

## Message from the head:

Welcome back to the second half term of the Autumn. It's been a bit of a damp one—please remember to send the children in with warm and waterproof clothing as the weather is very changeable at the moment. It's shaping up to be a busy half term with parents' evenings, Christmas shows and parties coming up—there's a lot to pack in! Please note the dates of the parents meetings later this term shown below. We will be putting up sign up sheets soon and for those of you who don't physically do drop off we will let you know in the newsletter when and you can call up to request your slots. It was great to see so many of you at the Halloween disco our amazing Parents' Association organised this week. A big thanks to all of them and to you for coming along. Next week home learning projects from Year 2-6 are due in—lots have already been brought in and they look great. We are looking forward to sharing them with you with the usual exhibition in the hall at the end of the day on Tuesday. I hope you will be able to pop in at drop off to see them. Have a lovely weekend and hopefully it's a bit drier than this week has been. See you all on Monday.

**Thank you for this great fundraising effort...**

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**Fleet Primary School**

For raising £240 for Bangladesh Floods Appeal

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**Parent Meetings take place this term**

**Rec & Y2-Y6: Wednesday 23rd & Thursday 24th November**

**Y1: Tuesday 22nd & Thursday 24th November**

**Nursery: 1st December**

**Sign up sheets for individual time slots will be available closer to the time.**

**Year 2-6—Home Learning Projects**

Big thankyou to all the children who have already brought in their home learning projects. Reminder the deadline to be included in the exhibition is this coming Monday.

They will be displayed in the hall from 3.20pm on Tuesday—please do pop in at pickup to see the fantastic work the children have done.

**Year 4 Parents—Swimming**

Don't forget from Monday the children will be going swimming everyday for the next 2 weeks. They need to bring in their swimming costumes (including a hat) everyday and be dressed suitably to walk down to the swimming pool at Kentish Town—see letter sent via parent hub earlier this week for more information if needed.

**Parent Gym**

**Last Session—**

**Wednesday 9th Nov**

**@ 9am**

Lunch Menu: 7th—11th Nov	
<p><b>Meat Free Monday</b></p> <p>Mac &amp; Cheese Station—a choice of different Mac &amp; Cheese flavours with vegetarian toppings</p> <p>Peas &amp; Carrots</p> <p>Yoghurt &amp; Fresh Fruit</p>	<p><b>Wednesday</b></p> <p>Meat/Halal: Roast Turkey</p> <p>Vegetarian: Quorn Casserole</p> <p>Roast Potatoes &amp; Gravy</p> <p>Carrots &amp; Brussel Sprouts</p> <p>Yoghurt &amp; Fresh Fruit</p>
<p><b>Tuesday</b></p> <p>Meat/Halal: Cajun Chicken</p> <p>Vegetarian: Chickpea &amp; Apricot Tagine</p> <p>Rice or Cous Cous</p> <p>Broccoli &amp; Sweetcorn</p> <p>Lemon Drizzle Cake</p> <p>Yoghurt &amp; Fresh Fruit</p>	<p><b>Thursday</b></p> <p>Meat/Halal: Spaghetti Bolognese</p> <p>Vegetarian: Vegetable Fajitas</p> <p>Garlic Bread</p> <p>Green Beans, Roasted</p> <p>Butternut Squash</p> <p>Rice Pudding &amp; Berries</p>
<p><b>Friday</b></p> <p>Meat/Halal: Fish fingers</p> <p>Vegetarian: Mexican Roll</p> <p>Chips or Savoury Cous Cous</p> <p>Tomato Sauce</p> <p>Baked Beans &amp; Peas</p> <p>Yoghurt &amp; Fruit</p>	
<p><b>Available Daily</b></p> <p>Freshly Cooked Jacket Potato</p> <p>Freshly Baked Bread</p>	
<p><b>Please remember to let the office know if you want your child to change to or from school lunches so you are charged correctly</b></p>	

**Punctuality Award**

Another improvement in punctuality this week with 24 lates across the school compared to 26 before half term. Year 1 and 3 were the best with no lates—fantastic! Year 4 and 5 were low too with only 3 and 4 respectively. Reception, year 2 and year 6 we know can do better—they all had 5 or more. Thankyou for the continued improvement and lets see if we can continue to improve next week. Please ensure your children are IN class by 9am.

**Attendance Award**

Attendance this week was 95.3% slightly below our target of 96%. Year 1 came out top with 99.3% which is great, closely followed by Year 6 (98.9%) and Year 4 (98.9%) which is also brilliant! Reception, Year 2, Year 3 and Year 5 all came in below 96% so there is work to do. We are just below 96% for this academic year with 95.7%. Hopefully over the next few weeks we can quickly get back up to 96% and above for the whole school. Thank you for all your support in helping the children to build resilience and make the best of the educational opportunities here in school.

