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## What A Week of Learning!



We had two fabulous class sharing assemblies today – well done Leeds Class and Exeter Class. We have so many talented pupils and staff at Millfields; writers, actors, singers, artists, mathematicians, scientists, musicians... the list goes on!

On that note, we were visited today by ex-pupil Anoushka Minale, who, now in year 8, returned to Millfields to talk to budding Year 4, 5 and 6 female cyclists to inspire and enthuse them to have the same passion for her sport of cycling! Anoushka wasn't really interested in cycling until she volunteered to take part in a cycling race in year 5... she had great fun that day and also did rather well, so the rest, as they say, is history. She was part of the U16 Hackney winning team at the London Youth Games. I wouldn't be at all surprised if we didn't see Anoushka competing for Team GB some time in the future. Thank you to Paul who organised for Anoushka, her parents and three of her bikes to visit Millfields and inspire a new generation.

Also today, Reception classes and Year 1 classes took part in a drama workshop about aliens landing on planet Earth! The children and staff had a great time using their imagination and working together as a team.

As we are off on half term next week, and Chinese New Year falls during half term – Friday 16th February, the classes with the highest attendance this half term are taking part in Dragon Dance workshops this afternoon. Well done to Leeds, Canterbury and Dundee classes. After school in the playground, parents, carers and siblings can watch the final Dragon Dance performance of the day. I hope you can come along and help celebrate the Year of the Dog! Kung Hei Fat Choy to all our families celebrating!

Tuesday 6th February was 'E-safety day' both nationally and at Millfields! All the children took part in an internet safety lesson, and were part of a whole school assembly on staying safe on the internet. Your child should have come home with a sticker, so please ask them all about it! Thank you to the parents and carers who came to the parent workshop – we hope it was useful and supported you to ensure that your child stays safe online.

There is also lots of information about e-safety on our school website, so please have a look!

There are lots of enrichment and fund-raising events happening next half term, so keep looking at the noticeboards, the website, the Mag and checking your texts for updates.

World Book Day is coming up, so get thinking about your character costumes. This year we are holding a 'Book in a Cake' competition as well and on Friday 2nd March, it is Bollywood night! Adults only –save the date!

Finally, I hope you have a fantastic half term, and enjoy the break with your families.

Best Wishes, Jane

### WEBSITE OF THE WEEK:

[www.thinkuknow.co.uk](http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk)

### Next PSA Meeting:

TBC

### Half Term

Mon 12th to Fri 16th Feb

### Book Week

26th Feb – 2nd March

### World Book Day

Thursday 1st March

### Bollywood Night

(adults only)

Friday 2nd March

### iDiscover Week

5th – 9th March

### Attendance

### Week beg: 29th Jan

Our school target: 96.5%

Last week: 95.3%

Winning classes:

KS1 Derby & Liverpool  
(98.6%)

KS2 Canterbury (99.3%)

**Well done!**

### Tuck Shop

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

Amount raised was an amazing £126.30

Thank you for all of your support!

### Reminder:

**Head Teachers Surgery**

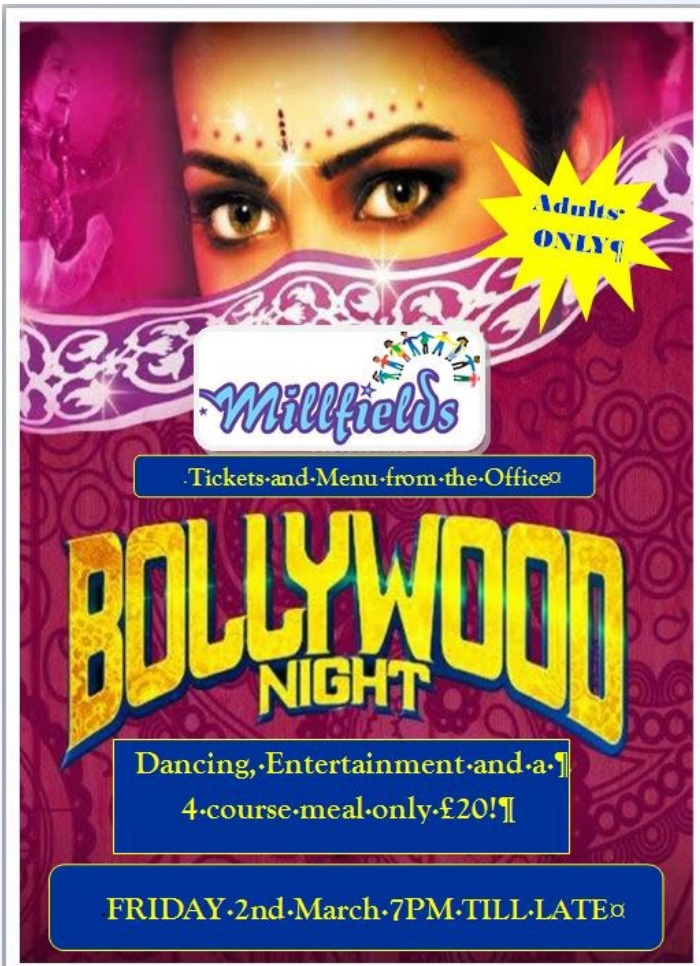
Mon 19th Feb 10 – 11am

Thurs 22nd Feb 2 – 3pm

**School Tours**

Fri 23rd Feb at 09:45am





## 'Come Dine with Us'

This term, we are offering parents with children in Reception, Year 1, Years 4, 5 and 6, the opportunity to have lunch with their child.

