

**Year 1-6 Parents/Carers**  
Come along to the next  
open morning:  
Next Tuesday (17th June)  
straight after drop off  
Focus Area : Writing



# Fleet News

Friday 13th June 2025

## Message from the Executive Head...

It's been another busy and exciting week at Fleet, especially for our Year 6 children, who are currently away on their residential trip to the Gower in Wales. These trips are such a special part of the primary school journey — a real rite of passage and a hive of memory-making. I still remember mine (more years ago than I care to admit!), and I know this experience will stay with them for a long time.

Huge thanks to all our families for encouraging and trusting us to continue offering these opportunities. They make such a big difference to children's confidence, independence and readiness for the move to secondary school. And of course, a massive thank you to the brilliant staff team who are with them — on duty 24 hours a day for the whole week. They definitely deserve a long lie this weekend!

Back in school, a big well done to all our Year 4 children, who have now completed their national times tables check. They've worked so hard to build fluency with their tables — which is the foundation of all calculation in maths. This kind of knowledge really matters, and we're so proud of their effort. Thank you as always for supporting your children at home with Fleet Facts and Times Table Rock Stars — every bit of practice counts.

We've got lots of end-of-year dates and events coming up over the next few weeks, so please keep an eye on the newsletter and ParentHub for updates.

And finally, we're really looking forward to seeing you at the Fleet Summer Fair on Friday 27th June. The PTA are already working hard behind the scenes, and they always do an incredible job. It promises to be a brilliant afternoon for our whole community. Have a lovely weekend and see you next week!





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# General Health & Safety Reminders...

- Don't send in any snacks or food containing nuts - we are a nut free school.
- If your child is going on a playdate with another parent after school please make sure to let the teacher know directly. Do not rely on the other parent to tell us.
- If you change phone numbers or addresses please let us know immediately. We need your current contact details.
- Please do not prop open the main gate to the school site either before or after school. If there is not a member of staff there, the gate should be kept closed.
- If adults need to use the toilet on the school premises, even if accompanying a child, they must use the staff toilets in the corridor.
- The site is open to parents from 8am for breakfast club, please wait until then, even if a member of staff is buzzed in whilst you're waiting (*some parents have been coming in before 8 and leaving their children in the cubs unattended*)
- If you are in the junior playground after school, please supervise your children carefully and be mindful that the equipment in the junior playground is designed for older children and is unsafe for little ones. Other playground equipment (balls etc) is not for use after school.
- If you need to walk between the main school and the Nursery please use the path rather than cutting through the hall or corridor.



# FLEETS

## SUMMER FAIR

Friday **27TH** June

3:30pm until 6:00pm

**FREE ENTRY**

Hot food, Drinks, Treats & Ice lollies

Games & prizes to be won

Pre loved items/clothes

Raffle

Bouncy Castle

Fleet Primary School  
Fleet Road NW3



Come to the  
summer fair after  
school on the  
27th June  
3.30pm-6pm

# Weekly Punctuality Award

**Punctuality Update:** This week, our total number of lates was **22**, up slightly from **19** last week. While we've seen improvements in some classes, we know we can do even better. A big thank you to all families who are making punctuality a priority – arriving on time helps children start their day feeling calm, focused, and ready to learn.

## How Did Each Year Group Do?

- **Year 6 – 0 lates** (no change): Excellent consistency – well done!
- **Year 3 – 2 lates** (down from 4): A strong improvement – great job!
- **Reception – 3 lates** (down from 5): Much better this week – keep going!
- **Year 1 – 3 lates** (up from 0): A small slip – let's aim for zero again next week
- **Year 4 – 3 lates** (down from 4): A positive step in the right direction
- **Year 5 – 4 lates** (up from 2): A reminder to allow extra time in the mornings
- **Year 2 – 7 lates** (up from 4): Let's focus on a punctual start next week

**Punctuality Matters:** Even arriving just a few minutes late can mean missing key routines and important instructions. It also disrupts the flow of learning for others. A calm, punctual start sets children up for a more successful and settled day.

## Top Tips for a Calm and Timely Morning

- Get ready the night before: lay out clothes, pack bags, prep lunches
- Aim to leave 10 minutes earlier than usual
- Enjoy a free bagel in the playground from 8:30am – a positive way to begin the day

## Helpful Reminders

- School doors open at **8:45am**
- Breakfast Club is available from **8:00am** in the QUBE
- Free bagels are served daily from **8:30am** in the playground
- Children arriving after **9:00am** will be marked as late

Thank you again for supporting punctual starts. Let's keep building on the progress and finish the term strong!

