



NEWSLETTER

February 16th 2024 no.18

Dear Families,

We are at the end of another half term! I don't know where the time has gone since Christmas.

Please note the change of dates for the next parent consultation evenings—due to unforeseen circumstances, we will now hold them on Tuesday 19th and Thursday 21st March.





The office are currently updating parent information—please check the information on My Child At School is correct and let the office know if there is anything that needs changing. It is very important that we have up-to-date phone numbers and email addresses—we have provided more information about how to check this at the end of the newsletter.

Please ensure that when you enter and exit via the front of the school, you use the paths and do not walk through the carparks. This is to ensure the safety of both yourselves and your children.

We will be celebrating World Book Day on Friday 8th March, the theme this year will be 'Stories from Around the World'. The children are encouraged to come to school dressed in national outfits or colours that represent a flag of their choice. We also ask they bring a favourite book with them, that can be set in any country.


Have a lovely half term and I'll see everyone back on Monday 26th February.

Mrs Bray

School Rewards				
Teams	Emerald 	Ruby 	Sapphire 	Diamond 
Dojo points earned this week	1793	1899	1838	1851
Total Dojo points this year so far	31414	30562	30655	28099
Praise cards awarded this week	54			
Total praise cards awarded this academic year	626			

Congratulations! Well done for their effort and resilience

A reminder that each week a pupil is selected by the class teacher as a star learner, possibly a pupil who has demonstrated the Co-op values across the week in their learning and been a positive role model to the other pupils in the class.

	EYFS Stars	KS1 Stars	KS2 Stars	
	Nursery - Seisa RB - Bennie RH - Azeem RJ - Shourya RT - Christopher FS - Rafael	1L - Emran 1M - Mia 1S - Rylie Mae 1SU - Lara 2AV - Amira-Hope 2M - Reign 2N - Ismail 2P - Ela FS.S - Aedan FS.H - Laily	3D - Ugo 3J - Ismaeel 3R - Favour O 3W - Christy 4C - Rayan 4M - Nea 4P - Maryam 4W - Alissia FS2 - Desta	5A - Kajus 5B - Jacob 5C - Max 5Q - Edward 6C - Arish 6M - Marina 6R - Harrison 6S - Joshua



Dates for your diary



	Date	Year Group	Event
	19.02.24 – 23.02.24	Whole School	Half Term
March	01.03.24	KS1 & 2	Gymnastics
	04.03.24	Reception	Health Checks
	07.03.24	Whole School	World Book Day
	15.03.24	Whole School	Comic Relief
	15.03.24	Year 3/4	Tag Rugby
	19.03.24	Whole School	Parent Consultation Evening
	21.03.24	Whole School	Parent Consultation Evening
	22.03.24	Year 3/4	Sports Hall Athletics
	28.03.24	Whole School	End of Term
		29.03.24 – 12.04.24	Whole School
April	17.04.24	Reception	Two classes to Barleylands
	18.04.24	Reception	Two classes to Barleylands
	23.04.24	Reception	Health Checks
	26.04.24	KS1	Tag Rugby competition
May	13.05.24- 16.05.24	Year 6	SATS



Attendance

Please note, when pupils are absent for 3 or more consecutive days without parent contact, we may complete a home welfare check. All pupils who are absent for 3 or more days may be required to provide medical evidence

This week the Attendance Awards have been awarded to:

KS1	1S	96.4%	Mrs Sullivan
Lower KS2	4M	97.7%	Miss Masters
Upper KS2	6C	97.4%	Mrs Chadwick
Whole School attendance		93.5%	

Punctuality

It is very important that all children arrive on time. School doors open at 8.40am every morning. If your child arrives after 8.50am then they are late and they will not be able to come into school via the usual morning entrance doors but should instead come through the main school entrance. Your child will then need to sign in using our electronic signing in system. We will then be able to amend the registers and ensure your child is marked for a school dinner.

Please note that if your children arrive at school later than 9.30am, we are required to mark them as absent for that half day session.

If children are regularly late, a parent will be expected to attend a meeting to look at how punctuality can be improved.

