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It's been a Creative Week at Millfields



There have been lots of very creative and imaginative art activities happening this week at Millfields! Creative Week activities have all focussed around the exploration of nature and art. We have all been thinking about how we can reconnect to their natural world, the importance of nature and how to understand our place in the natural world. We have been observing and drawing the natural world around us -pot plants in school, trees in the playground and all of the wonderful natural world in our local parks and green spaces. We have also been looking at how different artists have represented and used nature through different mediums to express their creativity. Some of our classes visited artworks in the National Gallery or the British Museum to give them inspiration.

Each year group was given a focus. The work created in each class and year group for our Art in nature theme is all made from recycled materials, particularly cardboard! Thank you for all your donations – we are brimming with junk: card, paper and boxes that will be the basis of this year's art installation for Creative Night. The work created by each and every child includes lots and lots of pieces of art based on famous sculptors and artists, The amalgamation of all the artwork will be displayed for you all to see on 'Creative Evening' that takes place on Monday 3rd February. Entry is by ticket only and there are 15 minute time slots so that you are able to have the time and space to appreciate and immerse yourself in the installation. Tickets are on sale now from the main office - adults £1 and accompanied children are free. Tickets are selling fast!

There will also be a selection of school meal dishes on sale - meat and veg curry, mac and cheese, chicken dumpling soup and jerk chicken and rice. If you want to bring a takeaway container to eat at home, then please do.

Thank you very much to all the parents and carers who have volunteered their time this week to support classes and create the centrepiece of our exhibition- your support is greatly appreciated.

Thank you also to the parents and carers who came to the Maths Whizz workshop earlier this week - I hope you found it useful. There is an 'E-safety ' workshop about online identity and keeping your child safe online on Tuesday 4th February – please call the office to book a place.

Finally, a reminder that it is Hispanic Week between the 10th -14th February. If you can help out by coming in to talk to a class about your experiences about living or visiting a Spanish-speaking country, please contact our Spanish teacher Belen Fernandez on email: bfernadez@millfields.hackney.sch.uk Hope to see you on Monday at the Creative Night event.

Have a good weekend. Best Wishes, Jane



Monday 3rd February E-safety Day Tuesday 11th February **Hispanic Week** 10th-14th February **World Book Day** Thursday 5th March iDiscover Week 9th -13th March

Creative Evening

Sport Relief Friday 13th March **Parents Evening** Wednesday 25th March **London Day**

Thursday 2nd April

Attendance Week beg: 20th Jan

Our school target: 96.5% Last week: 97.7% Winning classes: KS1 Whiteread (100%) KS2 Baylis (99.7%) Well done!

Tuck Shop

Thank you to Baylis Class for organising last week's tuck shop. Amount raised was an amazing **£103.15** Thank you for all of your support!!

Reminder: **Head Teachers Surgery** Tuesday 4th Feb 11-12 Tuesday 11th Feb 2-3pm **School Tours**

Fri 7th Feb 09:30 Fri 27th March 09:30



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

25th January ~ Viola G, Owais S & Nisa K

27th January ~ Mohammad I, Amaan R & Elija J

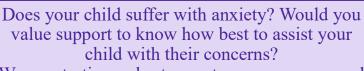
28th January ~ Miyu T

29th January ~ Toby B, Chiamaka M Chibuike M, Khubayb P & Raene P

30th January ~ Gabriel G & Iris J

31st January ~ Dara W, Ecrin A & Nuriyah W

Many happy returns to you all!



We are starting a short parent programme around this topic on a Friday morning.

If this is something you may be interested in please email Debi on

dcookhorn@millfields.hackney.sch.uk and she will get in touch with you.

LANGUAGE OF THE MONTH

| January | Gujarati | |
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| Word to Learn: | | |
| Please | Krpā karī | |

'Come Dine with Us'

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

Spring Term 2020

| Date | Year Group | | |
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| Hispanic Week Wednesday 12th Feb | Year 2 | | |
| Thursday 5 th March | Year 3 | | |
| Tuesday 17 th March | Year 5 | | |
| Wednesday 1 st April | Year 4 | | |



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 | |
|--------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| 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 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 | | |
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On this day in History...

Charles Edward Stuart aka 'Bonnie Prince Charlie' dies in Rome 1788

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 EY and KS1 LKS2 and UKS2

(Middle/Bottom Hall @ (Middle/Top Hall @ (Fridays) 9.00am) 9.00am) **Brown Anning** 07/02/2020 (Rachel's (Rosie's Class) Class)

Rosen **Baylis** 14/02/2020 (Rachel's (Alex's class)

Class)

Half Term

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| | | Lowry | | Curie | | |
| 28/02/2020 | | (Kamilah's Class) | | (Emily's Class) | | |
| 06/03/2020 | Cooke | | Berners-Lee | | | |
| | (Cheniece's Class) | | (Rosie/ Emma's Class) | | | |
| 13/03/2020 | | Riley (Ashraf's Class) | | Hawking (Keli/ Sumon's Class) | | |
| 20/03/2020 | Hutchins | | Jones | | | |
| | (Rana's Class) | | (Naomi's Class) | | | |
| 27/03/2020 | | Tarrant | | Turing | | |
| | | (Kimberlie's | | (Fintan's | | |

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