Friday 3rd December 2021

Christmas Jumper Day! Wear a Christmas Jumper next Friday and bring £1 donation for Save the Children

## Message from the head:

What a fantastic performance from the infants in the Winter Show this week. 'Eddie and the Penguins'. It was great seeing them all singing, dancing and acting. Thank you to all the staff who made it happen and to the parents who supported by helping with lines and costumes. All much appreciated. We will be sending out the link to the show as soon as we get it off the camera and ready for sending. It's the juniors up next with their show next week—I'm very excited!

While we are very disappointed not to be able to hold our 'Winter Fair' as planned this weekend, the amazing parents on the Parents' Association have worked incredibly hard for us to still have some fundraising activities despite the cancellation. Please see below for more infor-

Class Christmas Parties are going to be held in classes on the last week of term. Please look out for a letter coming home next week with details of what we'd like children to bring in and when.

You will notice this week I have taken out the majority of the flyers and general notices we receive from Camden and other organisations. These will now be sent home in one mailout on a Wednesday with the Friday newsletter containing almost exclusively school information and the individual class pages with the photo collages of the work done through the week. This change is in response to the ever growing Friday newsletter as we are contacted by more and more organisations whose information we want to share with you but can lead to information overload when all together. We have been discussing communication with the Governors this week and thinking about how to streamline/ improve communication. We hope in the future to gather ideas and opinions from you all—in the meantime please do put down any comments or ideas you have about this subject in the parent questionnaire which is open until the 10th—if you've already done it by all means just drop us an email to the admin account. I hope you all have a lovely weekend and see you all on Monday.

## Winter Fair—Alternative Events Update

As communicated earlier this week the following events are still going to happen despite the cancelling of the in person fair this weekend. Raffle: Tickets still on sale before and after school each day. The draw will be made on the 15th December and a video of the draw will be

sent out to parents so that the prizes are able to be collected on the 16th at

the Winter Tea that is being held in the playground.

**Christmas Hampers:** There are 6 of these beautiful and well stocked with goodies hampers and these will be sold via auction—see page 2 for images of them. Please leave your bid for one of these with the PA at the raffle ticket stand in school or by contacting the PA (email is <u>fleetschoolpa@gmail.com</u>). Bidding opens from Monday.

Winter Tea: This will be held on Thursday the 16th of December outdoors in the Junior playground. The prizes from the raffle can be collected then as well as enjoying some tasty Christmas treats and drinks while enjoying the Year 1 and 2 Flash Mob Dance.

Arsenal tickets: Arsenal have donated 15 pairs of tickets for next week's Ladies champions League match between Arsenal and Barcelona. We are asking for a suggested donation of £15 per pair. If you would like a pair please talk to the PA or email them on fleetschoolpa interest. The match is next Thursday (so Juniors, unfortunately it clashes with the junior children's evening performance to the Year 6 parents).



## Lunch Menu—6th-10th December

## Monday

Meat Free Monday Roasted Veg or Cheese and Tomato Pizza Peas & Sweetcorn Fruit & yoghurt

## Tuesday

Meat/Halal: Meatballs Vegetarian: Mixed Bean Casoulet Spaghetti Green Beans & Carrots Pear Crumble & Custard

**Available Daily** Jacket Potato & Bread

## Wednesday

Meat/Halal: Chicken **Drumsticks** Vegetarian: Mixed Veg & Chickpea Loaf **Roast Potatoes** Sweetcorn & Carrots Fruit & Yoghurt

## Thursday

Meat/Halal: Chicken tikka Masala Vegetarian: Roasted Cauliflower & Chickpea Curry 50/50 rice Green Cabbage & Roast **Butternut Squash** Peach Upside Down Cake

## Friday CHRISTMAS LUNCH Main course: Roast Tur-

key or Feta, Spinach & Cranberry Puff Pastry Roll Trimmings: Roast Potatoes. Honey Roasted Carrots, Brussel Sprouts, Stuffing & Gravy, Chicken or Veg Sausages Dessert: Chocolate, Orange & Cranberry Brownie with Vanilla Ice Cream

Please remember to let the office know if you want your child to change to or from school lunches so you are charged correctly

## Dates for your diary

Below are dates of events for the remainder of term. We hope at this time these go ahead uninterrupted by further Covid related problems. Thank you.

