

Message from the head

This week we had a special sharing assembly to celebrate last week's 'Art Day'. It was great seeing the creativity of the children and it was clear they all really enjoyed the activities they took part in. We also had classes starting to go out on trips this week—October Gallery and Museum of London—as well as Swimming and Cycling sessions starting for different year groups. I am very proud of the varied and broad curriculum we offer here at Fleet and know that the children get a huge amount of joy from it. I'd like to say a huge thank you to the parents who support us in this by helping out on trips and supporting children to have the right kit in school on the right days. We really appreciate your support. I hope you have a wonderful weekend and see you all next week.

McMillan Tea Sale

Next Wednesday after school we will be holding a cake sale in the QUBE to raise money for McMillan Cancer Research. Please come along buy a cake! If you want to donate any cakes, biscuits or treats for sale at the tea - they will be gratefully accepted!

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Clubs for this term

If you would like a place in any of the after school clubs that are not yet fully subscribed please speak to Lisa in the office. There are a few spaces left in the following clubs: Film, Yoga, Pitch Perfect, Girls Multisports, Dance, Infant Multisports, Arsenal Football—Y5/6 Boys.

Meet the Parents

Our annual Meet the Parents event will be on Tuesday 25th September at 6.30-7.30pm. Families from the local secondaries will be here to give you the most up-to-date information about their school experience. Parents from all year groups are welcome at this invaluable event, where you can ask any questions you want and also talk privately to panellists afterwards. We will have representation from Acland Burghley, Haverstock, Parliament Hill and William Ellis schools. To find out more, go to:

www.meettheparents.info

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Lost Property

Don't forget to check the lost property box (and the table when it's all laid out on a Friday). We cannot store the amount of clothing the children are leaving lying around. Thank you.

Punctuality Award

This week, our Punctuality award goes to Year 3 with NO lates at all! Well done to them, let's see if the rest of the classes can challenge them next week!



Attendance Award

Our Attendance Award this week goes to Year 1 with 100%. Well done to them! Remember, if your child is unwell or has an appointment, please call the Office in the morning to let us know.



Parent Gym

Please come along to our Parent Gym course which starts next week. It is a fabulously supportive course for all parents and carers where you can share strategies and discuss successes and challenges of being a parent. Dates are below (all sessions are after drop off at 9am for 2 hours):

- Thursday 27th September
- Friday 5th October
- Thursday 11th October
- Friday 19th October
- Friday 2nd November
- Friday 9th November

Nut Free School

Please remember that we are a nut free school and you should not send in items containing nuts for children's snacks or packed lunch. Thank you.



Puzzle Workshop for Families—2nd Oct

'Maths Week' runs from Oct 1st-5th. As well as fun and exciting activities for the children in school, there is a very special Maths puzzle workshop run by the Happy Puzzle Company for parents and children after school on Tuesday 2nd. This is a great opportunity to see the activities the children will have been doing during the day and give you a chance to have a go too—no special maths knowledge required! Please put the date in your diary.

TERM DATES 2018/19

Autumn Term	Tues 8th Jan	Wed 24th April
Half term:	Half Term:	Bank Holiday:
Mon 22nd—Fri 26th Oct	Mon 18th—Fri 22nd Feb	Mon 6th May
Last Day of Term:	Last Day of Term:	Half Term:
Fri 21st Dec	Fri 5th April	Mon 27th—Fri 31st May
Spring Term	Summer Term	Last Day of Term:
First Day of Term:	First Day of Term:	Tue 23rd July

Dates for your calendar

24th-28th Sept	Y5 Bikeability Course
25th September	Year 1 to Parliament Hill (am)
25th September	Year 2 to the CLC
25th September	Meet the Parents Event @ 6.30pm for Y5/6 parents
27-28th Sept	Year 4 Cycle Course—bring in a bike if you have one
1st-5th October	Maths Week
1st October	Nursery to Hampstead Heath
2nd October	Parent and Child Puzzle Session after school
3rd October	9-10am Stay & Play session for Reception Parents
5th October	Year 3 to British Museum
5th October	Year 2 to October Gallery
8-9th October	Year 1 Cycle Course—bring in a bike if you have one
9th October	Reception to the Hampstead Heath
10th October	Year 2 to Hampstead Heath
10th October	Nursery to Hampstead Heath
11th October	Year 6 to the Globe Theatre
11-12th October	Reception/Nursery Balance Bike Training
12th October	Year 5 class Assembly
15-19th October	Year 5 to Sayers Croft
15-16th October	Year 2 Cycle Course—bring in a bike if you have one
17th October	Y6 to Kentish Town Fire Station
18th October	Year 4 Class Tea
19th October	Year 4 Class Assembly

Star of the Week Awards—this weeks winners...

Well done to our 'Stars of the Week' for their hard work and effort in class.

Rec—Buddy, Y1—Rayan K, Y2—Stella, Y3—Peter, Y4—Erion, Y5—Mishkaat, Y6—Leila

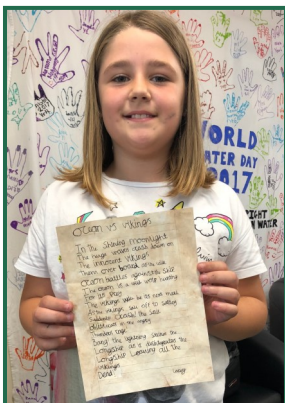


Year 5 have been working on Poetry this week and wrote their own poems linked to their 'Vikings' topic. Lacey was very proud, as we were we, of her work. Mr M^cGibbon loved her metaphor—can you spot it?

*In the shining moonlight
The huge waves crash down on
The innocent Vikings
Then overboard as the wild
Ocean battles against the ship.*

*The ocean is a wild wolf hunting
For its prey
The Vikings will be its next meal
As the Vikings sail off to safety
Suddenly crash! The sail
Obliterates in the angry
Thunders rage!*

*Bang! The lightning strikes the
Longship as it disintegrates the
Longship leaving all the Vikings
Dead!*



Year 5



Our first visit of the year to the fabulous October Gallery was this week by Year 3. As always, they made us very welcome and the children had a great time as well as producing some brilliant art work. A great first trip of the year for them! Thanks to those parents who came along to help.

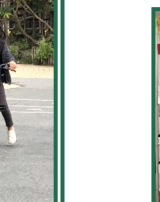


Year 3

This week we started our initiative to get all the children in the school cycling. It was the turn of Year 6 and Year 3. 10 Year 6 children opted to do the advanced course and they all made it out onto the roads in the local area with the trainers to practice their signalling and manoeuvres. The end of the week saw every child in Year 3 have a chance to practice and hone their skills in the playground. Next week, it is the turn of the Year 5 children who have signed up for the advanced course and all of the Year 4 children to do the school based training. Thanks to those parents who have allowed children to borrow their child's bike when it isn't being used to do the training.



Cycle Training



Year 4

Year 4 visited the Museum of London to learn more about the Roman's in London. They learnt loads! Thanks to those parents who were able to come along and help out—we hope you learnt something new about London and the Romans too!

Fleet Art Day

We are very proud of our creative curriculum at Fleet and a key part is the emphasis we put on Art. Last week we had this term's 'Art Day'. All classes spent the day working on specific art projects linked to their topic. We celebrated the outcomes in a special assembly this week—it was great to see the different mediums and techniques the children were using. As you can see from the photos below, we have some very talented children! Look out for the displays in class.

