

New City Primary School Newsletter



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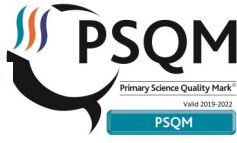
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Head Teacher Update

Dear parents and carers,
This week we had a Pantomime company perform a show for the children, this is the first year since Covid that we have had a live Pantomime performance here in the school. The children (and staff) really enjoyed the experience of seeing live theatre.
Best wishes Mrs Stone



Important dates-Autumn Term 2023

December 18th-Nativity Show:

- 9am-10am Nativity Show
- IK, 2P
- 10.45am-11.45am Nativity Show
- IS, 2P
- 1pm-2pm Nativity Show
- ID, 2R

December 19th-Christmas Show:

- 8.45am-9am Christmas Show-Hub, Nursery (AM)
- 9.30am-10.30 am Christmas Show-RG, 3D, 4B, 5K, 6C
- 11am-11.45 Christmas Show-RS, 3G, 4C, 5M, 6J
- 1.30-2.30 Christmas Show-Nursery (PM), RT, 3B, 4S, 5T, 6K

Last Day of Term-20th December

First day of Spring term-4th January 2024

Reception and Year 6- Height and Weight assessments

Young Voices-January 16th

Chicks in EYFS-January 16th

Year 3 Science Workshop-January 18th

Mobile Zoo-23rd January

Chinese New Year Performance-January 23rd

Year 6 visit the Stratford Youth Zone Theatre Production

Please note all information regarding dates, policies and the curriculum can be found on our website at www.newcity.boleyntrust.org

Christmas Panto!



The children Kicked off the Christmas count down with a live Pantomime Performance! The children watched 'Gnome Alone,' a production Gnorman the Gnome who needs to earn enough friendship tokens to save Christmas when he keeps bumping into famous baddies! The children are certainly now in the Christmas spirit and had a wonderful time!

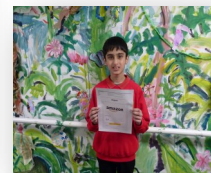
Christmas Journey



This week, Year 1 visited Upper-Room Foursquare Church to learn all about the Christmas Journey. The church created stations for us to visit, and told the story of the birth of Jesus. The children really impressed the members of the church with their knowledge and were able to retell key parts of the story from memory. As ever, they were exceptionally behaved and even performed one of the nativity songs in front of 3 other schools!

Exciting

Announcement!



Congratulations to the parents of Uzair in 6J who won our £30 Amazon voucher for taking part in our recent parent survey competition.

Stay and Read



It was lovely to welcome our Nursery and Reception parents and carers for our stay and read/play sessions this week. It was great to discuss your children's learning and how we can support your children's learning at home. Thank you for your ongoing support and we look forward to inviting you in again for some more sessions.

Skipping



This week, Dan the Skipping Man delivered energetic skipping workshops to Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2. Highlighting the total-body workout of skipping, he taught various skills, from the double jump to the criss-cross. The children embraced the fun and engaging sessions, improving coordination and fitness. The workshop emphasised the health benefits of skipping, promoting an active lifestyle among our students.

Star of the Week

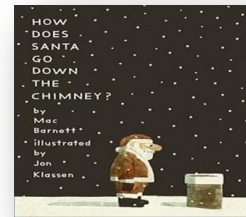
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IS — Adam 2R—Yusuf 2P— Aman 3G—Aiza 3B—Aishah 3D— Maria
4S— Sulayman 4C— Michelle 4B—SteveKnight 5M—Meraj
5T— Noorjahan 5K— Ibrahim 6J— Justin 6K— Afsa 6C—Kelsya
LH—Rayan



Attendance Award

The best classes this week are: 4B-97.4%

Mr Freeland's Book Review



How Does Santa Go Down the Chimney?
It's a question that has bedevilled generations of children, and no one has ever really been able to come to a satisfactory answer. How DOES Santa get down all of those chimneys – considering the variations in size, and the fact that many houses don't have chimneys at all? There is the key under the flowerpot – but nobody is supposed to know about that. Right? Does he have night vision goggles? And what does he do about dogs? This absolutely brilliant Christmas picture book is just as deadpan and hilarious as you might expect, given this is the team that gave us *Circle and Square*, and *The Wolf, the Duck and the Mouse*. and quirky too. A real treat.

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday		
Main Choice	Tomato Pasta	Chicken Sausage in a roll with Potato Wedges	Roast of The Day, Roast Potatoes and Gravy		
Vegetarian Choice	Cheesy Swirl with New Potatoes	Loaded Jackets	Lentil and Vegetable Soya Roast		
Sides	Vegetables of The Day	Vegetables of The Day	Vegetables of The Day		
Dessert	Carrot Cake	Apple Crumble with Custard	Fruit Medley		

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