Class	Lates this week	Lates last week
Rec	3	5
Y1	3	0
Y2	7	4
Y3	2	4
Y4	3	4
Y5	4	2
Y6	0	0
Total	22	19

# Weekly Attendance Award

**Attendance Update:** A huge thank you to all our pupils and families for your continued commitment to excellent attendance. We're so pleased to see a big improvement across the school this week – it's been fantastic to see our classrooms full of enthusiastic learners. **Congratulations to Year 1**, who topped the attendance chart this week with an impressive **98.9%** – an outstanding effort!

## Weekly Attendance Summary

- **Reception:** 96.6% (up from 81.1%) – Well done!
- **Year 1:** 98.9% (up from 87.4%) – Brilliant attendance – top of the school this week!
- **Year 2:** 97.3% (up from 83.0%) – Great job!
- **Year 3:** 90.2% (up from 82.8%) – Solid progress; let's keep aiming higher
- **Year 4:** 97.4% (up from 76.7%) – An amazing effort!
- **Year 5:** 98.0% (up from 90.0%) – Almost at the top – very well done!
- **Year 6:** 97.8% (up from 86.1%) – Strong attendance – keep it up!

We're really proud of everyone's efforts. Let's aim to keep this momentum going – every day in try and keep this up until the end of the Summer term.

## Helpful Reminders

- If your child is unwell, please contact the school office by **9:00am** on **0207 485 2028**.
- Free bagels are available every morning from **8:30am** in the playground – a great way to start the day!

Thank you for your ongoing support in making attendance a priority – it makes a real difference to your child's learning and progress.

Please remember that **holidays during term time are not allowed**, except in **exceptional circumstances** approved by the Headteacher. Unauthorised leave significantly disrupts your child's learning. Under the **London Borough of Camden's attendance policy**, taking your child out of school for a holiday may result in a **Fixed Penalty Notice: £80 per parent, per child**, if paid within 21 days—rising to **£160** if not paid within 28 days. Repeated unauthorised absences can also lead to a court prosecution, with fines up to **£1,000**, and may impact your child's school place. We strongly encourage all families to **plan holidays during official school breaks** to ensure no valuable learning time is missed. [Fleet Primary School Attendance Policy](#)

## Overall Figures

- **Whole School Attendance This Week:** 96.6%
- **Last Week:** 83.9%
- **Year-to-Date Average:** 94.3% (up from 94.1%)

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Class	% this week	% Last Week
Rec	96.6%	81.1%
Y1	98.9%	87.4%
Y2	97.3%	83%
Y3	90.2%	82.8%
Y4	97.4%	76.7%
Y5	98%	90%
Y6	97.8%	86.1%
Average for the week	96.6%	83.9%
Overall for the year so far	94.3%	94.1%

# Meet the staff...



Name: Stella

Role: Year 6 Class Teacher &  
Art Lead

How long worked at Fleet:  
nearly 4 years

One of our aims is that our fabulous staff work in partnership with you, our parents and carers, to support your children on their journey through school laying strong foundations for resilience and future success. To help build this relationship each week we will be introducing different staff who looking after and work with your children. We want you to get to know the adults in school and some things about them over and above their school role.

## Favourite Food

Japanese! Sushi being my absolute favourite. I also really like Empanadas!

## Favourite Book as a child...

Kensuke's Kingdom - I loved the adventure they went on. It was such a treat to get to see the remake in the cinema with my class this year.

## Hidden Talent...

I can play the clarinet!

## Favourite thing about school as a child...

Art lessons were always my favourite as I love any subject where you can be creative. Tie-dye was my favourite activity.

## Dream destination...

Sri Lanka - it looks so beautiful. I would love to experience the food and the culture.

## Surprise fact about you...

I eat every type of food - there is nothing I don't like!

## Any other jobs...

I worked in a pond fish shop! There I would sell pond fish like goldfish and koi carp. It was really fun and I liked being outdoors all day.

## Favourite Film...

Shrek is still me favourite film as it is hilarious for both children and adults. I love the characters and it always makes me feel happy.

## What did you want to be when you grew up...

A dentist! When I was 18 I spent one day in a dental surgery for work experience and realised I was not cut out for it! Luckily I decided to become a teacher instead and have loved this profession!

## Favourite activity to do when not at Fleet...

I love listening to music and singing at the top of my lungs. I like hanging out with my brother - who is also my best friend. We like to cook together and play music on our DJ decks. I love going to the gym and meeting my friends for a catch up and a laugh.

