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Newsletter



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ATTENDANCE WEEK ENDING 15/3/2019



| CLASS | ATTENDANCE |
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| Finsbury Park | 98.6% |
| Highbury & Islington | 84.1% |
| Oxford Circus | 92.7% |
| Victoria | 95.7% |
| Covent Garden | 90.0% |
| Piccadilly Circus | 89.5% |
| Seven Sisters | 96.5% |
| Crouch Hill | 98.8% |
| Liverpool Street | 94.6% |
| Stratford | 97.6% |
| Holloway Road | 95.5% |
| Caledonian Road | 97.0% |
| Hoxton | 94.3% |
| Shoreditch | 92.9% |

YEAR 6 SCHOOL JOURNEY MEETING



If you have a child in Year 6, please come along to a School Journey Meeting which will take place at 8.30am on Wednesday 27th March.

EASTER HOLIDAYS



Reminder that we break up for the Easter Holidays on Friday 5th April at 2.00 p.m. School re-opens on Tuesday 23rd April

****CLASS NEWS****

Nursery

This week our focus book was 'The Gruffalo'. The story gave us an opportunity to talk about our feelings and helped the children to identify things that make them feel scared or anxious. Books like this help to develop language because of the rhyme and rhythm within the story structure. We also had great fun going on a 'Gruffalo Hunt' in the Forest Garden and we made magic wands using sticks and catkins. Please keep looking at your child's Tapestry account so that you can see how much they are enjoying school.

Reception

We have read Handa's Surprise this week and thought about what we would take our friends if we went to visit them. We wrote shopping lists to help us remember what we would like to buy and we have begun to use our play money to buy fruit for our snacks. Help your children to learn about money by looking at prices in shops and giving them coins to pay for things with.

Year 1

This week Year 1 have enjoyed learning about The Tempest as part of Shakespeare Week. We have role played actions in a storm and created our own storm music using instruments. Thank you to all the parents who came to the Year 1 assembly, we really liked performing for you all! Please help your children learn about time by asking them to read the time to the hour and half past the hour.

Year 2

For Shakespeare Week we created our own version of one of his plays, A Midsummer Nights Dream, and performed it to Year 1. There is a version of this story on the LGFL website which your child has a login for. Please encourage them to use it as it has lots of free safe resources for them to use.

Year 3

Year 3 have really enjoyed Shakespeare week, looking at his sonnets and writing our own poems about friendship. We have also started practising for our Assembly - please can you help your children with their lines over the weekend. It would be great to see you all to watch it on Wednesday 27th March at 9.10am.

Year 4

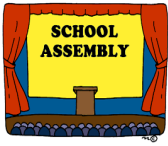
Year 4 really enjoyed Shakespeare week, where we started our work on Romeo and Juliet, Shakespeare's most famous play. We have been exploring the characters and plot before we visit the Globe Theatre for a tour and workshop on Monday. We will continue our work on the play until the end of term.

Year 5




We have had a very exciting week going to Into University Workshops on Tuesday. Everyone enjoyed it and the staff were very impressed. Thank you to all the children who have been working really hard on decimals and fractions this week. The times tables practise you've done must have helped!

Year 6

Year 6 have been building their skills as editors this week, learning how to spot errors and finding ways to improve sentences. They have also learnt about the subjunctive form in Grammar sessions, and how to use apostrophes correctly. In the lead up to SATs, it is very important that children are completing their homework on time each week as well as independent revision at home.



**CLASS/YEAR GROUP ASSEMBLIES 9.10 AM
AND EVENTS
SPRING/SUMMER TERM 2019**

| DATE | CLASS/YEAR GROUP |
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| Wednesday 27 th March | Year 6 School Journey Meeting 8.30 a.m. |
| Wednesday 27 th March | Year 3 Assembly |
| Monday 1 st April  | 50 Gold Awards Trip to AMSI 1.00-3.00 p.m. |
| Monday 1 st April | ***Parents' Evening 4.00-6.00 p.m.*** |
| Wednesday 3 rd April | Year 5 Rainforest Assembly |
| Thursday 4 th April | ***Parents' Evening 4.00-6.00 p.m.*** |
| Friday 5th April  | Break up for the Easter Holidays. School re-opens on Tuesday 23rd April. |
| Wednesday 8 th May | Stratford Class Assembly |
| Wednesday 15 th May | Year 3 Assembly |
| Wednesday 22 nd May | Year 1 Assembly |
| Friday 7 th June  | Photographer in school to take class photos. |
| Wednesday 12 th June | Crouch Hill Assembly |
| Wednesday 26 th June | Seven Sisters Class Assembly |
| Wednesday 3 rd July | Liverpool Street Class Assembly |