & Norwood Better Start First Aid Workshop **Basic First Aid Workshop especially for parents with** children aged 5-11 yrs. A great opportunity to learn skills and gain confidence to deal with emergencies and potentially save a life. Thursday 20th March 9.30-11.15 Hitherfield Children's Centre, Hitherfield Road SW16 2LW

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Crown Lane Children's Centre

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First Aid Workshop



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Thursday 6th March 9:30-11:15

Crown Lane Children's Centre, Crown Lane

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Please call us to book a place on this Workshop



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Get ready for work

Welcome & Registration Hitherfield Children's Centre 9.30 - 11.30 Thursday 13 February 2025

Text or call 07552 128668 For more information



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Circle of Security Parenting

The programme is designed to offer you relationship tools to provide you with a new way of understanding your child's needs, helping them feel more secure and you feel more confident as a parent.



What is Circle of Security Parenting?

A FREE 8-week programme, with creche available. You'll learn how to:

- Understand your child's emotional world by learning to read their emotional needs.
- Support your child's ability to manage emotions.
- Enhance the development of your child's self-esteem.

The programme is offered to Lambeth families with children aged 6 months to 5 years.

Where will the sessions be held?

The sessions will be delivered during the daytime in small group settings, at various Children's Centres across the borough of Lambeth.

When does the programme start and how do I sign up?

To find out more about when a programme is starting at a Children's Centre near you and to sign up, please visit www.lambeth.gov.uk/parenting and we will contact you with further details.

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