



Newsletter

Week ending 3rd March 2023



Dear Parents / Carers,

We have had the most amazing day celebrating reading on World Book Day. Thank you to Mr and Mrs Patel for providing a bookstall in the playground and to those parents who supported it. We want children to love reading as much as we do. Please do ask them about the strange eggs that appeared all over the school today.

It was so lovely to see the parents of children in year 1 in school this week learning about phonics alongside their children.

I look forward to seeing you in school for our parents' evenings over the next two weeks. If you haven't booked your appointment please do so soon.

Kind regards

Fiona Cullen

Head teacher

Times Table Titans

Year 3 Jashan	Year 5 Edgar Tyreece Hassan Sabit Alesia Rizwan Musa Ifa Ayaan Salwa Ibi Vaishavi Maximus
Year 4 Kwame Brashtika Stacy	
Year 6 Tanber Ahmed Sharanjit Abu	

Attendance This Week

Year N	78%
Year R	92%
Year 1	91%
Year 2	87%
Year 3	93%
Year 4	94%
Year 5	93%
Year 6	95%
Average	92%

95% = 47 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR
8 days in total or 1 week and 3 days

90% = 95 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR
16 days in total or 3 weeks and 1 day

85% = 142 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR
24 days in total or 4 weeks and 4 days

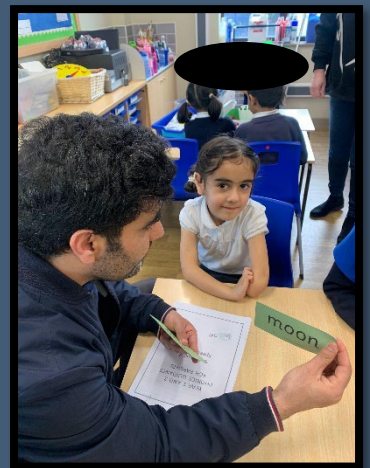
80% = 190 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR
32 days in total or 6 weeks and 2 days

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

WHAT DO YOUR
ATTENDANCE
FIGURES
ACTUALLY MEAN?

Parents come to school!

This week some of our year 1 parents were invited into school to learn some more about phonics. They had the opportunity to do some learning of the sounds themselves, watch a phonics lesson and then teach their child to read some new words with the sounds they had learned. Thank you to all of the parents that attended and the support you are giving to help your child learn to read.



Netball Competition

Our year 5 and 6 girls' netball team took part in a Newham competition at St Angela's School this week. Although they didn't make it through the group stages this time, they got a win under their belt and played really well. They will use this experience to come back stronger and more determined for the next tournament.



Football Competition

On Tuesday the 28th February, the yr4 girls' football team participated in the Newham yr3/4 football competition at West Ham foundation football ground. In the group stages they won one match and drew 0-0 in the other three games. Unfortunately they came 3rd in their group and did not qualify for the quarter finals. Well done girls! Better luck next time.



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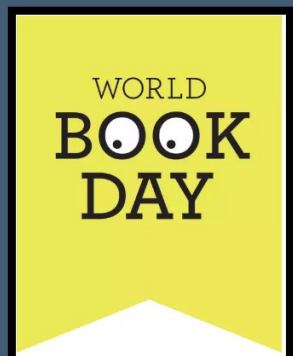
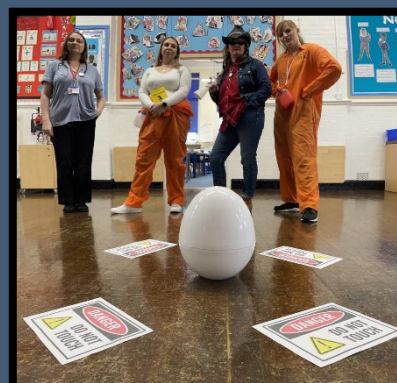
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World Book Day!

We've had a wonderful day celebrating world book day. Some mystery eggs appeared in our school today and the children have had a great time writing about what might be inside. They have also read lots of stories about dragons and have even designed their own. Thanks to all of our children (and their parents) for dressing up in such fantastic costumes to represent their favourite book characters. Here are just a few photos to represent the day, but follow us on twitter, facebook and Instagram to see lots more!



Important dates:

Parents' Evening – Wednesday 8th March and Tuesday 14th March
Year 3 Holi Assembly – Thursday 9th March, 9.15am
Week beginning 20th March – Spring Festival Concerts
Year 4 Easter Assembly – Thursday 30th March, 9.15am

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 th 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 th May 2023
Summer Term 2 Monday 5th June 2023 to Friday 21st July 2023	Summer Break Monday 24th July – Monday 4 th September 2023

School will not be closed for any of the religious festivals:

In-service training days: This calendar includes 5 days which has been allocated for in-service training, however this may be subject to change.