Our Co-operative Values:

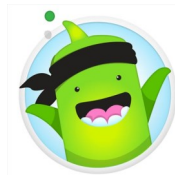
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Sports Stars of the Week



Reception	Oluwafikunmi A, Bitaniya H, Sophia J, Karim S
Year 1	Talya S, Rey T, Adam T-S, Aedan A
Year 2	Luna C, Mirsad B, Gianluca Z, Sharleez I
Year 3	Amanoor R, Nadia D, Julia W, Michael O
Year 4	Dorin C, Acer C, Henry D, Theodore B
Year 5	Bernice O, Ihsan M, Lucas N, Migle P
Year 6	Toby S, Leon A, Charlie E, Riyadh A

Class Dojo Champions



These children have earned the most dojo points in their class this week

EYFS Champs	KS1 Champs	KS2 Champs	
Nursery – Harper and Reuel RB – Michelle and Legend RH – Irina and Hassan RJ – Dulcie and Jibrán RT – Kyro and Victoria FS – Marcus	1L – Sherline and Muhammad 1M – Sofia and Artur 1S – Matei and Sapphire 1SU – Madeliene & Achim 2AV – Giulia and Gianluca 2M – Majeed and Luna 2N – Evelyn and Edward 2P – Luna and Liam FS.S - Kusang FS.H – Sharleez	3D – Emily & Olanrewaju 3J – Rosie and Mihai 3R – Mo and Emma 3W – Owen and Lexi 4C – Aaditya and Ariel 4M – Kaona and Doruk 4P – Oscar and Emma 4W – Abel and Rose FS2 – Vladut and Desta	5A – Saisha and Haris 5B – Ignas and Diya 5C – Sadat and Jessie 5Q – Kioluwe (Ayo) & Laura 6C – Arish and Josephine 6M – Remi and Charlie 6R – Ana and Leo 6S – Ahmed and Ajitha

Dinner Menu

Week commencing - 6th Nov, 27th Nov, 18th Dec, 8th Jan, 29th Jan, 19th Feb, 11th Mar						
Monday	Quom Hotpot	Meat Free Sausage Roll Herby Diced Potatoes	Jacket potato with a Choice of Filling	Sweetcorn	Baked Beans	Frozen Yoghurt
Tuesday	Chilli Con Carne Rice	Vegetable & Bean Fajitas	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling	Fresh Broccoli	Mixed Vegetables	Cocoa Sponge & Cocoa Sauce
Wednesday	Roast Gammon with Roast Potatoes	Roast Quom Fillet with Roast Potatoes	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling	Fresh Cauliflower	Fresh Carrots	Fruit Jelly
Thursday	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Potato Wedges	Tuna Pasta Bake	Jacket Potato with a choice of Filling	Green Beans	Baked Beans	Oat Cookie
Friday	Salmon Fingers with Chips	Vegetable fingers with Chips	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling	Peas	Baked Beans	Banana Sponge

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Maths Champions



Biggest improvement in accuracy:
Year 1

1 st	Harper F
2 nd	Mia P
3 rd	Tracey B



Biggest increase in correct answers	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Year 2	Daniel	Liam	Akidah
Year 3	Muhammad	Suprajit	Daniel
Year 4	Abel	Obaloluwa	Kayvon
Year 5	David	Stavros	Suchismita
Year 6	Ayaan A	Deimantas	Levente

CHECKING THAT THE INFORMATION HELD ON MCAS IS CORRECT

We ask that you to take a minute to review the current details that we hold for you and your child on the My Child at School app and request any changes that need to be made. It is important that we hold correct telephone numbers and email addresses for parents, as most of our communications are sent electronically. This can be done on the "Data Collection Form" tab on the left-hand side of the app dashboard.

We also request you review and update parental consents which can be found towards the bottom of the dashboard. These are very important to ensure we know what we can and cannot allow for your child.

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MISSED MMR DROP IN CLINIC

Has your school aged child missed their school MMR vaccine?

[MMR \(measles, mumps and rubella\) vaccine - NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](https://www.nhs.uk)

The school aged immunisation service is holding a clinic for any school aged child that has missed their MMR vaccine:

No appointment needed - Just walk in.

**TUESDAY 20TH FEBRUARY
2024**

10.00 – 14.00

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