# Stars of the week!



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

I have been really impressed with your focus and hard work in phonics this week. It is great to see you enjoying our reading sessions and growing in confidence as a reader. Well done

## Year 1

For sharing lots of wonderful prior knowledge about tigers to help us with our fact file writing. You shared your ideas clearly, confidently and happily. Fantastic job!



## Year 2

For your fab engagement in our learning this week. You've impressed us with how hard you're trying with your work, and how

## Year 3

You demonstrate superb listening skills and always try your hardest in lessons. Thank you also for always being so incredibly helpful around the classroom and always using your initiative! Keep it up superstar!

## Year 4

For your fantastic effort in maths. You completed a beautiful shape pattern and showed patience and care when folding the paper and creating your design. Well done for always aiming high and trying



## Year 5

For your excellent work in our Macbeth workshop! You were so brave and creative and I could tell you were giving it your all! You should be very proud of yourself!

## Year 6

For your commitment and engagement during our Macbeth workshop and your patience and care making radial paper structures in Maths Art. Well done!

# Fleet Facts!



**Well done to all these children who have passed their Fleet Facts test this week  
(and week before half term)!**

**Year 2:** Albie, Mariam, Emmy, Sufian, Zoya, Afreen, Tymur, Jannah, Zara, Delphi, Musa, Inaaya, Lorel, Max, Annie, Sumayya, Yasir

**Year 3:** Amine, Naz, Ayman, Lola, Lir, Thaddeus, Frankie

**Year 4:** Amreen, Noah, Sam, Arafat, Ursula, Mason, Lena

**Year 5:** Sufiyan, Rayan, Alea, Tabby, Ena, Yonis, Hana, Alfie, Ranya, Nadeem, Arin

**Year 6:** Suraiya, Hiba, Adil, Zain, Harea, Esema, Zayan, Isabella, Ivana, Marli, Rayane, Lizzie, Riley, Poppy, Asma, Ryan, Kai

## **Times Tables Rock Stars of the Week—week before half term!**

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

**Year 2:** Inaaya—3,096 coins—3rd week in a row!

**Year 3:** Frankie—35,518 coins!

**Year 4:** Okpe—16,587 coins—4th week in a row!

**Year 5:** Yara—20,463 coins!

**Year 6:** Esema—7,990 coins!

## **Times Tables Rock Stars of the Week—this week!**

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

**Year 2:** Inaaya—1,548 coins—4th week in a row!

**Year 3:** Ayman—2,762 coins!

**Year 4:** Okpe—27,047 coins—5th week in a row!

**Year 5:** Conor—1,030 coins!

**Year 6:** Ugo—1,015 coins!

# Fleet Primary School Calendar Competition 2023



The Calendar Art Competition for creating a school calendar at the end of the year is still on. Due to lockdowns over the last 2 years this popular annual event has not been possible so it's great to bring it back.

Children can use any art medium in their entries as long as it is A4 in size and they can enter as many times in a term as they want.

Prizes will be awarded termly, with a selection of winning entries chosen to go in the calendar for 2023 at the end of this year.

Entries should be handed in to the school office and should have the child's name and class on the back (in pencil) along with an indication of the person or event that inspired it.