Lunch will start at 11.45am and you will be able to sit with your child and their friends in the Dining Hall, to take part in the daily routine, experience the atmosphere, and taste the lovely food that your children are offered every day.

Please sign up and make a payment at the main office if you would like to join us on the day.

Adult Meal with dessert =£4.20      Adult meal without dessert = £3.00

Places are limited so please book early!

### Spring Term 2018

Date	Year Group
Tues 13 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Reception
Tues 27 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Year 1

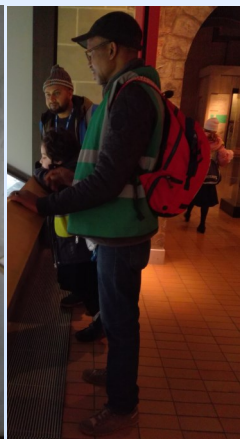
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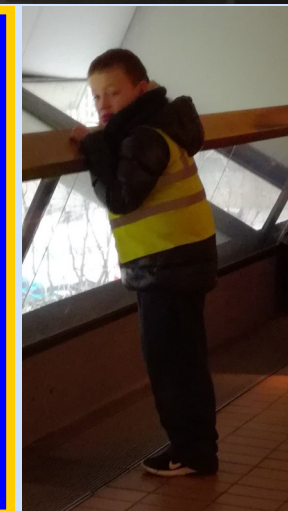
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On Wednesday 7th February, pupils from the ARP went on a visit to the Museum of London. The children looked around the Roman exhibition and spent some time sitting in a Roman hut, looking at some of the foods the Romans ate, the clothes they wore and the beds they had. After lunch the pupils spent some time looking at Victorian pleasure gardens and were able to see the London structure used at the opening ceremony of the 2012 Olympics. They then travelled through time as they looked at the expanding city exhibition and went from the suffragettes, the war, the sixties, seventies, eighties, nineties and noughties to 2018 and the London fatberg.





# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to the children and staff who celebrated their birthdays this week and will do so over the half-term break:

- 3rd February ~ Sultan A, Malaikah H & Jasmine A
- 4th February ~ Aleemah U & Mohammed M
- 5th February ~ Ashleigh H & Rayid I
- 6th February ~ Nazira M & Talha S
- 7th February ~ Keli T
- 9th February ~ Willow W
- 10th February ~ Eshaal H, Rayan A & Safwan M
- 11th February ~ Khadeeja N
- 12th February ~ Aaminah P
- 13th February ~ Joni H, Prachi P & Laura K
- 14th February ~ Jaidon K & Angela B
- 15th February ~ Jane C
- 16th February ~ Erion I & Amal & Amran M

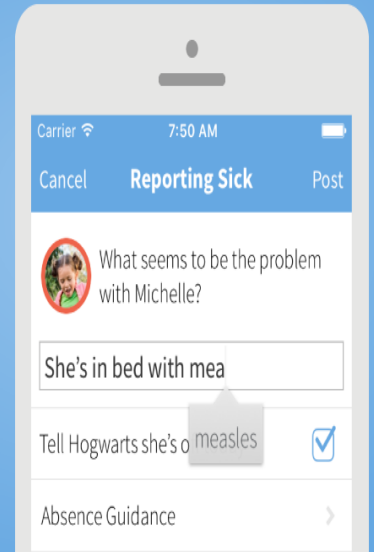
Many happy returns to you all!

We have a new, safer system for reporting your child's absence due to illness.

It's called **Studybugs**.

Please sign up on [studybugs.com](http://studybugs.com) or download the free Studybugs app so you have it ready.

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### PSA After-school Tuck Shops Spring 2018

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
<b>HALF</b>	<b>TERM</b>
Friday 23rd Feb	Leeds
Friday 2nd Mar	Sheffield
Friday 9th Mar	Oxford
Friday 16th Mar	Birmingham
Friday 23rd Mar	Portsmouth
Thursday 29th Mar	Cycle Club



### SHARING ASSEMBLIES Spring Term 2018

Date (Fridays)	EY and KS1 (Middle/Bottom Hall @ 9.10am)	LKS2 and UKS2 (Middle/Top Hall @ 9.10am)
<b>HALF TERM</b>		
23/02/2018	North London (Vicki's Class)	Swansea (Alex's Class)
02/03/2018	Liverpool (Kimberlie's Class)	Sheffield (Rosie's Class)
09/03/2018	Belfast (Kamilah's Class)	Bristol (Kingsley's Class)
16/03/2018	Derby (Rachel's Class)	Winchester (Naomi's Class)
23/03/2018	Cardiff (Joy's Class)	Y5 Residential (Y5 teachers)





# STARS OF THE WEEK

Estrellas de  
la Semana

Key Stage 1



Lower Key Stage 2



Upper Key Stage 2