# Dates for your diary...

Please bear in mind that occasionally trips may be arranged or cancelled last minute. Where possible we will give as much notice as we can. We need adult volunteers to support on these trips so please do look out for notices on class windows or sent out via ParentHub. Thank you.

## SUMMER TERM

First day of term	Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2025
May Day Bank Holiday	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2025 - school closed
Half term (inclusive)	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> May 2025
Last day of term	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2025 – close at 2pm

## STAFF INSET DAYS – SCHOOL CLOSED

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
1 <sup>st</sup> half term	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> and Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2024	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2025
2 <sup>nd</sup> half term			Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2025

Please note Nursery and Reception start dates in the Autumn Term differ due to home visits and phased transition. You will receive your child's start date as part of the welcome pack and will be discussed at the meeting prior to the Autumn Term start.

## WHOLE SCHOOL EVENTS

<b>13th June</b>	Coffee morning - Parent/Child Interactions
<b>17th June</b>	Writing Open Morning - Y1 to Y6 - please come along at 9am to your child's class
<b>20th June</b>	Coffee morning - Sibling rivalry
<b>27th June</b>	Summer Fair - after school
<b>18th July</b>	Rec, KS1-KS2 Sports Day - Hampstead Heath Running Track
<b>22nd July</b>	Last day of term - Finish at 2pm

## PARENTS ASSOCIATION & SPECIAL EVENTS

<b>27th June (Friday)</b>	Summer Fair Celebration 3.30-6pm
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# Lunch Menu: 16th - 20th June

## **Meat Free Monday**

### **Vegetarian:**

Spicy Veg & Lentil  
CousCous  
Or  
5 Bean Chilli

Sweetcorn Bread  
Rice

**Baked Potato:**  
with cheese

Veg of the day

Peaches &  
Ice-Cream

## **Tuesday**

**Meat/Halal:**  
Beef & Lentil  
Bolognaise

### **Vegetarian:**

Chickpea & Veg  
Biryani  
Pasta & Turmeric  
Bread

**Baked Potato:**  
with baked beans

Veg of the day

Mandarin sponge  
Cake & custard

## **Wednesday**

**Meat/Halal:**  
Roast Turkey  
Stuffing, Gravy &  
Potatoes

### **Vegetarian:**

Quorn & Black Bean  
Fajitas & Rice

**Baked Potato:**  
With tuna &  
sweetcorn mayo

Veg of the day

Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit

## **Thursday**

**Meat/Halal:**  
Caribbean Spiced  
Chicken Curry &  
Rice/Peas

### **Vegetarian:**

Beetroot, Squash &  
Lentil Wellington with  
Mash and Gravy

**Baked Potato:**  
with 5 bean chilli &  
Rainbow Slaw

Veg of the day

Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit

## **Friday**

**Meat/Halal:**  
Breaded Fish with  
Chips & tomato sauce

### **Vegetarian:**

Cheese & Tomato  
Quiche & Potatoes

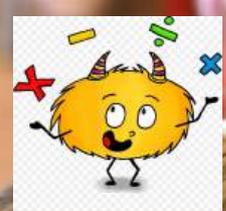
**Baked Potato:**  
with Lentil  
Bolognaise

Veg of the day

Peach & Strawberry  
Crumble

**Please remember to let the office know if you want to change your child to or from school lunches so that adequate amounts of food are produced and waste is reduced**

**Available Daily**  
Freshly Cooked Jacket Potato  
Freshly Baked Bread  
Salad



# Fleet Facts!

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

**Year 2: Abdullahi, Adam, Azim, Charlie, Jodi, Mustafa, Sabia, Stejsi, Tommy**

**Year 3:**

**Year 4: Tallulah, Mahir, Mo, Jannah, Yahya C, Musa, Yahya H, Zara**

**Year 5:**

# Times Table Rock Stars

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



**Year 2: \*\*\*\***

**Year 3: \*\*\*\***

**Year 4: \*\*\*\***

**Year 5: \*\*\*\***

**Year 6: \*\*\*\***



# Numbots Stars of the Week!

**Year 1:\*\*\*\***

**Year 2: \*\*\*\***

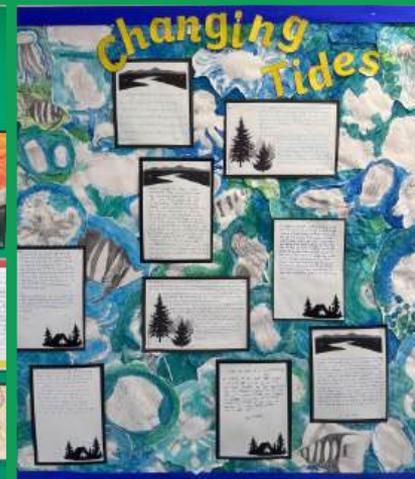
# THE FLEET CREATIVE CURRICULUM - SUMMER TERM TOPICS...

