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NEXT SCHOOL HOLIDAY: **MONDAY 24TH DECEMBER 2018 - FRIDAY 4TH JANUARY 2019**

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL ON MONDAY 7TH JANUARY

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT HOLIDAYS SHOULD NOT BE BOOKED IN TERM TIME

Events happening next week

Mon 19 th Nov	-Week 2 of Anti-bullying fortnight
Tues 20 th Nov	
Wed 21 st Nov	-Workshop for parents of children in Reception Class: 'Stage 2 Phonics' 9.00am -Forest School for groups of children in Reception Classes -Y5 out to the Westway Sports Centre for the Primary Games Festival
Thurs 22 nd Nov	-Farm visiting Reception Classes -Forest School for Oak Nursery Class – am and Elm Class pm -Connor's Y3 Class Assembly: 2.55pm. All parents of children in his class are warmly invited. -Governors' curriculum and Standards Committee Meeting: 4.30pm
Fri 23 rd Nov	-Y3 Classes out to tennis event at The Westway Sports Centre -Bi-lingual Book Club for Nursery Parents: 9.00am

News and Reminders

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

There are a number of important school event dates for your diaries before the end of term. Most of them were in the Autumn Diary Dates but here is a reminder:

Weds 5th Dec: **KS2 concert** 1.45pm

Weds 5th Dec: **Y5 Production** for parents and families of children in Y5 5.00pm

Thurs 6th Dec: **KS2 Concert:** 6.30pm. Please note, this will be for adults only and will be entrance by ticket only

Fri 7th Dec: **Y2 classes** going to The Lyric Theatre

Thurs 13th Dec: **Y1 and Y2 Concert:** 2.00pm

Fri 14th Dec: **Christmas Jumper Day**

Choir from Y5 and Y6 singing at Kensington Town Hall

Tuesday 18th Dec: **Reception Concert:** 9.15am

Children's Christmas lunch

Weds 19th Dec: **Nursery Concert** 9.30am

Y1 classes going to The Lyric Theatre

Y6 classes ice skating

Thurs 20th Dec: **Nursery Concert** : 9.30am (**NB Change of date**)

Thurs 20th Dec: **Children's Christmas Parties**

Fri 21st Dec: **Last day of term**

Mon 7th January 2019: Spring term begins

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Katie's Y2 Class for their class assembly this week on their project 'From A-B'. Their parents and KS1 were treated to a polished performance which described different modes of transport, their 'trip to Australia', as well as the vehicles they had designed and created. To top it all, we had some fabulous singing. Well done to all of you and thank you very much!

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

05/11/2018 – 09/11/2018

The overall figure for the school for last week was **95.6%**, which was **below** our target of **96%**

The classes in each Key Stage with the best attendance were:

Alexa's Year 1 – 96.5%

Nick's Year 4 – 98.6%

Well done to these 2 classes

Please note that holidays in term time will be treated as **unauthorised absence**. When you are planning your holidays, therefore, always check our holiday dates on the website in order that your children do not miss any of their learning time.

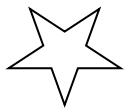
PARENTS' EVENINGS

Thank you to all our parents who attended parents evenings this week. However, if you did not make it for any reason, please ask your teacher if they can arrange another appointment.

Thank you also to our Parent Reps who organised and ran a tea and coffee stall. I know it was very much appreciated!

PICKING UP YOUR CHILD AT THE END OF THE DAY

If someone different to usual is picking up your child, please inform the school office or class teacher beforehand. Thank you.



Stars of Week

A huge well done to you all!

Nursery children	Well done to ELM CLASS for your very creative space work. Please take a few minutes to look around the room at the different activities. I love to hear about all of your learning.
Stephanie's Reception	TOMAS – For his fantastic improvement in his English and his understanding! We will miss you
Kripali's Reception	ABBAS – For having such a wonderful creativity and being so enthusiastic whilst approaching your learning!
Alexa's Year 1	HARRY – For a fantastic improvement in your attitude to learning! You have tried your best all week!
Niamh's Year 1	FATIMA – For becoming more confident in the classroom and always being ready to learn.
Katie's Year 2	REED – For being a wonderful member of our class this term. You have made lots of friends and great progress in your Reading and Maths. We will miss you, but we hope you enjoy your return to America
Laura's Year 2	ALI – For making great progress in Maths because you have been trying hard to participate in class discussions
Emma's Year 3	BUKOLA – For his great learning attitude all week! You have especially impressed the adults with your number place value Maths skills. Keep it up
Connor's Year 3	LUBA – For building her confidence in speaking English and for making progress in Maths lessons.
Nick's Year 4	THE WHOLE CLASS – For a fabulous performance in your assembly yesterday
Daisy's Year 4	FRANKIE-LEIGH – For not only making the effort to learn her own lines but also those of others so she could fill in, in their absence
Julia's Year 5	VAN – For being an excellent addition to our class! You are full of energy, always smiling and we will miss you when you go back to America!
Francesca's Year 5	ZAID – For demonstrating such a positive learning attitude. You have been engaged and incredibly focused during all you are learning this week. Well done
Tim/Mary's Year 6	CAREL – For fantastic focus in all areas of your learning this week – keep it up
Russell's Year 6	DIALA – For always striving to get the most out of every lesson. Your hard work is lovely to see and inspires others.

“IN IT TO WIN IT” ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY AWARD

THE WINNER FOR LAST WEEK

Madison – Alexa's Year 1

Mariam – Emma's Year 3