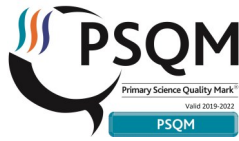




New City Primary School

Newsletter



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Message from the Head Teacher

Dear parents and carers

It has been a busy but exciting half term. Children have settled very quickly into their new classes and have shown progress in all their learning. You will be receiving a new style half termly report which will show how well your child has been progressing and what their targets are for the next half term. The new report card has been designed in consultation with our governors, staff and parents.

We have successfully appointed a new parent governor. Her name is Michelle Ali. Michelle has 4 children with 3 children at New City Primary School. Details of our governors can be found on our website at www.newcity.boleyntrust.org

Reading has continued to be a key priority across the school. Nicky and her team have worked hard to ensure that our new library is used throughout the day. We have bought more texts to use in class and children should be changing their reading book regularly. We would like to provide further training for staff to ensure that everyone is teaching the skills of reading consistently across the school, therefore we will be closed for staff training on **January 6th**. A letter will be going out to all parents to confirm this date.

We now have 27 clubs on offer to children across the school, which is amazing! If your child does have a place in a club but doesn't want to attend any more please can you let Nicky or the club leader know so the place can be offered to someone else.

The uniform this term has been amazing! Thank you for ensuring that your child comes to school in the correct uniform of black shoes, black trousers/skirt and red/white top with the New City logo. More parents are asking for blazers. These can be bought at 409 Barking Rd, East Ham, E6 2JT **EMAIL:**

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Finally our dining room! Can I thank you for all your support during this build especially to those parents who have children in Early Years/Key Stage 1 as well as Key Stage 2. There have been a couple of delays with the build but we are hoping the dining room will be ready by November 27th. The steel structure has now gone up so the build should now begin to take place. Once again thank you for your patience.

Have a restful two weeks over half term and we look forward to seeing you all at 8:45 in the playground on November 4th

Best wishes

Mrs Stone



Important dates-Autumn Term 2019

October 18th—End of half term

4th November - First Day of new half term

11th November - Bikeability for Y3 and 4

November 15th—Children in Need Day

19th November - Anti bullying Roadshow

2nd December - Parents Evening

3rd December - Parents Evening

13th December - Christmas Bazaar

13th December - Christmas Jumper Day

16th 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

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

We will be starting to organise our Christmas Bazaar as soon as we get back. 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.



New Scientist Live Roadshow

A select group of Scientists from years 5 and 6 were chosen to attend the New Scientist Roadshow at the Excel Exhibition Centre on Thursday October 10th. The children and adults had a superb time experiencing a range of Science and Engineering exhibits. They got to hold cockroaches, set off test rockets and experience technologies of the future; including a selfie robot and jet aircraft. All who attended have been inspired to develop and continue their Science learning. A fantastic day was had by all.



Star of the Week



1P—Zaid 1D—Naheem 1H- Ahan 2F—Codrin 2B—Sheikh
2H- Raheem 3K—Ilyas 3D—Safaa 3P—Atik 4W- Haris 4S—Simrah
4H—Jasmin 5B- Caleb 5M- Isra 5R—Yusuf 6K—Omar
6B—Emmanuel 6F—Abdur



Attendance and Punctuality

Thank you for your continued support to ensure that your child arrives on time and attends school every day. In assembly today we recognised the children who have been to school every day since September 26th. 5 children were selected from our random generator to have a treat: Jannatul 3P, Daniel 1P, Nurayah 5M, Mutjaba 2B, and Darius 3P. Well done to all those children who have 100% attendance since September 3rd!

Black History Month at New City

This month New City are celebrating Black History Month. Years 1-6 completed workshops looking into key historical figures such as Martin Luther King and Rosa Parks as well as looking at racism in society today. The students produced some fantastic work including; collages, posters, poems, plays and presentations. Well Done New City!



Week 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Choice	Tomato Arrabiata	Sausages and Mashed Potato	Roast Chicken Drumstick with Roast Potatoes	Chicken Jollof	Fish in Batter with Chips
Vegetarian Choice	Vegetable Enchiladas	Vegetarian Lasagne	Vegetable Wholemeal Pasta Bake	Shepherdess Pie With Gravy	Cheese and Onion Quiche with Chips
Sides	Peas Carrots	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Fresh Mixed Seasonal Vegetables	Tomato and Onion Salad Green Beans	Baked Beans Peas
Dessert	Banana Loaf with Custard	Cinnamon Cookie	Fruit Jelly and Ice Cream	Chocolate and Mandarin Sponge With Sauce	Fruit and Yoghurt

Jacket Potatoes, Salad Selection, Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt are available every day.