Visit the website to see Topic Letters and Snapshots from this and previous terms:

<https://www.fleet.camden.sch.uk/learning/curriculum/topic-overviews>



Year 6: Changing Tides  
Year 5: Incredible India  
Year 4: Under the Canopy  
Year 3: Fantastical Forests  
Year 2: From the Sea to the Shore  
Year 1: Spring Into Summer  
Reception: Animal Adventure  
Nursery: We Are Super

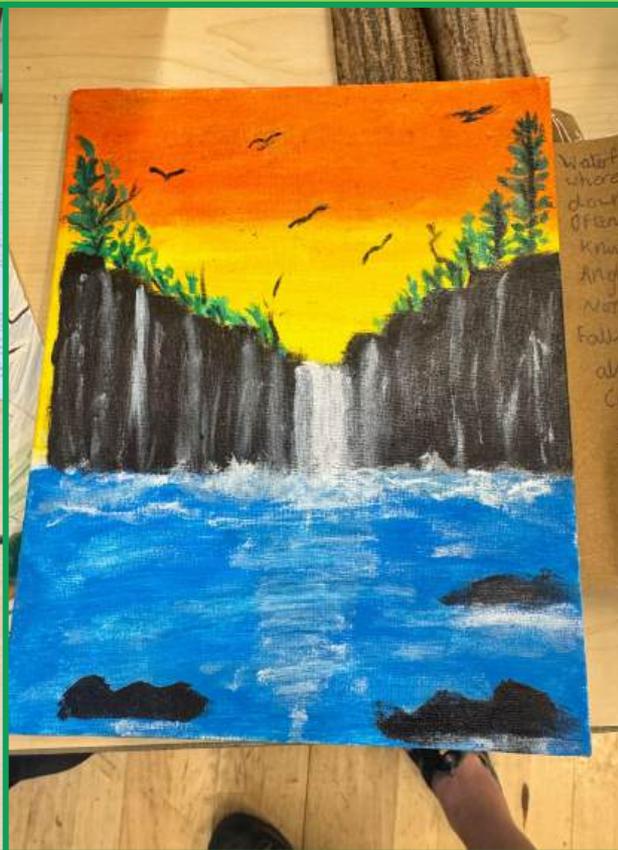


# This week at Fleet...

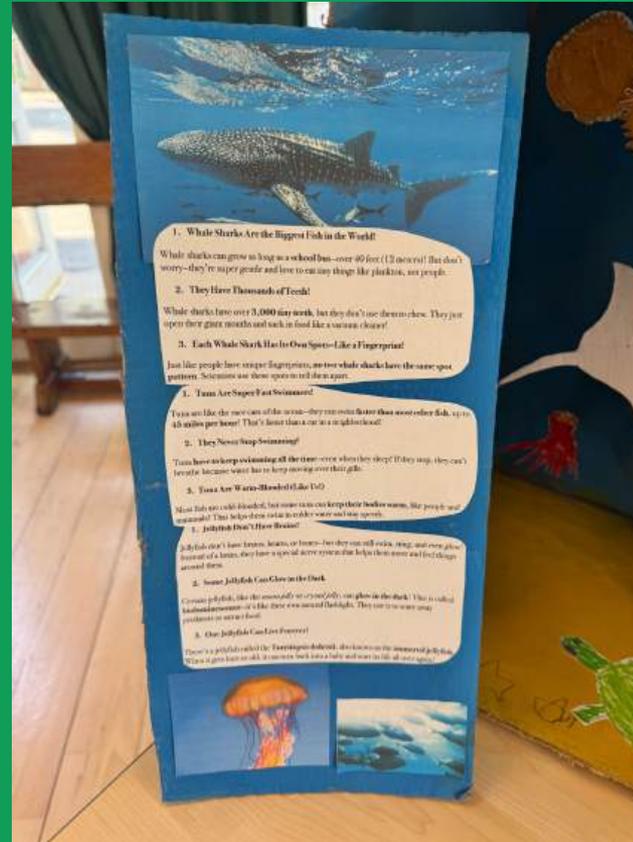
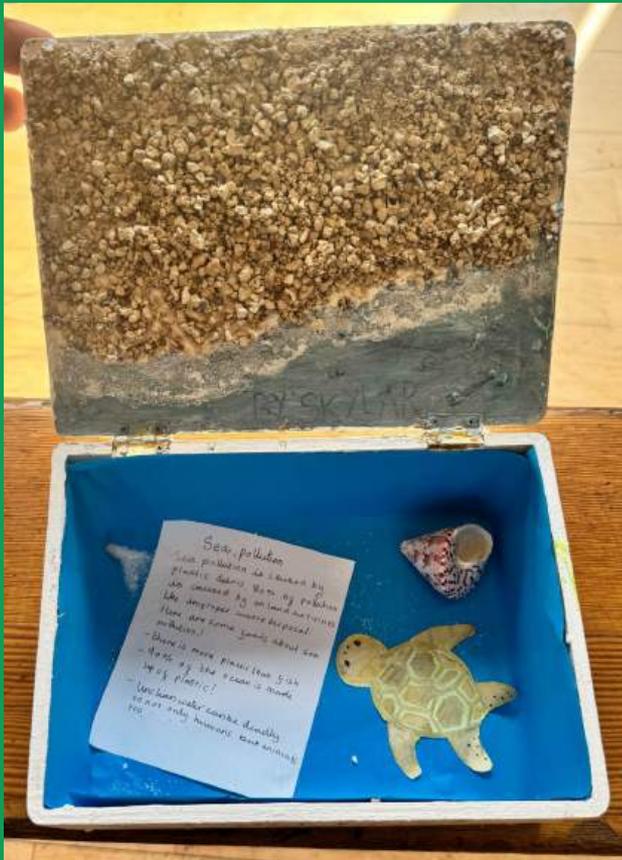
We have a bumper newsletter for you all this week with photos from 2 class assemblies, the home learning exhibition and a bumper crop of the year 6 