



Information for Parents and Carers Autumn Term 2021

Friday 10th September 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back!

We hope that you had a good break. Please read below for some important information regarding your child's class, as well as an outline of the learning that the classes will be covering throughout the Autumn Term.

Virtual Meet the Teacher

There will be an opportunity for you to meet your child's new teacher via Zoom.

Please see the date, time and zoom link for your child's class below:

| Class | Day/Time of Meeting | Zoom Link |
|----------------|--|---|
| Newton | Monday 13 th September 5.00pm | Join Zoom Meeting https://zoom.us/j/92076491737?pwd=TGUxUkFnNEpwaTIRU2x6VGtsUJWdz09 Meeting ID: 920 7649 1737 Passcode: Cv23TW |
| Faraday | Monday 13 th September 5.00pm | Join Zoom Meeting https://us04web.zoom.us/j/77663759649?pwd=aUtkZmQyQ3NQNiRhWm9qaGFhaFU3Zz09 Meeting ID: 776 6375 9649 Passcode: e7B6gs |
| Curie | Tuesday 14 th September 5.00pm | Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87584665346?pwd=WE5HT0ppS3dEWSswUEFZZIZ3MnBydz09 Meeting ID: 875 8466 5346 Passcode: 53J30t |

Our PE days are:

| Day | Class |
|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Monday | CURIE, FARADAY and NEWTON |
| Thursday | CURIE and NEWTON |
| Friday | FARADAY |

Please ensure that your child comes to school wearing their PE kit on these days only (*white t-shirt and navy shorts/ tracksuit bottoms*) on PE days. Please bear in mind that most PE sessions will be outside. Your child will need a pair of trainers please.

Sharing Assembly

| Class | Date |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|
| Faraday | Friday 1 st October 2021 |
| Newton | Friday 12 th November 2021 |
| Curie | <i>Spring Term</i> |

We are excited and happy to say that adults are invited to attend assembly again! Strictly two adults per child please.

Assembly will begin promptly at 9.10am in the Top Hall so please do not be late. Where possible, we will encourage parents who enter the building to wear a mask. Thanks for your support with this.



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Homework and Reading

It is imperative that your child is able to access Google Classroom, as this is where we will post each week's home learning. Home learning will consist of the weekly spellings and their homework project. Times tables should be practised on 'Times Tables Rockstars'. Maths Whizz should be used at least for 45 minutes a week. Homework will be sent via Google Classroom each **Friday** and needs to be completed by **Friday** each week.

Term dates:

We break up for half term at **2.15pm on Friday 25th October**. We return to school on **Tuesday 2nd November**. We end the term year at **2.15pm on Friday 17th December** and the children return to school on **Tuesday 4th January 2022**.

Communication:

The Millfields Mag is sent out via email each Friday and will be on your Google Classroom. Try to read it with your child so that you can keep up to date with what is happening at school. Please also keep up to date with your child's Google Classroom, as this is where your child will receive positive behaviour management rewards as well as other notices, reminders and of course homework. If you download the app and are signed in using your child's account you can receive notifications to remind you when things are added.

Core subjects overview:

In **Maths** we will be learning about number and place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, fractions, measurement, geometry, statistics and lots more!

In **Literacy** we will be studying books linked to our topic 'The Great Occupation' and will begin with 'Stone age boy' 'UG - Boy Genius of the Stone Age'.

In **Science** we will be learning about 'Animals including humans' and 'All living things.'

We would welcome the following resources to support our work:

- Stone age to Iron Age (text books or story books)
- Anything else linked to the topics above.

If you have any questions about your child's learning or any aspect of school life, please e-mail info@millfields.hackney.sch.uk or swatson@millfields.hackney.sch.uk and your child's class teacher will be alerted. We are really looking forward to a positive year.

Kind regards,

Sumon Thakur
Class Teacher

Ben Pahari
Class Teacher

Theodor Hinz
Class Teacher

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Year 5 Learning Overview

RE

Buddhism
Exploring Christian Values

Computing

E-safety
Coding: Kodu
Research and Presentation using technology

PE and Games

Autumn 1:

Hockey
Ball Skills

Autumn 2:

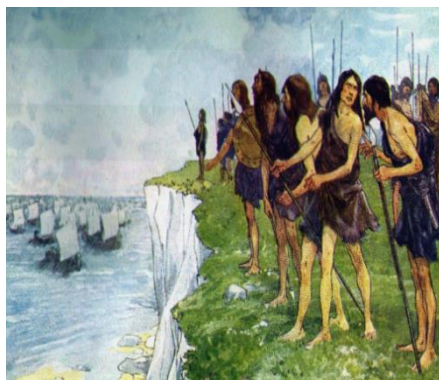
Dance
Fitness

PHSE and Citizenship

Class Charter and Article 12 & 19 focus

-Law and Order
-Friendship and bullying

Great Occupation



Science

Animals including Humans

All living things

Geography

Describe and understand features of Human Geography:
types of settlement and land use, distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water

Music

Love Songs + Charanga "Don't Stop"
Winter Concert
Performance- Focus on Notation and score

Art

- Painting
- Drawing
Perspective

History

Stone Age
Anglo Saxons
Vikings

DT

Design, make and evaluate Viking shields

Other dates to remember

Maths Week – 27th - 1st October September 2021

Parents Evening: 2nd & 3rd November 2021 (*information to follow*)

Non-Uniform Day: Xmas Jumper Day: 17th December 2021