- 9th December—Junior Show—evening show to Y6 parents
- 10th December—Christmas Lunch
- 15th December—Infant Christmas Parties
- 16th December—Junior Christmas Parties & Talent Show
- 17th December—Last day of term—finish at 2pm

## Winter Holiday Scheme at Fleet

Camden, through various providers, is offering a comprehensive holiday programme over the first few days of the winter break. After providing a successful Summer Holiday Programme here in the summer, Fuzion Academy are back at Fleet. Please see the following website for the full programme running in and around Camden: https://haf.youngcamdenfoundation.org.uk/

The scheme at Fleet will run for 4 days from Monday 20th -Thursday 23rd December and will take place between 10am-2pm and is free to attend, with a hot lunch and snacks provided. Priority will be given to those in receipt of Free School Meals, however there are spaces for those not in receipt of Free School Meals. Free School Meal entitlement is not the same as Universal Free Meals. To book your child's place, please follow this link: https://fuzionacademyandswisscottagelibrary.coordinate.cloud/ event/117553

## **Punctuality Award**

The Punctuality award goes to Reception with only 2 lates second week in a row! Year 6 did very well this week too. Thank you to those of you who arrive on time everyday. Please ensure that children are in class by 9am—not arriving at 9am or after.

## Attendance Award

Our Attendance Award this week goes to Year 1 with 98.5% - brilliant! Year 2 really close with over 98% - 3 classes were above the 96% target this week. Overall for the year we are at 95.9%—so close to the 96% target—we can do it!

# Christmas Hamper **Auction**bidding open From Monday



ltems in each hamper vary but include... **Chocolates Biscuits Panetones Preserves** Coffees Teas Wines Champagne **Spirits** Cordials













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## FLEET NEEDS YOUR HELP PLEASE BRING FOOD

We need all of your help to give to those in need. What can you bring?

Cereal

Soup

**Pasta** 

Rice

Tinned tomatoes/ pasta sauce

Lentils, beans and pulses

**Tinned meat** 

**Tinned vegetables** 

Tea/coffee

**Tinned fruit** 

**Biscuits** 

**UHT** milk

Fruit juice

You won't regret your donation!

Please bring your donations by Monday 13th December.

We know it's a challenging time for everyone at the moment as the coronavirus pandemic unfolds. Food banks are grassroots, community organisations aimed at supporting people who cannot afford the essentials in life.

Thank you for your generous donations from the Rights Respecting Ambassadors













Well done to these children who have been chosen by their class teachers to be the 'Star of the Week' - Well done to all these children, and to all the rest who might not have been picked this week but could have been.







## Reception—Suhaybe

For all his hard work towards the Infant Show. You have worked hard to learn the song words and we have been so impressed with your dancing skills. What a super star!

## Year 1—Inaaya

For her consistantly positive attitude to all that we do. You always approach our learning with a smile on your face, ready to do your best and to tackle challenges. You are a super role model for other children and we are really proud of you, Inaaya! Well done!













Year 2—Hester

For your fantastic effort during our show! You know your lines so well and you even smile when you say them! What a star. I also really enjoyed your writing in role as Amy Johnson. You've had a great week!

Year 3—Noah

For your positive attitude! You are developing a resilient approach to your learning and don't hesitate to seek guidance superstar! This is resulting in excellent progress. Well done and keep it up!

Year 4—Rayan

Your attitude to your learning and manners towards others has really stood out this week. Anita, from the CLC, noticed you too. Well done, you're a credit to Year 4 and Fleet.















## Year 5—Eva

For her brilliant attitude towards learning her dance and songs for the show. Eva has been an absolute star this week - helping her class mates learn the dance and confidently demonstrating it. Her maturity and dedication is lovely to see. Well done!

## Year 6—Gloria

For your brilliant attitude and efforts in putting our show together. Your commitment and energy shine through and you help others around you to know exactly what to do! Keep up the super work, you star!



