

New City Primary School Newsletter



HealthySchools
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Head Teacher Update

Dear parents and carers
Thank you for all your support
Best wishes Mrs Stone



Important dates—Autumn Term 2023

- October 16th – Y6 Into University
 - October 16th – Black History Month workshops
 - October 17th – Y4 visit the British Museum
 - October 18th – Open Day for EYFS parents
 - October 20th – End of half term
 - November 6th – First day of Autumn 2
 - November 6th—Year 6 at IntoUniversity
 - November 8th—National Stem Day
 - November 13th—Anti-Bullying Week +World Kindness Day
 - November 13th—Y2 visit the Soames Centre
- Please note all information regarding dates, policies and the curriculum can be found on our website at www.newcity.boleyntrust.org

Harvest Festival



Thank you to everyone who attended our Harvest Festival concert this week and for generously contributing to our Harvest festival collection which will be donated to the New City food bank.

The Mexican Bean Chilli Poem

By Ruby McIntosh-6J

Whoever you are,
Whatever your mood,
The 6J Bean Chilli,
Will be your go-to food!

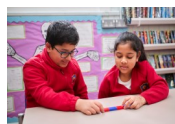
Vegan, vegetarian,
Lactose free too,
Suitable for everyone,
Including you!

Made with friendship,
Teamwork and care.
Delicious for all occasions,

Perfect to share!
Eaten by the Maya,
A long time ago.
Now from the country,
Called Mexico!

We know you'll love it,
A 100% guarantee.
A new flavour to try,

Science Award



We are excited to announce that New City has secured the prestigious accolade of Outreach for PSQM (Primary Science Quality Mark). This is the highest award that could be granted to the school through this programme. The PSQM is a one year school improvement programme for primary science and throughout the year Ms Burton and Mrs Thorn have been looking at ways to ensure science is strategically planned and taught across the school. We would like to say a massive congratulations to them and all the teachers and children who have worked hard and shone throughout this process.

Healthy Schools



A reminder that we are a nut free school and as a healthy school we promote healthy eating. We love to celebrate our children's birthday's here at New City however we ask that you please avoid bringing in cakes, sweets and any foods that may contain nuts.

Peer Mentors

At New City children apply to become a Peer Mentor. The children are then interviewed for this position. What is their role? The role of a Peer Mentor is very variable but at the heart of the role the Peer Mentor works to support children to ensure they are happy and safe. They are the ambassadors for New City!



6C - Adonis, Denis, Hafsa

Zubair, Inaaya, Jasim, Lydia, Mariana, Paige, Sophie, Stefania, Zara.

6J - Britney, Edina, Iana, Kian, Rutba, Ruby

6K - Afsa, Anisha, Irina, Kanij, Keeyana, Nasfisa, Mohammad Sufyan, Muhammad, Sarah, William.

Star of the Week

RG—Camilla RS—Tanisha RT—Mariama ID—Clinton IK—Divine IS—Innaya

2R—Yahya 2P—Robyn 3G—Wilhelmina 3B—Ayman 3D—Hasan 4S—Alana 4C—Aiman 4B—Hawwa 5M—Zayan 5T—Aayat 5K—Muhammed 6J—Britney 6K—Raheem 6C—Edward LH—Rishab

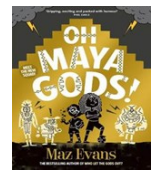


Attendance Award

The best class this week is ID-99%

Mr Freeland's Book Review

Oh Maya Gods



Vesper is brilliant at football. She's great at helping her dad run the farm. She's not so good at being friends with her cousin, Aster. Oh, and she hears a voice coming from the stones of Stonehenge. Meanwhile, Aster is super-bright, and he's travelled the world with his mum, but every time he worries or panics (which is pretty often), his hands start to dissolve into stars. When Vesper accidentally releases some nasty gods from their prison, it's down to her and Aster to help save the world. Kizin, the Maya god of death, is intent on sacrificing every human – unless the cousins beat his team at Pok-a-Tok, the Maya game that's a bit like football. But you can't use your feet. Or your head or hands. Gulp. Can Vesper and Aster put aside their differences to stop Kizin's destructive plans? Fans of Maz Evans' *Who Let The Gods Out?* series will be delighted to discover another action-packed adventure full of funny dialogue. Vesper and Aster take the god-outwitting reins from their parents – Elliot and Virgo – and the result is just as hilarious. Various characters from the other series feature, too, but this story stands alone

Attendance at New City

Attendance Matters



At New City we believe that 100% attendance for all children is highly important to ensure that children progress with their knowledge, understanding and skills and are ready for their next stage of their learning. We do appreciate that children become sick from time to time but would encourage you as parents/carers not to keep children off school with minor ailments and where possible keep medical appointments to after school and school holidays. If children's attendance causes us concern we will follow up with parents and the necessary agencies to ensure children do not miss out on their education.

Attendance Matters



Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Choice	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Wedges	Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Roast of the Day, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	BBQ or Lemon Herby Chicken with Jollof Rice	Fishfingers with Chips
Vegetarian Choice	Crunchy Topped Vegetable Bake with New Potatoes	Wholemeal Vegetable Pasta Bake	Sweet Potato and Spinach Flan with Roast Potatoes	BBQ or Lemon Herb Quorn with Jollof Rice	Mexican Bean Roll with Chips
Sides	Coleslaw	Vegetables of The Day	Vegetable Of The Day	Vegetables Of The Day	Peas Baked Beans
Dessert	Syrup Snap Biscuit	Fruit Jelly with Mandarins	Fruit Salad and Yoghurt	Iced Vanilla Sponge	Oaty Cookie

Jacket Potatoes, Salad Selection, Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt are available every day. Baguettes/Sandwiches are also available. All meat is halal