



Respect Resilience High Expectations

Welcome back to school after the half term holidays. I hope that everyone had a good break. It's such a busy half term and before we know it, Christmas will be upon us. I will let you know well in advance about dates for all Christmas events.

Fire Engine Visit

On Monday the children in Early Years had another special visitor. The London Fire Brigade came in to talk to the children about their role and what to do if there was a fire. The children also had a chance to sit in the fire engine. Shaila said, "This is so much fun".

Year 1 Toys

For their history topic, the children in Year 1 are learning about toys from the past and in the present. Yesterday the children were able to bring their favourite toy into school.

My favourite toy is a rabbit because my rabbit has soft ears.
Daniya 1V

Building Improvements

I hope you have all had a chance to see the new windows that are being put in across Year 1 and Year 2. I am sure you all agree that they make a big difference to the appearance of the school. The surrounding of the windows will be painted – it just needs to be done at a time when the children are not in school. The replacement the roof in EYFS is also coming along well. Once all of this is complete, work will start on the EYFS outdoor area. If there is any disruption, we will keep you informed.

Remembrance

Children have the opportunity to buy poppies in school as part of Remembrance. We ask for a minimum donation of 20p. We will be holding a special assembly on Wednesday and will honour a minute's silence.

6th November 2015

School Improvement

On Thursday I spent much of the day with our new school link inspector. We talked through the long term plan for the school and what steps need to be put into place to move the school towards outstanding. We agreed that there was a high priority throughout the school which focused on reading, communication and language.

Parents

On Wednesday I met with the 3 parent governors – Gona (Honey's mum), Hazel (Mia T's mum) and Ayaan (Adam, Anas and Aliyah's mum) to talk about ways to improve how parents get involved with children's learning at school. We came up with lots of ideas so watch this space!

Children in Need

Friday is Children in Need! The theme this year is superheroes so we are asking all of the children to dress up as a superhero. This can either be a conventional superhero such as Batman or Superman or you can make up a costume for your own superhero. Please bring in £1 to help raise money for Children in Need.

Beavers and Cubs

There has been a good turn out so the Beavers and Cubs is going to run for this whole half term initially. If you are in Y2, 3, 4 or 5 then come along today at 5pm. Boys and Girls are both welcome.

Attendance

Highest attendance: 3R with 99%
Most punctual classes: 6J – again!
Whole school attendance last week: 96.2%
Individual attendance winners: Tia (2L), Wiktorja (3H), Tyiann (3H) and Etar (1A)

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