# New City Primary School Newsletter

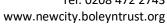








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## Head Teacher Update

Dear parents and carers

HealthySchools

You will have received a letter about becoming a Parent Governor. All applications need to be in the office by Wednesday January 25th. If you have any questions please do ask.

Please can I remind parents not to park on the yellow zig zag lines outside the school on Coronation Road and Tunmarsh Lane as this is dangerous for the other children. Thank

, Best wishes, Mrs Stone



#### Self Defence Classes for Parents

We have started self-defence classes on Monday afternoons for our parents in partnership with Plaistow South Big Local (PSBL). These classes are aimed at women and girls. If you would like to join please contact malaka@PSBL.org.uk or 07922712214



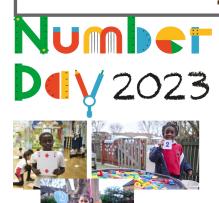
#### Year 5 Visit the British Museum

This week, year 5 went on a trip to the British Museum to explore Ancient Greece. The children discovered what it meant to be a citizen of classical Athens, the sporting events of the ancient Olympic Games, the heroes and heroines of Greek mythology and experienced the magnificent architecture. This was a fantastic

opportunity for us to learn even more about the fascinating civilisation and culture of the ancient Greeks.









## When is it? Friday 3rd February 2023

Please come to dressed wearing numbers, clothes with different shapes, stripes or dots.

Donations will be collected at the start and end of school and all the money raised will go to the NSPCC charity. The NSPCC is a charity which protects children from abuse and aims to transform society so that every child lives feeling safe and secure.

## Important dates-Spring Term 2023

Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> - Coding Workshop for Year

Jan 25<sup>th</sup> - Reptile Workshop in EYFS

Jan 25th—Deadline for applications for Parent Governor

Jan 27<sup>th</sup> - Y6 Junior Citizenship

Jan 27th - Commonwealth Choir at the London Palladium

Feb 3rd—Numbers Day—dress up as a number

Feb 6<sup>th</sup> - Year 4 visit to the National Archives

Feb  $10^{\text{th}}$  - Last day of Spring 1

Feb 20th - First day of Spring 2

Feb 27th - Year 4 visit Kew Gardens

March 2nd - Year 6 visit the Stratford Archives

March 3<sup>rd</sup> - World Book Day

March 7<sup>th</sup> - Reception visit Asda in Beckton

March 8<sup>th</sup> - International Women's

Please note all information regarding dates, policies and the curriculum can be found on our website at

www.www.newcity.boleyntrust.org

## Year 3 Visit the Science Museum

Last week Year 3 went on a trip to the science museum. The year 3's explored forces at the museum which was exciting and educational! The trip was insightful and a great way for them to use the knowledge they have developed in class and link it to what they saw in the museum.



#### Raising Funds for our Food Bank and Uniform Store

In order to help our families we have opened a food bank and uniform store but we do require funds to keep this going. All donations can be made via food and uniform as well as donating to our Just Giving Page that can be found on our website. Thank you for all your ongoing support.

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/wendy-rainger? utm\_term=m5Y4RPx34



#### The Chicks Arrive in EYFS

We've had an EGG-citing delivery this week in our Early Years! On Monday we had 10 eggs delivered to BOTH Reception and Nursery and the children have been bursting with excitement to see what will hatch out of the eggs. On Wednesday the children were delighted to see some of the chicks had already hatched and were able to witness the process of hatching throughout the day. We will be looking after them for a fortnight and the children will gain so many valuable learning opportunities from having them here at New City.









## Star of the Week

RS—Tastiful Keyan RT-Nieve 1P- Nithan 1F-Tayyibah 2JU-Sara 2DR- Joel 2DA—Aydin 3Bu-Rahat 3Bi- Betty 3G-Mimi 4M-Zayan 4T-Haziqah 5R-Justin 5S-Adonis 5K-Anisha 4P-Aisha 6JAE-Sumaya 6C—Nabeel 6W—Anastasia Learning Hub-Rishab





#### Mr Freeland's Book Review The Kindest Red

Faizah's teacher asks the class what kind of world they want. Some want an ice cream world or a unicorn world or a funny world. Faizah would like a kind world. She and her friend Sophie set about creating one in school. They help Andre find someone to play with, put a plaster on Priya's hand, and play basketball with Asiya, Faiza-h's older sister. Their class photo is full of big smiles. But when it comes to the sibling photo, and Faizah sees everyone else matching their siblings, she's upset. She and Asiya don't look like they match. What can they do? Luckily, kindness from their friends helps save the day! This charming book reminds children that even the smallest gesture can mean a lot to others. Faizah and Sophie make an excellent pair, spreading thoughtfulness everywhere, and there is gentle humour in the interactions between the class. The illustrations are dynamic and colourful, with some lovely cheeky and happy expressions on the

kids' faces. The sisters Faizah and Asiya also feature in the brilliant picture book The Proudest Blue, and the love they have for each other shines out powerfully in both books. A delight!



Week 1	HAPPY NEW YEL YEAR OF THE RABBIT	Tuesday AR	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Choice	Chinese Chicken Curry with Rice	Chicken Curry With Rice	Roast of the Day with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and <i>G</i> ravy	Build a Burger Day with Toppings and Potato Wedges	Fishfingers with Chips
Vegetarian Choice	Quorn Chow Mein Noodles	Veggie Wrap Stack with Rice	Crunchy Top Veg Bake with Roast Potatoes	Veggie Burger with Toppings and Potato Wedges	Cheese Omelette with Chips
Sides	Broccoli Roasted Peppers	Peas Sweetcorn	Carrot and Swede Mash Cabbage	Sweetcorn Roasted Potatoes	Peas Baked Beans
	Mandarin and Cinnamon Upside Down Cake	Yoghurt and Raisin Cake	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt Station	Seasonal Root Cake	Vanilla Shortbread

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