



# Newsletter

Week ending 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2022

Message from the head teacher



Dear Parents and Carers,

Everyone is working very hard towards the Christmas Performances next week. We have put on some extra showings this year as last year the hall got very crowded. Please only attend the correct showing for your child so that we have plenty of room for everyone.

You will see from our important dates that in the last week the children will be having a Christmas day celebration on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December. The children can wear party clothes on that day and we will be celebrating with a special Christmas dinner at lunchtime. During the day the children will play party games and complete lots of Christmas activities. We will finish the day off with a Christmas Film. On the last day of term we will finish at 1.30pm as there will be some building works going on in the dining room the following week. Please make arrangements to collect your child on time on that day.

Kind regards

Fiona Cullen

Head teacher

### **Attendance This Week**

Year N	68%
Year R	75%
Year 1	79%
Year 2	79%
Year 3	81%
Year 4	77%
Year 5	79%
Year 6	83%
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### **Times Table Titans**

Year 4	Year 6
Maahi Krithik	Cynthia Khadeeja Selena
Year 5 Tahrim Aakavi Kavidra Jessica Joseph	Ihsan Habeeba Humaira Jacob Saika

## **East Ham Library Visits**

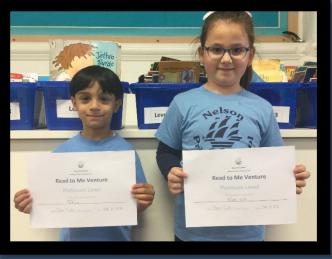
We have continued with our visits to the library this week. The children have all enjoyed their visits learning about different books and how to borrow them. Thanks to all of the parents that have supported us on these visits. We are so lucky to have such a lovely library on our doorstop. Please continue to visit with your child at weekends and evenings. The mini winter reading challenge starts in all libraries today! Children need to visit the library and read two books to earn their certificate. It would be great to see how many children from Nelson can





#### **Read to Me Venture**

Congratulations to Shiv and Kloe in G3 (and their parents!) for completing all five levels of the Read to Me Venture and achieving their Platinum Award.

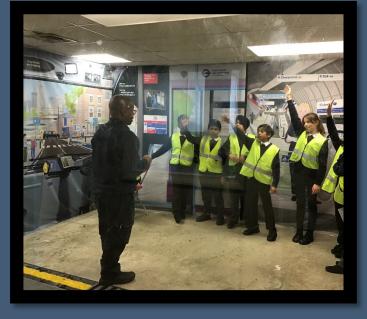


### **Year 6 at Junior Citizen Event**

Year 6 visited the Tate and Lyle Sugar Factory last week...but not to learn about sugar! They took part in a junior citizen event where they worked with TfL, the police, fire brigade and RLNI. They learnt how to keep safe when out and about.









### **Important dates:**

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December 9:15am - Years 5 and 6 Christmas Performance

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December 9:15am or 10.30am Year 3 and 4 Christmas Performance

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December 9:15am or 10am Year 1 and 2 Christmas Performance

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2.30pm PM Nursery Christmas Performance

Friday 9th December 9:15am Reception and AM Nursery Christmas Performance

School Terms	Pupils Holidays
Autumn Monday 5th September – Friday 21st October 2022	Staff INSET Thursday 1st September and Friday 2nd September 2022 Half Term Monday 24th October to Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> October 2022
Autumn Term 2  Monday 31st October to  Friday 16th December 2022	Christmas Break Monday 19th December 2022 to Monday 2nd January 2023
Spring Term 1 Wednesday 4th January 2023 to Friday 10th February 2023	Staff INSET Tuesday 3rd January 2023 Half Term Monday 13th February to Friday 17th February 2023
Spring Term 2 Tuesday 21st February 2023 to Friday 31st March 2023	Staff INSET  Monday 20th February 2023  Spring Break  Monday 3rd April to Friday 14th April 2023  Staff INSET  Monday 17th April 2023
Summer Term 1 Tuesday 18th April 2023 to Friday 26th May 2023	Half Term Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June 2023 May Day Monday 1st May 2023 Coronation Day Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May 2023
Summer Term 2  Monday 5th June 2023 to  Friday 21st July 2023	Summer Break Monday 24th July – (to be advised)
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In-service training days: This calendar includes 5 days which has been allocated for in-service training, however this may be subject to change.