## This year's theme...Lifting Limits!

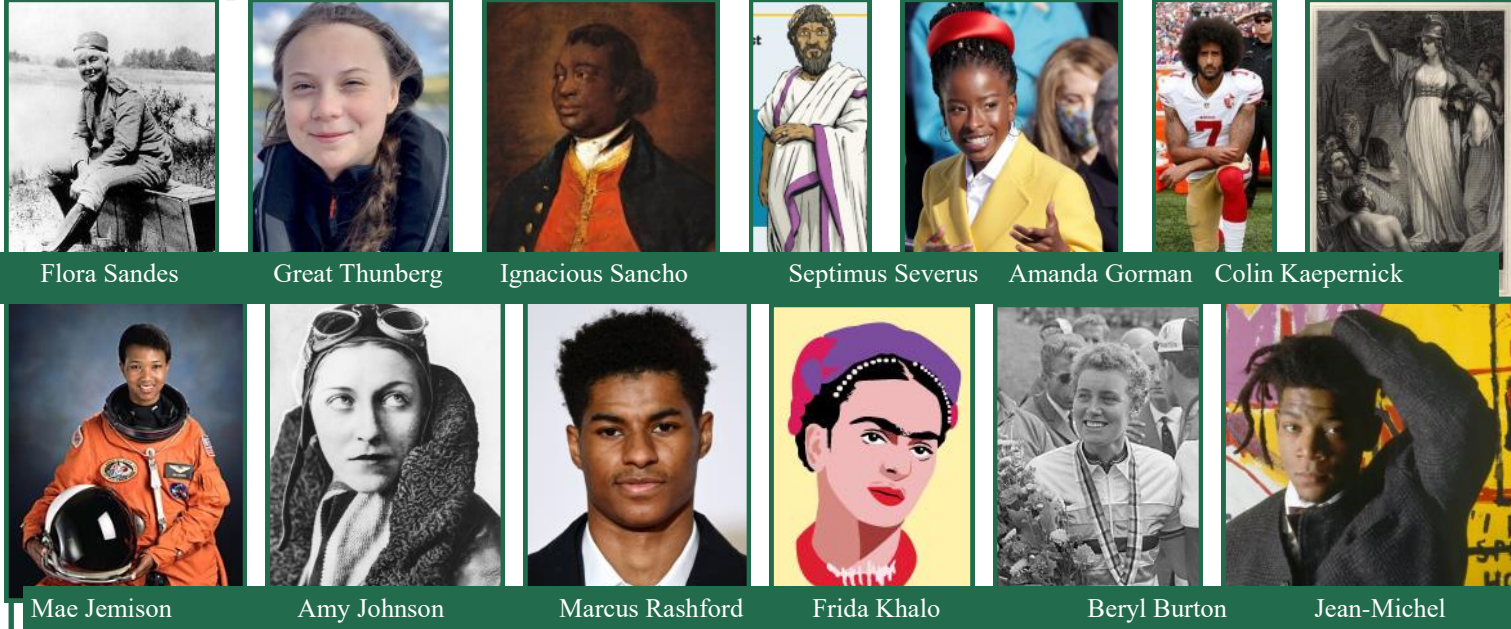
This year the theme links in with the 'Lifting Limits' gender equality work we are doing in all classes and also with the racial equality work that runs throughout our curriculum. We are asking that the subject of the art be inspired by a historical figure—contemporary or older.

Think about GENDER EQUALITY - a man or woman who did something amazing and at the time, unusual or not the norm, for someone of their sex.

Think about RACIAL EQUALITY - someone again who was a trailblazer and didn't let their race, colour of their skin or religion stop them from doing something.

It could be someone we have talked about in assembly, or someone you have learnt about in class or even someone you have learnt about from your own reading or investigations.

### Ideas from people looked at last year in assemblies or topics - can you think of anyone new?



Flora Sandes    Great Thunberg    Ignacious Sancho    Septimus Severus    Amanda Gorman    Colin Kaepernick

Mae Jemison    Amy Johnson    Marcus Rashford    Frida Khalo    Beryl Burton    Jean-Michel

# Halloween Disco...



Dear parents and carers,

Thank you so much for coming along to the Fleet Halloween Disco on Wednesday, and for making it such a fun evening. It was great to see so many families there and the kids having a great time! All the children looked fantastic in their costumes, and once again well done to Marli, Logan and Mia for their prize winning costumes!

A big thank you to Tsepo (dad of Zara, year 2) for bringing the music and being our DJ for the evening - we couldn't have done it without you.

The evening raised a brilliant £791.49, so thank you once again for coming along and supporting another great school event. This was our first Halloween disco, and we hope to make next year's even better, with hot food options and perhaps some games. If you have any feedback we'd love to hear from you!

Looking forward to seeing you all at the Winter Fair on Friday 25th November.

Kinds regards

The PA—Abbie, Ailbhe, Becky, Fab, Jo, Sophie and Suzan

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# This week at Fleet...

We've had a busy week back in school as you can see from these pages. This week the children in year 5 and 6 had a fabulous Shakespeare workshop looking at and role playing the play Macbeth. There has been some wonderful English work going on across the school including looking at gender stereotyping through the text 'The Turbulent Term of Tyke Tyler' in year 5 while down in the nursery, following reading the story 'Pumpkin Soup' they made their own tasty soup! Topic has been going well with trips at the end of last half term to the Natural History Museum and this term to The Museum of London (Y5) and the National Gallery (Y1). Year 3 have been creating posters all about volcanoes while in year 2 they have been designing Kente Cloth designs from Ghana as part of their 'Journey round the world'. Year 2 also had a visit from Gillian from the CLC and where they worked on their programming skills using Scratch Junior. Year 5 have continued their brass this week focussing on their pieces for the Windrush project they are involved in—year 4 will be starting their sessions soon—watch this space! Year 6 have been doing some fantastic science where you can see photographs from their static electricity lesson which the children really enjoyed and in maths they created superb radial paper relief structures while investigating shape. The year 3 children also had the opportunity to All this while enjoying some Halloween Fun! Next week we look forward to including images from the Home Learning Projects—come along to the exhibition after school on Tuesday to see them in the flesh!