## Well done to all these children who have passed their Fleet Facts test this week!

**Year 2:** Angelo, Frankie, Abida, Theo, Lola, Thaddeus, Aisha, Rocco, Leo, Sativa, Amine, Ayra, Sarah, Alfie, Mohamed

**Year 3:** Layan, Arafat, Jarod, Jake Sidoli, Saaimah, Mia, Daniel, Samuel, Shajai, Ursula, Fatma, Marcel, Noah, Okpe, Amreen, Lorik

**Year 4:** Sahiem, Tara, Hana, Gabriela, Tabby, Yonis, Abid, Hunter, Yara, Ranya, Alfie W, Rayn C, Alea, Sufiyan, Millie, Natasha, Rayan K Nadeem, Evangeline, Mia

**Year 5:** Ben, Hiba, Suraiya, Aman, Eva, Amber-Lily, Leda, Mo, Asma, Lizzie, Rayane, Adil, Tawfiq, Lexi, Ugo, Zain, Hamza, Poppy, Aadam



Please keep encouraging your children to practice their Fleet Facts and go online to practice Times Table Rock Stars! Both these will really support their overall progress in maths. Thank you

# Times Tables Rock Stars of the Week!

Well done to these children who earned the most coins in their class on Times Tables Rock Stars this week!

Year 3: Okpe—44,769 coins—2 weeks in a row!

Year 4: Alfie W-5,824 coins!

Year 5: Tawfiq—25,041 coins - 4th week running—superstar!

Year 6: Erina—2,710 coins











































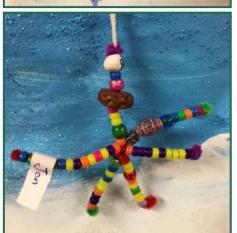


In Forest School, Nursery had a great time listening to the story 'Stickman'. They found sticks to make our own stick people. There was also lots of fun being had in the mud kitchen, balancing on logs and mini-beast hunting. They have also loved making penguins to decorate the hall for their infant show in which they were fantastic at singing and dancing in a school show for the first time. Well done Nursery—superstars!

# This week in Nursery. Wonderful World, Wonderful Wel



























This week the children in Reception have been getting into the Christmas spirit. They were fantastic in their show—singing and dancing brilliantly. They also decorated the Reception tree as well as making brilliant bead stars to hang and decorate the hall. Another brilliant week in Reception!







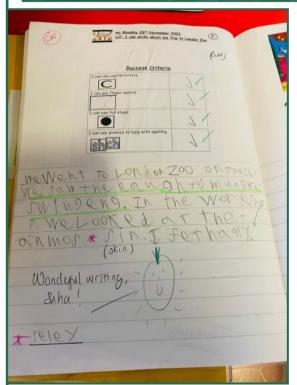


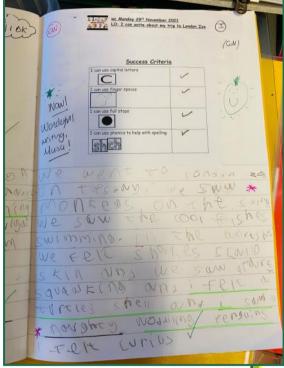












# This week in Year 1... Our Wonderful World

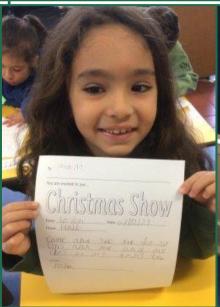
This week, as well as preparing for the fabulous Infant Show, the children have been crafting lollypop Christmas trees, Santas and Reindeers. They also found time to fit in a great trip to the zoo which inspired some fabulous independent writing. Well done Year 1—keep up the good work!

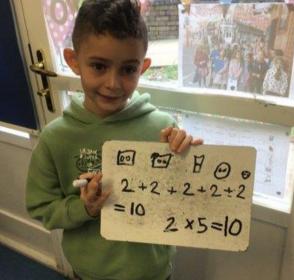


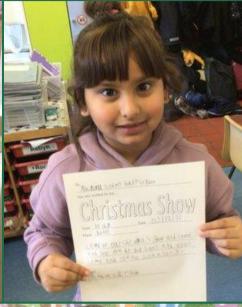












## This week in Year 2...

Year 2 have been a class of Showbiz-superstars this week. What an amazing performance they put on in their show 'Eddie and the Penguins Save the World'. Having a show that visited the different parts of the world, as they have done in their topic this term, was a great touch too. They still found time to fit in some writing and maths through the week too. Well done Year 2—we're proud of you!