adventure in Gower! We hope you will enjoy seeing everything the children are getting up to in school this week. All are working hard and we are very impressed with the progress they are making.



# Summer Term Home Learning Project Exhibition



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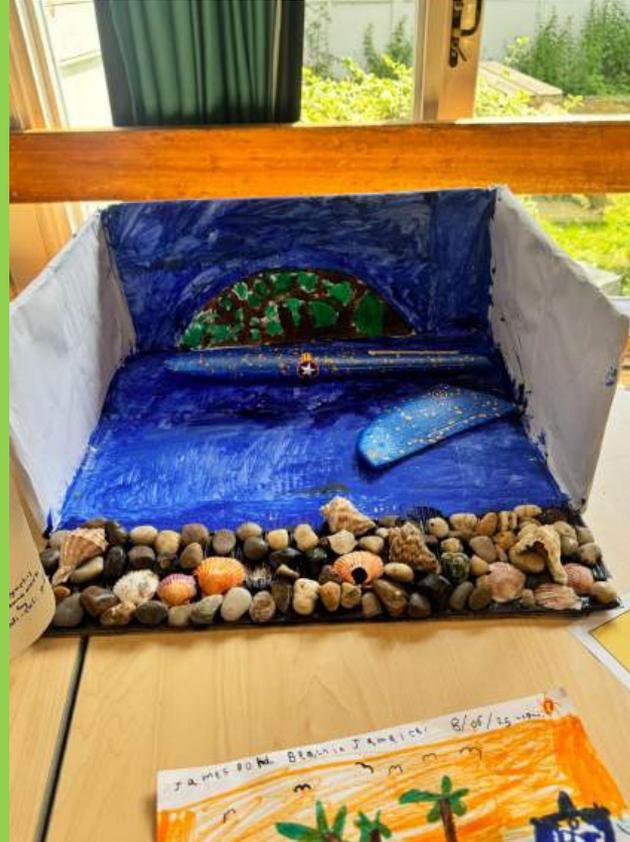


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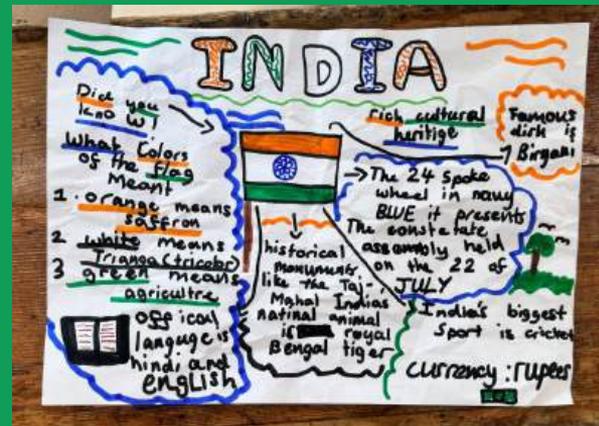




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## Golden Lion Tamarin

by Aisha  
Sabah, 8/4



The Golden Lion Tamarin usually lives in groups of 10-15 individuals, but some live in pairs. They have social life like a lion's mane.