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Verb (start) end  
 Verb  
 Noun  
 Adverb  
 Preposition  
 Noun  
 Verb  
 Adjective  
 Preposition  
 Verb  
 Adverb

Preposition  
 Noun  
 Verb  
 Adjective  
 Noun  
 Adjective  
 Verb  
 Preposition  
 Noun  
 Adverb

Rules  
 - Roll the dice  
 - When the dice has been rolled you must go to the place you have rolled. (Go forward that many lines)  
 - When you land on one you must create a sentence with a Verb, Preposition, Adjective, Noun and Adverb.  
 The first one to the end wins!

You will need  
 Characters  
 Dice  
 Friends to play with

Noun  
 Preposition  
 Adverb  
 Preposition  
 Adverb  
 Noun  
 Preposition  
 Verb  
 Adjective  
 Noun  
 Adverb



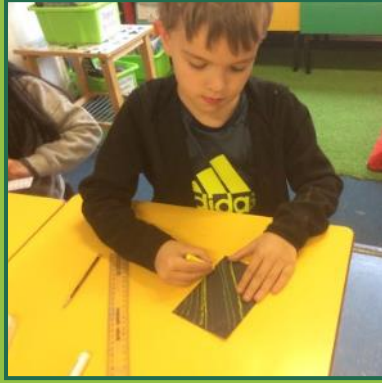
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# Year 5 School Journey



# Year 6 Bike Training



This week the year 3 children had a chance to have some time with the Camden cycling trainers. The inclement weather impacted the amount of time they had but by the end they were all able to cycle. For those newer and less confident at cycling they will need to keep practicing to retain their new skills. We would encourage you take them along to the many courses run across Camden in evenings, weekends and holidays.

Visit this website to learn more:

<https://www.camden.gov.uk/cycle-skills-and-bike-maintenance-courses#lyyy>



# Autumn Term Topics 2022



Reception—Mini Engineers

Year 1—Our Favourite Toys

Year 2—All Around the World

Year 3—We Will Rock You

Year 4—An Adventure Through Time

Year 5—Winter Wonderland

Year 6—City of Stars



# Dates for your diary this term...

Please bear in mind that occasionally trips may be arranged or cancelled last minute. This can happen for any number of reasons and we try, where possible, to give as much notice as we can. We also will often need adult volunteers to support on these trips so please do look out for notices on class windows or sent out via parent hub closer to the date of a trip for requests for help and contact the office if you are able to accompany. Thank you.

- **7th-18th November:** Y4 Swimming (need swimming kit everyday)
- **8th November:** Y2-Y6 Home Learning Exhibition in the hall
- **9th November:** Y5 to October Gallery
- **10th November:** Reception Science Stay and Play session for parents @ 9am
- **10th November:** Y3 at Talacre (am)
- **10th November:** Y1 Class Tea after school
- **11th November:** Y2 to the Cinema
- **11th November:** Y1 Class Assembly @ 10am
- **14th November:** Y5 Windrush Project Performance—location and timings t.b.c.
- **15th November:** School photographer in— Individual Class Photos
- **15th November:** Odd Socks Day
- **16th November:** Y1, Y5 and Y6 to the cinema
- **17th November:** Y2 to Talacre (am)
- **17th November:** Y3 to the cinema
- **17th November:** Reception Class Tea after school
- **18th November:** Y3 to the CLC
- **18th November:** Reception to the cinema
- **21st November:** Y5 National Maritime Museum Viking workshop
- **22nd November:** Y6 out at Citizenship Scheme
- **23rd November @ 9am:** Parent Workshop: Managing screen time and social media
- **22nd-24th November:** See Class Sign-up sheets for each years days
- **24th November:** Y3 to Talacre (am)
- **24th November:** Nursery & Y5 to the Theatre
- **24th November:** Nursery class tea after school
- **25th November:** Y5 to Gospel Oak Methodist Church
- **25th November:** Winter Fair (after school)
- **28th November:** Y4 to the CLC
- **29th November:** Y5 First Aid and Defibrillator Training
- **30th November:** Y5 to the CLC
- **1st December:** Nursery Parent Meetings
- **2nd December:** Infant Christmas Show @ 10am
- **8th December:** Junior Christmas Show @ 9.30am (no ticket needed)
- **8th December:** Junior Christmas Show @ 7pm (ticketed)
- **9th December:** School Christmas Lunch
- **12th December:** KS1 to Belsize Synagogue
- **13th December:** KS2 to Belsize Synagogue
- **14th December:** Infant Christmas Parties
- **15th December:** Junior Talent Show & Christmas Parties
- **16th December:** end of term—school closes at 2pm
- **4th January:** Spring Term Starts—Children Back