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Millfields Learning at Home and at School



Another big 'WELL DONE' to all of you for the brilliant work and amazing creations this week! You are all doing so well, and we - all of the staff, are so proud of all the children and all that they achieve every day! We greatly appreciate all the support and guidance that you as parents and carers are giving your children too! I hope that you are all still coping with all the pressures of remote learning, working from home, online shops etc.!



It is 'Children and Mental Health Week' this week, and we are so pleased that so many of you as individuals and families have used our 'Well-being' menu and spent some time just relaxing, finding time to do your own thing, being creative and reflecting. We loved all the photos that you sent in! Keep looking after your mental health and well-being! ***Look out**

for details of our half term photo competition next week!



Remember, it is so important for all of us to have that bit of time for ourselves away from all the pressures and challenges of the outside world! I have read, and intend to keep reading again and again, an amazing book this week, *'The Boy, the mole, the fox and the horse'* by *Charlie Mackesy*. It is described as 'A book for everyone whether you're eighty or eight' and 'A book of hope for uncertain times'. I would highly recommend it for so many reasons, so please try to get a copy if you can and share with everyone!

Next week is another busy week, and if we were all in school, we would be enjoying lots of fun, laughter and learning as part of Hispanic Week, so please let's all do the same but from home! Your child's class teacher should send you an overview of the week, and this will also include resources that your child may need, so please include them on your shopping list this weekend! If your child receives free school meals, and you need ingredients for the cooking sessions, please contact the office on

info@millfields.hackney.sch.uk.

Another big 'thank you; to everyone who has donated food to the Millfields' Food Bank - this is working really well and all our families who are accessing it are so grateful for the help! This will be one of the things that we will continue when we are out of lockdown!

As you may be aware, the children learning to play musical instruments have continued via Zoom this term. I know that it is probably not very easy at all, but thank you to Tom, Celia, Jack and Lawrence for making it happen! Only a few exams have taken place this term and I am delighted to congratulate Agnes who passed her Grade 1 violin exam with merit! Well done!

Finally, we are sadly saying goodbye to our brilliant student, Dunya, who has been working in Year 1 and mainly with White-read Class. We hope you have learnt lots from us - certainly a teaching practice like no other! We want to say thank you, and wish you all the very best of luck for the future! Thank

you also to Zara who has been volunteering in Reception for a couple of weeks and left yesterday! Please have a good weekend, and wrap up warm as I believe there may be some more snow on the way! Take care, keep well and stay safe. Jane



Important Dates

Lace Day

Saturday 6th February

Yorkshire Pudding Day

Sunday 7th February

Opera Day

Monday 8th February

Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 9th February

Umbrella Day

Wednesday 10th February

Fat Thursday

Thursday 11th February

Darwin Day

Friday 5th February

"What do you want to be
when you grow up?"



"Kind" said the boy



February is here

STAY HOME PROTECT THE NHS SAVE LIVES

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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

30th January ~ Hussain A, Gabriel G, Iris J
 31st January ~ Dara W, Nuriyah W
 1st February ~ Syeda H, Gaga M
 2nd February ~ Ashraf M
 3rd February ~ Jasmine A, Malaikah H
 4th February ~ Mohammed M, Otto Y

Many Happy Returns to you ALL!

LANGUAGE OF THE MONTH

February	French
Word to Learn: Hello	Bonjour



Live Family Cook-Along
 with Chef Tom
 Weds 10th February
 4:00pm.

WEEK 4 – CHEESE & SPINACH SCONES/
 APPLE & CARROT SLAW

This recipe was chosen by public vote on Instagram, which beat Sweet Potato Muffins!

The class will be live-streamed on the [Chefs In Schools YouTube Channel](#). or from the website

www.hackneyschooloffood.com



Flatbreads and Roasted Vegetables made by Resident-in-school-chef Catrin M in Faraday Class from last week's Hackney School of Food lesson.
 Is it dinner time yet?!!



Free Family Learning for Hackney residents.

Themed short courses with activities for families, on line /on zoom.

"Be creative, learn something new and have fun ."

Keeping up with the children;

How to Help with Home Schooling

22nd Feb to 15th-March, Mondays 4-6pm

For adults with and without children

This course will help you feel more confident and able to help your child/ children. It will give you an overview of key stage 1&2 English and Mathematics curriculum. It is taught in a small informal group so you can ask questions and learn more about topics your children are covering and work out best ways to help them and feel more confident yourself.



Story sacks

24th Feb. to 17th March Wednesdays 10am -12

For adults with and without children

On this course you will choose a story to share with your family.

You will decorate a bag and make a variety of resources and props to help you tell the story with your

English and Cooking (ESOL Entry level)

26th Feb. to 19th March, Fridays 10am -12

For , ESOL adults wanting to improve and practice their English skills.

On this course you will learn and share your knowledge about cooking affordable and healthy foods. Whilst enjoying this topic you will also develop and practice your English spoken, reading and writing skills.



For all of these courses you will need a smartphone or computer with Internet access.

For more information or to book a place please text or email, 07816 096575 or Helen.sprogs@citylit.ac.uk



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Supporting your child with reading, through music

4- Feb-21 18- March -21 Thursday's 4-6pm

For parents/ carers with their children (4- 10 years)

also great for parents / carers with ESOL.