In the day, they travel and feed in groups in the morning and return to the nest at night.

They are an endangered species with approximately 1000 left in the wild and about 5000 in zoos.

I hope monkey can jump only on the trees. I think I could jump on the ground.

I hope creature like a lion is not walk all the way to the morning. They use different sleeping place every night. I hope I can be like the animal.

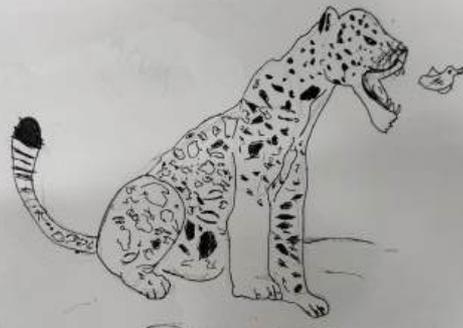
## Facts about squirrel monkeys

1. Squirrel monkeys have a large brain compared to the size of their body, and are one of the cleverest monkeys.
2. They are omnivores, eating a variety of plants and animals.
3. Squirrel monkeys have excellent eyesight and can distinguish colors.
4. They are sometimes called the "Death's head monkeys" because of their black and white face.
5. They live in a large, complex social group with multiple males and females.
6. Squirrel monkeys are primarily tree-dwelling, using their tails for balance rather than climbing.

by Jasmine



Jaguars are the third largest cat and has spots and rosettes on their body. But they have the strongest jaw in the world.



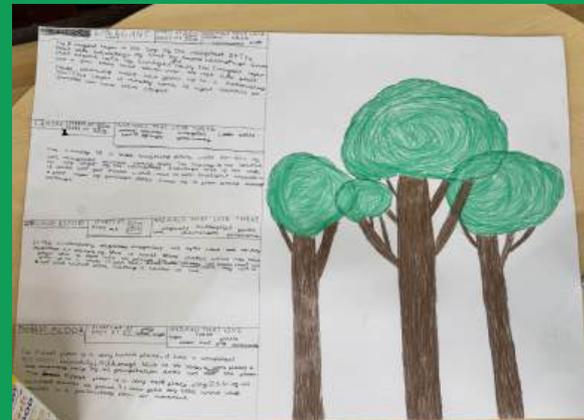
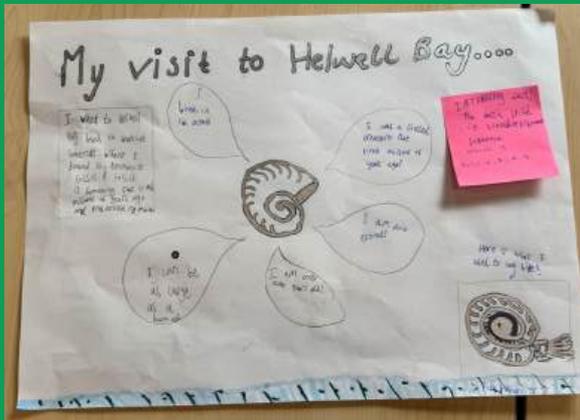
## FACTS

Did you know that

1. Jaguars are the largest cat in America.
2. Jaguars have the most powerful bite of any big cat.
3. Their beautiful coat features a unique pattern of rosettes.
4. They can be in the water for 20 minutes.
5. Did you know that Jaguars eat crocodiles?



# Summer Term Home Learning Project Exhibition



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**R**ain falls down from the sky making the flowers bloom  
**A**nimals roam around and make their habitats  
**N** in the trees the monkeys swing  
**N**utrients enter the soil after the rain and leaves fall  
**F**at roots cover the forest floor  
**O**rangutangs help their children up trees  
**R**ed, green, yellow birds and many other animals  
**E**vergreen leaves are bright all year round  
**S**nakes slither around the floor they camouflage well  
**T**hin bark on the trees because the rainforest doesn't get snow



### Plastic

Earth is 70% water therefore we should take care of this precious resource.

Use reusable coffee cups instead of disposable ones and then you may be lucky and get a discount on coffee!

Many animals, such as seals and turtles can mistake plastic bags for jellyfish.

Every day, about 800,000 pieces of plastic enter the sea.

