



Brindishe
Lee

Newsletter

Friday 8th November 2024

What has been happening this week?

Thank you to Miro and Joseph from Year 4, who led our Diwali Assembly on Monday. They told the school why Hindus celebrate Diwali and the sort of things they do to celebrate.

The children were excited to meet the team from Catford Broadway Theatre ahead of their visit to the pantomime at Christmas. They learned all the call and response games and showed the children some props from the show.

The children have noticed some upgrades to the school which happened during half term. We have a new media system in our hall and the Tech Hub has had a glow up from our IT team. Year 4 had a great time in there making audio recordings and Touch Typing Club have also enjoyed the refreshed area.

It was great to see so many parents taking a moment with a coffee and a croissant this morning whilst the children enjoyed a pancake. Look out for the next event!



What is happening next week?

Year 6 head off to Kingswood for their residential trip. Parents, look out for WEDUC updates each evening! We hope they have a great time and we would like to thank the teachers who are accompanying them and making this possible. Thank you Ms Benton, Mrs Etuk- Smith, Mrs Ferrant and Mrs Bannister.

For the rest of the school, it is also a great week as it is our Celebrating Diversity Week. More details about that below!

Wear Your Happy on Friday to show support for Children In Need! You will be able to donate to Children In Need via the Just Giving link we will send on WEDUC.

Years 1, 2 and 3 will have an author visit from Anna- Louise Maloney who will read poems from her book 'The Just Kids' on Friday, to finish off our Celebrating Diversity Week with a bang! More details on WEDUC for those year groups.



Important information from the office

Year 1: Complete the permission form on WEDUC for the upcoming visit to Manor House Gardens on Wednesday 20th November.

Reception: Complete the permission form on WEDUC for the visit to the London Museum Docklands on Thursday 21st November.

Year 5: Complete the permission form on WEDUC for The British Museum visit on Tuesday 26th November and make payment.

We need more parents/carers to help on each of these trips. If parents/carers need help to complete the above forms, they are welcome to come at drop off or collection and Vikki can help you.

Thank you to all those who attended the pancake breakfast, we hope to run another one in the New Year so watch this space!

Please put 6th December in your calendars for the F@B Winter Fair. It will take place after school in the hall, with the usual games and festivities. We also hope Father Christmas can pay a visit!



Attendance

Well done Year 4! Everyone in on time for learning.

Class	Attended	Mins Late
Reception	96.67%	15
Year 1	95.19%	46
Year 2	92.59%	24
Year 3	96.89%	46
Year 4	100%	0
Year 5	93.25%	6
Year 6	89.26%	13

Important Dates

November 2024		December 2024	
Wednesday 14 th Nov- 20 th Nov	Scholastic Book Fair in the Atrium	Tuesday 3 rd and Thursday 5 th Dec	Parent/Teacher Meetings
		Friday 6 th Dec TBC	F@B Christmas Fair 3.30pm- 5.30pm
		Wed 11 th Dec TBC	Christmas lunch and jumper day
11 th - 15 th November	Year 6 School Journey	Winter performances: Tuesday 10 th Dec - Rec and Year 1 Wednesday 11 th Dec- Years 2 and 3 Thursday 12 th Dec- Years 4 and 5 Friday 13 th Dec- Year 6	
11 th – 15 th Nov	Celebrating Diversity Week		
Fri 29 th Nov	Inset Day - No school for children	Tuesday 17 th Dec	Years 1, 4 and 6 to Broadway Theatre Pantomime
		Wednesday 18 th Dec	Years 2, 3 and 5 to Broadway Theatre Pantomime
		Fri 20 th Dec (6 th Jan – INSET Day)	Last Day Christmas Holidays

Celebrating Diversity Week

We have a great week of activities and events planned around the themes below, all designed to celebrate diversity and support children in developing positive relationships with everyone.

Monday – Celebrating Diversity Week Assembly

Tuesday – Anti-Bullying Week - Choose Respect, Choose Kindness.

Wednesday – Celebrating European Languages and Cultures

Thursday – Inter Faith Week – Understanding and Respecting All

Friday- Wear Your Happy Day for Children in Need – come to school dressed in something individual that makes you happy! Donate via the link on WEDUC!

