

# Millfields Mag

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## Millfields Learning at the V&A



We have had a busy week learning in class and out and about, as well as getting ready for Creative Week that is happening next week! Reception classes visited the V&A Museum and took part in a 'Discovering Shape' workshop. The session was set within the atmospheric China gallery, and encouraged the children to use imagination and experimentation to explore different shapes found in objects and spaces around the museum. Through this hands-on physical approach, the children made large shapes in groups, went on a treasure hunt around the gallery to find shapes hiding in the museum objects and then had a go at drawing their own shapes using coloured string inspired by some of the artwork and objects they had seen. The children really enjoyed their learning experience.

Well done to our Y4 and Y5 cyclists who won medals at the latest roller bike competition. We are currently trying to raise some funds for a couple of permanent roller-bikes in school so that the whole of KS2 can benefit from them as part of fitness sessions and PE lessons. Look out for more information soon. Also, a huge 'thank you' to Paul and all the parents who gave up their Saturday to tidy and organise the green Play Pod in the playground. It is so tidy –very much appreciated!

Thank you also to all the parents and carers who came in to the Y1 Toy Museum on Wednesday afternoon. There were so many brilliant old toys and special toys brought in by parents, grandparents and great-grandparents. So many old toys that brought back lots of memories for all our staff of different ages! The children are still talking about all the amazing and unusual toys then have seen –brilliant for bringing learning about the past, and make comparisons to life.

Creative Evening is on Monday 3rd February –this is an opportunity to look at all the work your child will be creating during Creative Week. Tickets are on sale now from the main office –adults £1 and accompanied children are free. There are timed sessions with limited tickets for each and they are selling fast! There will also be a selection of school meal dishes on sale -meat and veg curry, mac and cheese, Caribbean chicken dumping soup, vegetable soup and jerk chicken and rice. If you want to bring a take-away container to eat at home, then please do. Or join us and eat in the bottom hall. Thank you to all the parents and carers who have volunteered their time next week to support classes with their creative projects – your support is greatly appreciated. Finally, a few reminders: please make sure that your child bring their PE kit and suitable trainers for their PE lessons –check the Parent Information Book that was sent at the beginning of this term for the class PE days. Also, please be reminded that Millfields is a 'nut-free' school –please do not bring nut-based products to school in packed lunches or in food bank donations; also if we do not have more than one phone number for you on our information system, or your number has changed, or we do not have a current email address, please let us know asap via [info@millfields.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:info@millfields.hackney.sch.uk)

### Creative Week

27th-31st January

Creative Evening

Monday 3rd February

E-safety Day

Tuesday 11th February

Hispanic Week

10th-14th February

iDiscover Week

9th -13th March

Parents Evening

Wednesday 25th March

London Day

Thursday 2nd April

### Attendance

**Week beg: 13th Jan**

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 96.8%

Winning classes:

KS1 Lowry (99.3%)

KS2 Curie & Baylis (99%)

**Well done!**

### Tuck Shop

Thank you to Brown Class for organising last week's tuck shop.

Amount raised was an amazing **£90.97**

Thank you for all of your support!!

### Reminder:

**Head Teachers Surgery**

**Tues 28th Jan 9:30-10:30am**

### School Tours

**Fri 7th Feb 09:30**

**Fri 27th March 09:30**

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to the children and staff who celebrated their birthdays this week :

- 18th January ~ Shakera A, Matilda G, Bryan F & Lee R
- 19th January ~ Saul K, Henrietta A & Dashiell G
- 20th January ~ Amina B, Oliver K, Jacob R, Carl S, Gracie W & Izaak B
- 21st January ~ Chi B, Noah J, Sarah S, Ismaeel A, Frank A, Jaden M, Cornell-Conrad E, & Emma R
- 22nd January ~ Shapla U
- 23rd January ~ Nino G
- 24th January ~ Hibah M

Many happy returns to you all!

## LANGUAGE OF THE MONTH

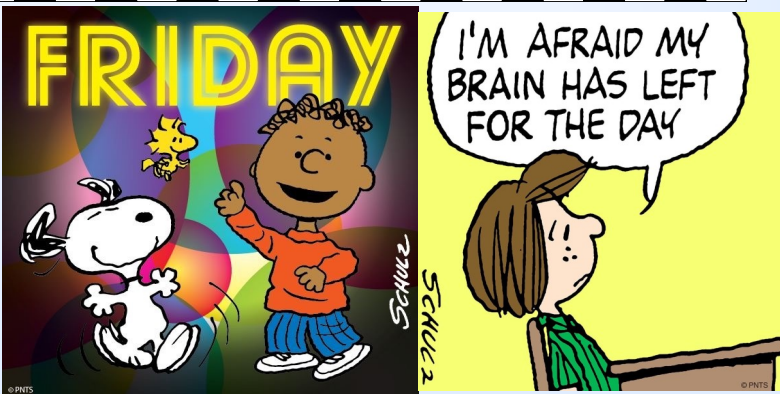
January	Gujarati
Word to Learn: Please	Krpā kari