There are about 250 plastic bottles per mile found on the UK coastlines.

Plastic doesn't naturally degrade, it breaks down into smaller pieces.

By usula

### Pollution

About one third of litter comes from landfills.

In 2014 many people from around the world performed 4,696 kg of litter from lots of beaches.

About half of sea pollution comes from fishing gear.

Recent studies have revealed that marine pollution is a cost of £1.5 billion a year. 50% of that is 50% of seal and 40% of seabirds when examined.

Next time you're on a beach you could do a mini clean up every little helps.

When you're at the beach always remember to only leave footprints behind.

## Star of the week!



### Nursery

For settling into Nursery so well. You are so helpful. It is lovely to see you have a go at lots of new things. We are so proud of you!



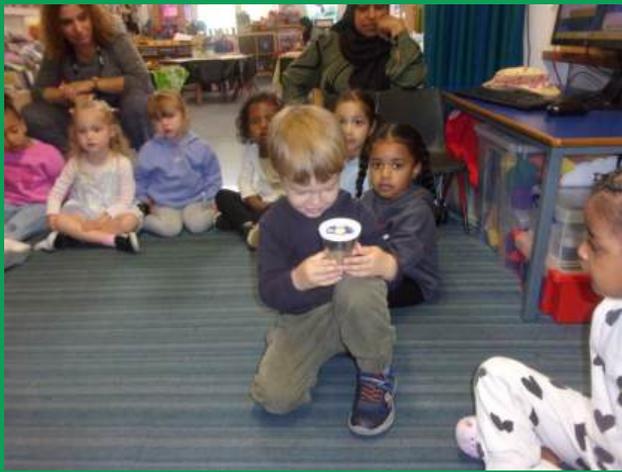
## Dates for your diary...

### NURSERY 2024-25

19th June	London Zoo Trip
27th June	Fleet Summer Fair



## ...Nursery!



# Star of the week!



## Reception

For your awesome problem solving skills – I know I can always count on you to think things through and solve problems independently. You have such great ideas, and we love hearing them!

# Dates for your diary...

## RECEPTION 2024-25

18th June	Trip - Kentish Town City Farm no packed lunch required
25th June	Trip - London Zoo packed lunch required
11th July	Assembly 10am





# Star of the week!



## Year 1

You have worked so hard in phonics this week! It has been wonderful to see you trying your best to learn sounds and showing great confidence in having a go, even when something feels tricky. Well done for your fantastic effort!

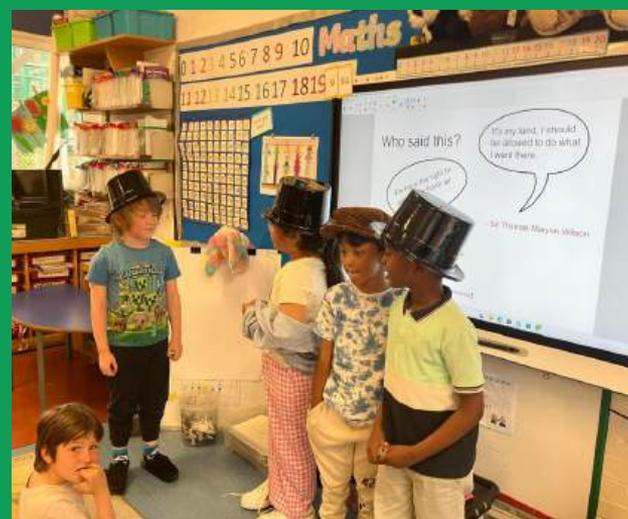
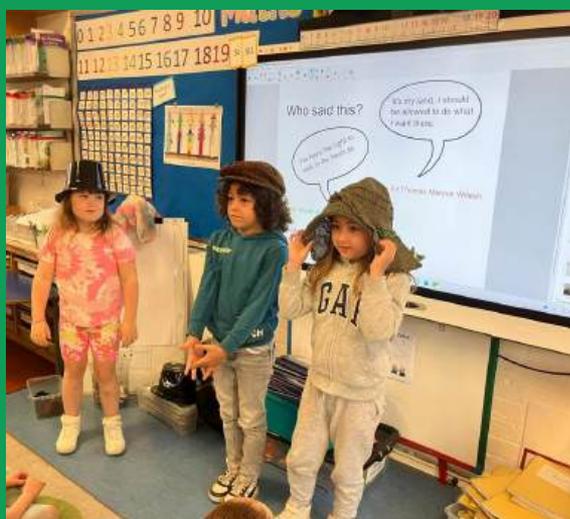


# Dates for your diary...

## YEAR 1 2024-25

18th June	Hampstead Heath History Walk (am)
4th July	Class Assembly - 10am
15th July	Trip - Kew Gardens <b>packed lunch needed</b>
18th July	Sports Day <b>packed lunch needed</b>





# Star of the week!



## Year 2

We have been super impressed with your focus and effort this week, particularly in maths. Keep it up superstar!