This musical storytelling course will help you to support your child with reading. We'll be looking at how songs and rhymes add to your child's reading experiences, and making simple story props to help you support your children on their reading journeys.



Arts and Crafts, Saturday club;

Artists and their Styles

20th Feb to 13th March, Saturday's 10am 12

For parents/ carers with their children (3-11years)

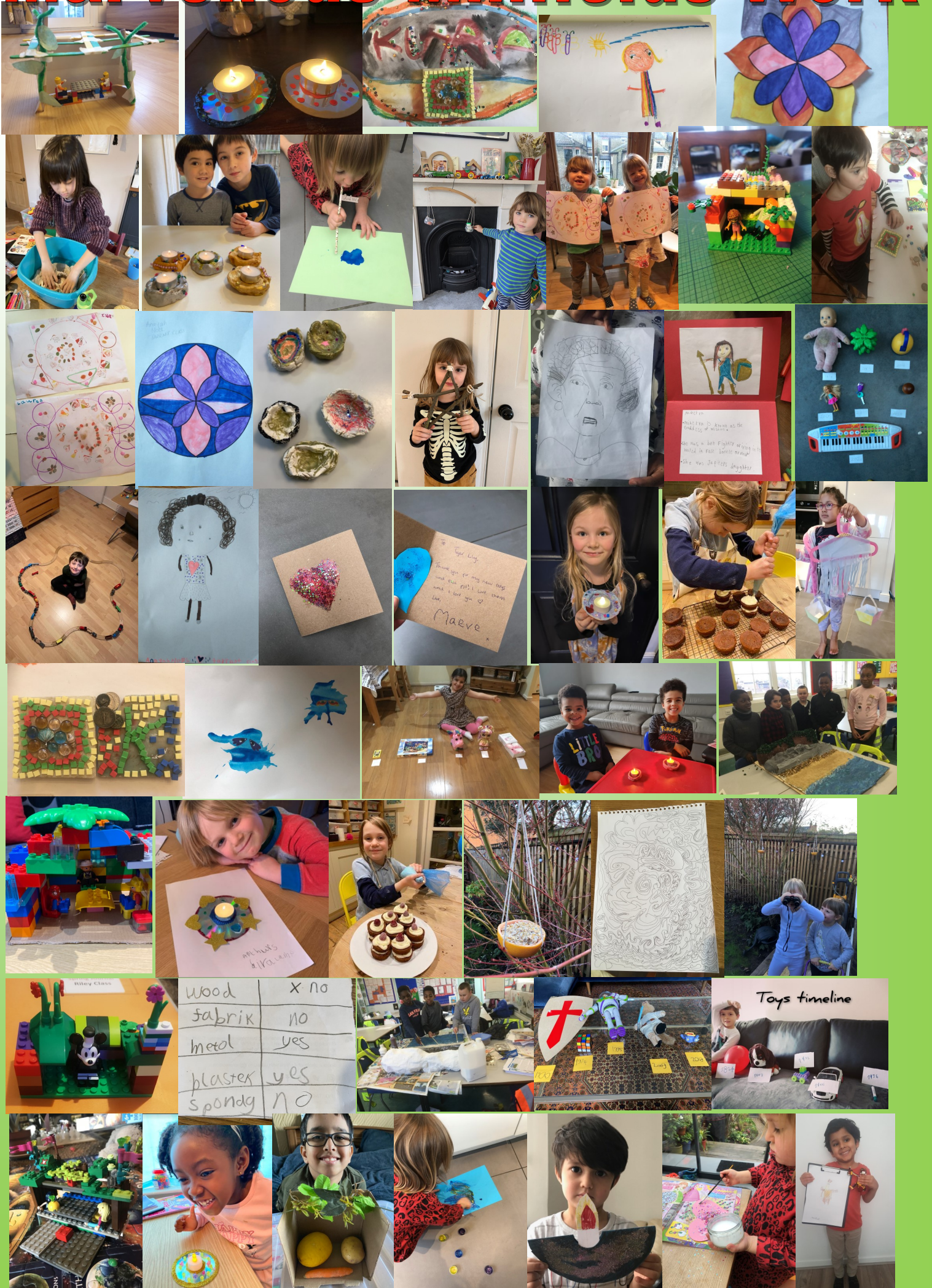
Learn new skills, art techniques and enjoy the process of making art with your family. Each week we will look at a different artists to gain knowledge and inspiration to produce some great artwork. Artists include Matisse, Kandinsky, Van Gogh and others.

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For more information or to book a place please text or email,



Marvellous Millfields Work



Wood	X	no
fabrik		no
meel		yes
plaster	yes	
spongy		no

Toys timeline

1980	1985	1990	1995
1990	1995	1995	1995

STARS OF THE WEEK

Nominated for Being Exceptional!

Class	Child
Potter	Aubin K
Rosen	Inaya Z
Bond	Ava S
Cooke	Winosa W
Hutchins	Xavier T
Lowry	Amina K
Tarrant	Freddie W
Whiteread	Charlie H
Brown	Amber-Rae S
Hepworth	Noah D
Riley	Jasmeet G
Baylis	Etta C
Berners-Lee	Nieko A
Macintosh	Akaash S & Myles W
Dunlop	Aine D
Jones	Rohan H
Lovelace	Murray B
Curie	Ahmet S
Faraday	Catrin M
Newton	Jacob M
Anning	Merryn Baker
Hawking	Arthur S
Turing	Sonny G