### 'Come Dine with Us'

— opportunity for parents/carers to have lunch with their children

### Spring Term 2020

Date	Year Group
<b>Hispanic Week</b> Wednesday 12th Feb	Year 2
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 3
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 5
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	Year 4



**Creative week Evening**  
**Live & Let's Dye**  
 An exploration of nature and art  
**Monday 3rd Feb**  
 4-7pm

There will be ticketed sessions between 4pm-7pm, so please buy your tickets from the main office. Adults £1 and accompanied children are free. There are a limited number of tickets, so please buy early to avoid disappointment.

As part of the evening celebrations, we are also selling food – lots of the delicious food that your children eat every lunchtime will be on sale. If you could donate any cakes to sell that would also be appreciated. There will be also drinks on sale during the event.

**We would love to see you all there.**

### PARENT/CARER WORKSHOPS

understanding what and how your child is learning in school supporting your child at home

**Spring Term 2020 9:00am-10:00am\***

Date	Workshop	Staff Lead
30/01/2020	Y4, Y5 & Y6: Using Maths Whizz to maximise progress	Keli Tawiah
05/02/2020	E-safety –keeping children safe online	Sumon Thakur
13/02/2020	Spanish teaching at Millfields	Belen Fernandez
HALF TERM		
27/02/2020	Times Tables Rock Stars –KS2	Keli Tawiah
02/03/2020 *4pm & 6pm	KS1 SATS Information	Ashraf Mohi & Debi Cookhorn
03/03/2020 *4pm & 6pm	KS2 SATS Information	Sheyenne Watson
19/03/2020	KS2 Reading and SPaG SATS	Sheyenne Watson
25/03/2020	KS1 Reading SATS	Sheyenne Watson & Ashraf Mohi
31/03/2020	KS2 Maths SATS	Keli Tawiah & Sheyenne Watson
01/04/2020	KS1 Maths SATS	Keli Tawiah & Ashraf Mohi

### PSA After-school Tuck Shops — Spring 2020

We always need people to volunteer time to run the stall on the day and will need lots of donations of food on the day. Just take your food to the office on the day of your stall. Please remember that all food must be nut free to comply with school policy.

Date	Class
Friday 31st Jan	Mackintosh
Friday 7th Feb	Berners-Lee
Friday 14th Feb	Lovelace
HALF TERM	
Friday 28th Feb	Dunlop
Friday 6th March	Jones
Friday 13th March	Curie
Friday 20th March	Newton
Friday 27th March	Faraday
Friday 3rd April	Year 6



# On this day in History...

The first Boy Scout troop is organised in England by Robert Baden-Powell—1908

**Direct Debit Donations Programme**  
 If you would like to support the school with a monthly donation to the PSA, you can find out more about the 3 special funds and make your donation here:  
**RENEW:** <https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/8204>  
**ENRICH:** <https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/8205>  
**INSPIRE:** <https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/8206>

## SHARING ASSEMBLIES Spring Term 2020

Date (Fridays)	EY and KS1 (Middle/Bottom Hall @ 9.00am)	LKS2 and UKS2 (Middle/Top Hall @ 9.00am)		
Week beginning 27/01/2020	Creative Week			
07/02/2020		Brown (Rosie's Class)		Anning (Rachel's Class)
14/02/2020	Rosen (Rachel's)		Baylis (Alex's class)	
Half Term				
28/02/2020		Lowry (Kamilah's Class)		Curie (Emily's Class)
06/03/2020	Cooke (Cheniece's Class)		Berners-Lee (Rosie/Emma's Class)	
13/03/2020		Riley (Ashraf's Class)		Hawking (Keli/Sumon's Class)
20/03/2020	Hutchins (Rana's Class)		Jones (Naomi's Class)	
27/03/2020		Tarrant (Kimberlie's Class)		Turing (Fintan's Class)

**Fabulous Foundation  
Holiday Club**

INCLUSIVE PLAYScheme FOR  
CHILDREN AGED 3 - 11

Mon 17th to Fri 21st February

## Half Term

8:00am to 6:00pm

Book by Wednesday 12th February to avoid disappointment as places are limited

Payment accepted at the School Office until 14th Feb  
**Please note: NO payments can be accepted after this date & NO payment No Place**

**PRICES:**

Daily Rate	Half day—£25.00
	Full day—£50.00
Weekly Rate	Half day—£100.00
	Full day—£200.00

20% Discount for Families receiving Income Support

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## Cycling Medallists!



## Pen Licences!



# STARS OF THE WEEK

