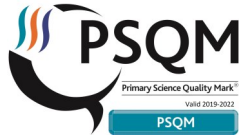




New City Primary School

Newsletter



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Christmas Shows for Family and Friends

The children are now busy rehearsing for the end of term Christmas shows for their families and friends. This is always a special show as our younger children perform the Nativity. To ensure we have enough seats and that the audience doesn't leave after a song we would ask you to buy a ticket for the show. The tickets are 50p each and will be restricted to 2 per child. Tickets can be bought from your child's class teacher from Monday December 2nd. The deadline to buy tickets is December 9th. Any left over tickets will go to those who want more than 2 tickets per child! The proceeds will help fund new costumes.

The schedule for the performances on **Thursday December 19th** are as follows:

9:00—10:15: Nursery, 6B, 5R, 4H, 3D, Reception, 1H and 2F

10:45—11:45: 6F, 5M, 4S, 3K, Reception, 1P, 2B

1:45—3:00: Nursery, 6K, 5B, 4W, 3P, Reception, 1D, 2H

We would ask that you arrive 5 minutes before the start of the show and stay for the duration. Anyone arriving after the start of the show unfortunately will not be allowed in as this disrupts the children's performance.



I am sure you will all know the songs by the time December 19th comes!!

Thanks for all your support!

Christmas Poetry Competition

Children have been writing Christmas poems for a local competition to share with older people in Plaistow. The winners selected are: Darius 6F, Manahil 4W, Hebah 4H, Beatrix 6B and Samia 6B

Here is one of the winner's poems:

Christmas Poem - Manahil, 4W

Christmas time is waited for throughout the year

Houses are filled with presents like teddy bears

Ringing bells are heard everywhere

I think its time for Christmas to be here

Stockings hang on the edge of beds

Trees are decorated in gold and red

Mince pies all delicious and hot

A baby born in a manger

Singin with joy and shouting because tomorrow it is Christmas day!

All the winning poems will be published on our website at www.newcity.boleyntrust.org

Important dates-Autumn Term 2019

25th November onwards—Y3 and Y4 go to the Panto

2nd December - Parents Evening

3rd December - Parents Evening

12th December—School closed for a Polling Day

13th December - Christmas Bazaar

13th December - Christmas Jumper Day

19th December - Christmas shows for parents

20th December - End of term

6th January—Training day for staff

7th January—first day back for the new term

14th/15th/16th -Y2 visit the Tower of London

14th January - Y3 start their Gamelan project

17th January - Guildhall Music visiting New City

23rd January Gamelan performance for parents

27th January - Y6 at IntoUniversity

30th January - Chinese New Year performance

5th February - Metropolitan Police workshops

Please note all information regarding dates, policies and the curriculum can be found on our website at www.newcity.boleyntrust.org

Christmas Bazaar—December 13th 3:30—6:00

If you have any donations for any stalls, unwanted gifts etc, please can you pass your donations to Wendy and Nicky. Thank you for your support.



★ Star of the Week



RK-Aaila RM-Irhaa RD-Keyla 1P-Giovanna 1D- Tayyibah
 1H- Amanah 2F- Adam 2B-Rutba 2H-Syeda 3K- Kayden 3D- George
 3P-Rafael 4W-Daniel 4S-David 4H-Anyaa 5B-Ihsan 5M-Alisha
 5R-Anum 6K- Omar 6B-Laura 6F-Aryana



Attendance, Punctuality and Collecting Children for Appointments

At assembly today we celebrated the children who have been to school every day since November 4th 2019! Their names were placed in a random generator and the 5 names selected were: Adonis 2F, Joey 4H, Sian 4W, Shayne 2F and Dalu 2B.



It is important that children arrive to school on time and that they are ready to line up at 8:45 and attend school every day. If your child has an appointment then we **MUST** see evidence from the health specialist regarding the appointment and would ask where possible appointments are made outside school hours. Thank you for all your support with this matter

Online Advice for Parents



What is TikTok?

TikTok is a video-sharing app. Users can upload and share short videos of themselves lip-syncing to songs or acting out comedy sketches, and add special effects. They can gain followers ('fans') and browse other people's videos. The age recommendation is **13 and above**.

What should I look out for?

- User profiles which talk about 'trading' or swapping pictures/videos
- Hashtags, such as #tradefortrade, which clearly suggest the user is looking to trade illicit content
- The lyrical content of some songs - parents have raised concerns that it's not always age-appropriate

What safety options are available for parents?

- Set the account to private
- Continue to monitor your child's exposure to online content, both on TikTok and other platforms

If you have any concerns about your child's use of TikTok or any other online applications, please speak to your child's class teacher or a member of the Early Help team

Sports at New City

On Friday 22nd November 4 SEND children represented the school in a Newham Sports New Age Kurling event at Southern Road Primary School. The 4 pupils played four games winning 1 drawing 2 and losing one. They all enjoyed the event finishing 5 out of 12 teams. Congratulations to Team New City.



Week1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Choice	Macaroni Cheese	Lasagne	Herbed Roast Chicken thigh, stuffing, Roast Potatoes, Gravy	Cottage Pie with Gravy	Fishfingers/Salmon Fishfingers with Chips
Vegetarian Choice	Vegetable Tagine with Couscous	Vegetarian Soya Spaghetti Bolognese	Tomato Arrabiata	Lentil and Sweet Potato Curry	Red Pepper and Cheese Frittata
Sides	Sweetcorn Coleslaw	Green Beans Carrots	Cauliflower Broccoli	Roasted Mixed Vegetables	Baked Beans Peas
Dessert	Orange Drizzle Cake	Fruit Jelly	Peaches and Custard	Apple Crumble and Custard	Fruit and Yoghurt

Jacket Potatoes, Salad Selection, Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt are available every day. Baguettes/Sandwiches are also available