In the last week Year 3 have been writing to their French penpals as well as visiting Reception again to read with their buddies—they were so good with the little ones. They also got into the Christmas spirit with some snowflake decorations for the hall—using brusho and salt! They look great.



























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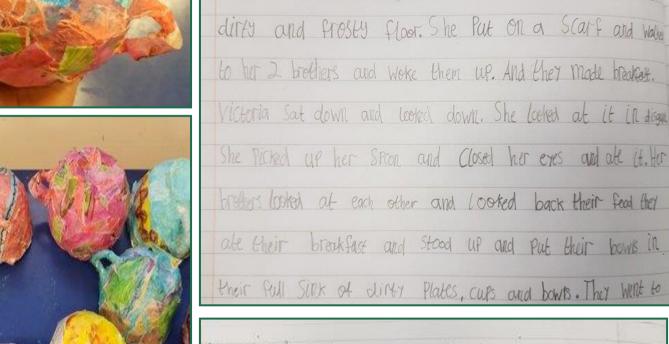
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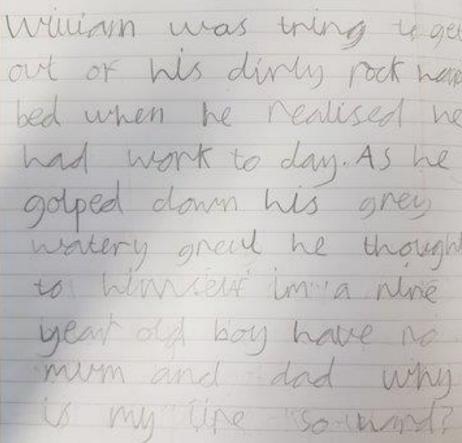
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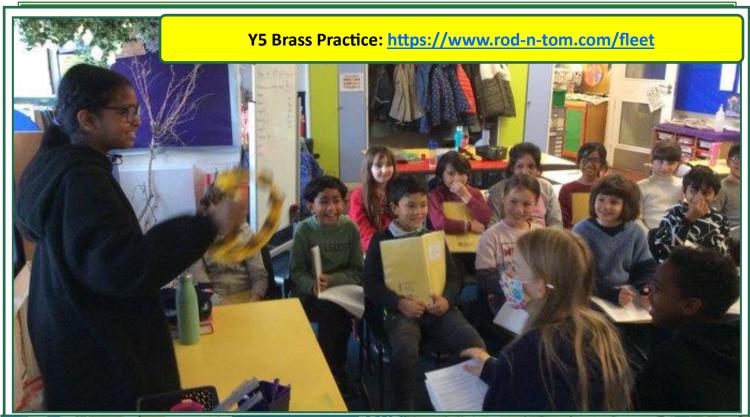




Year 4 have put the finishing touches to their fantastically vibrant modroc cups. They have been crafting these over the last couple of weeks. They have turned out brilliantly. Many are now displayed on the stairwell outside their class in pride of place to be enjoyed every time they go up and down the stairs. They've also started writing their historical adventures set in the Victorian era. They have started brilliantly we can't wait to see how they end. All this and still finding time to fit in rehearsals for the Junior show next week which we just know they will be brilliant in. Well done Year 4.

This week in Year 4

Logical
Adventures in time









The year 5 children recently held their debate on whether the Vikings were nothing more than brutal savages! The children showed great thought and knowledge from the history they have been learning and each side made compelling cases. Ask your child how they voted! The children also had a workshop this week with the CLC creating online books all about the Vikings. They know so much! Well done year 5.

This week in Year 5.
Topic:
Journey to
Valhalla









# Year 6 have been working very hard this week rehearsing their lines and acting, making props, practicing dances and songs all getting ready for next week's Junior Winter Show Extravaganza! They have been brilliant and we know the show will be a huge success. It's not been all show though, they

ganza! They have been brilliant and we know the show will be a huge success. It's not been all show though, they have still been fitting in their topic and curriculum learning too, such as the fantastic computing lesson they did with Ms Wood on Thursday afternoon. Well done Year and 'break-a-leg' for next week as they say in the theatre!