# Dates for your diary...

## YEAR 2 2024-25

27th June	Y2 Class Assembly
10th July	Trip to Chalkwell Beach (weather dependent)



# ...Year 2!



# Star of the week!



## Year 3

You should be so proud of yourself this week. You have been a great role model during learning time by actively listening to peers and giving fantastic contributions.

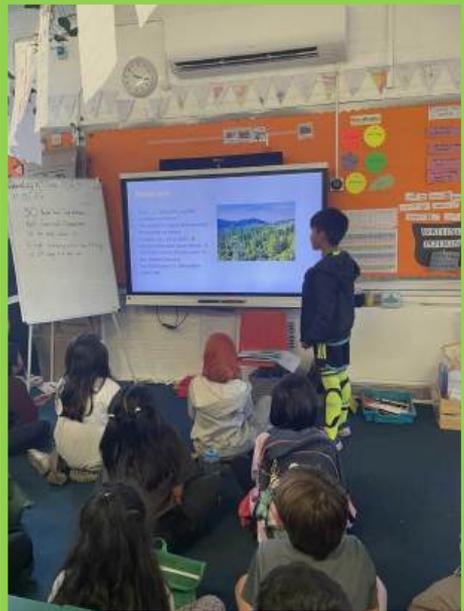
Also a huge well done for your imaginative and creative retelling of the Minpins. We had four paragraphs to write and you tried your hardest, edited diligently and produced a fantastic piece of work. Well done!



# Dates for your diary...

## YEAR 3 2024-25

20th June	Class Assembly
2nd July	Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment Trip
15th July	Keats Library Trip



# ...Year 3!



This week in their writing the children have been retelling part of the Minpins story they have been reading. We have been really impressed with what they have done including this fabulous piece below from James...

*On a bright sunny afternoon little Billy Perched in a magnificent tree whilst hatching a plan to escape the Grauncher with Don Mini. Little Billy was a small boy who wore a light blue silky t-shirt and it was quite old and has quite a few stains. He also had grey trousers and shoes with dark brown hair. He was nervous about the plan but he was willing to do it for the Minpins.*

*“Would you have thought that I am going to ride a swan right above a massive, terrifying, fanged, evil monster trying to lead it into the lake? I felt like I was carrying one hundred elephants on my back!”*

*Suddenly, Little Billy jumped onto the swan’s back. The swan beat it’s pale majestic wings! They were as soft as snow and as white as the clouds.*

*As Billy peered down, he could see the fiery Grauncher gaining on him and the shimmery shiny lake. He could hear the wind whistling in his ears rapidly. He could feel the swans soft feathers against his fingertips.*

# Year 4 Class Assembly - The Rainforest



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# Star of the week!



## Year 4

Your dedication to your schoolwork is outstanding—you consistently apply yourself and give your best. I was especially impressed by your incredible commitment to our class assembly. You've been such a reliable and enthusiastic cast member. I've loved hearing you sing and seeing you shine on stage. Keep up the amazing work, superstar!



# Dates for your diary...

## YEAR 4 2024-25

18th June	Cricket Festival
2nd July	Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment
11th July	Kew Gardens
15th July	Keats Library



# ...Year 4!



# Year 5 Class Assembly - The Jungle Book



# Year 5 Class Assembly - The Jungle Book



# Star of the week!



## Year 5

for bringing total enthusiasm and dedication to all aspects of school life - especially in this week's class assembly! You always try your best but you're also a team player who supports others to achieve and takes pleasure when they do so. Thank you for being such a superstar!



# Dates for your diary...

## YEAR 5 2024-25

26th June	Trip - Crick Institute
4th July	Trip - British Museum

# ...Year 5!



# Star of the week!



# Dates for your diary...

## YEAR 6 2024-25

27th June	Summer Fair
<del>11th July</del> 30th June	Lab Careers Day (Trip)
14th July - 17th July	Swimming
18th July	Sports Day
21st July	Leavers Assembly and BBQ



**Year 6**  
All of Year 6  
For such an amazing week  
in Gower!

# ...Year 6!

# Year 6's Adventures in Gower...









