

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the new school year.

Please read below for some important information regarding your child's class. On the reverse side of this sheet you will see an outline of the learning that the classes will be covering in the Autumn Term.

Core Subjects Overview

In **Maths** we will be focusing on 'Place Value' for the first four weeks. We will then move on to 'Addition and Subtraction'. After that, we will be concentrating on Geometry. In **English**, we will learn the skills needed to help us write action descriptions, instructions, recount and biographies. In **Science**, we will start learning about 'Animals' needs for survival.

PE Times

Nile - Monday & Tuesday

Zambezi- Monday & Thursday

Douro-Monday & Thursday

Please ensure that your child comes to school wearing their PE kit (white top, navy bottoms and black shoes) on PE days and bear in mind that most PE sessions will be outside. Your child will need a pair of trainers please.

Homework and Reading

Book bags will be sent out on Tuesday and need to be returned on the following Monday.

Spelling homework will be sent out weekly via google Classroom on Friday and we will have a test the following Friday.

For Maths, please download 1 minute maths.

At the beginning of each term, a homework project will be set to be completed by the end of that term. This term our project is on our topic 'Africa'. We will be sending details shortly.

Nativity

Tuesday 10th Dec: **Nile**

Wednesday 11th Dec: **Douro**

Thursday 12th Dec: **Zambezi**

Winter Concerts

Tuesday 17th Dec

Term dates:

We break up for half term at 2:30pm on Friday 25th October. Children return to school on Monday 4th November. We break up for the Christmas holiday at 2:30pm on Friday 20th December.

The Millfields Mag is sent via email and text each Friday. Please read it with your child so that you can keep up to date with what is happening at school. 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 contact the class teacher directly after school or via email.

Kind Regards

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Africa Uncovered



<p>Science Animals needs for survival Humans Materials Sustainability-plastic</p>	<p>Geography Understand geographical similarities and Differences: The UK and a contrasting setting</p>	<p>Computing Computer science: Debugging (Bee bots-Turtle Logo)</p>	
<p>Art Printing and weaving <u>Key artist</u> Esther Mahlangu Nike Davies-Okundaye</p>	<p>PE and Games Fitness & Fundamentals Ball Skills & Dance</p>	<p>RE <u>Big Question</u> What can we learn from special stories? Why did Jesus tell stories? Why are different books special for different people?</p>	
<p>DT Textiles: Design & Make an African Mask</p>	<p>PSHE and Citizenship Class Charter, Zones of Regulation Health & Wellbeing, Relationships, Living in the wider world</p>	<p>Music Duration – Some sounds are... Charanga – Hands Feet and Heart Winter Concert</p>	<p>Spanish Balanced Diet: fruits I like Pets I have/ like Introducing myself (name, age and where I live) Maths in Spanish (adding basic numbers)</p>

<p><u>Themed Weeks</u> Black History Month WB 30th September Black History Celebration Wednesday 6th November Anti-Bullying Week WB 18th November Maths Week England WB 18th November Assessment Week WB 27th November Christmas Events WB 11th December</p>

<p><u>Dress Up Days</u> Show Racism the Red Card Friday 25th October Odd Socks Tuesday 12th November Pyjamas (Children in Need) Friday 15th November Christmas Lunch TBC Christmas Jumper Day Friday 20th December</p>

<p><u>Other dates for your diary</u> Outdoor Day Friday 13th September Individual Photo Day Tuesday 17th September Millfields Dog Show Saturday 28th September E-Safety Day Thursday 3rd October Parents Evening Tuesday 15th and Wednesday 16th October USA Winter Concert</p>
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