



# New City Primary School

## Newsletter



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### World Book Day

On Friday March 8th the children and staff celebrated World Book Day. The children made a real effort to dress up as their favourite characters and looked absolutely fantastic in their costumes! Everyone enjoyed taking part in activities around their favourite authors; the children participated in workshops and wrote excellent reviews for their favourite books. All children have received a voucher to spend on a free book so what better chance to get a new favourite? Thank you everyone for making World Book Day at New City a success! The children below won the best dressed costume and Mr Kershaw won the best costume as he dressed as Paddington Bear!



### Reception Visit the Toy Museum

This week the Reception classes have been on a trip to the V&A Museum of Childhood in Bethnal Green. The children participated in a history workshop looking at toys from the past. The workshop was led by a knowledgeable member of staff from the museum. The children also took part in the museum's first major exhibition to focus on fictional pirates and their influence in popular culture and imagination. Children enjoyed exploring the museum and participated in lots learning activities.



### Important dates-Spring Term 2019

18<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> March -

Assessment Week

19<sup>th</sup> March - Parents Evening

21<sup>st</sup> March - Parents Evening

20<sup>th</sup> March - 5Bu and 5R -  
IntoUniversity

21<sup>st</sup> March - 5B -

IntoUniversity

April 1<sup>st</sup>—Year 3 visit the  
Science Museum

April 1<sup>st</sup>—Year 4 visit Kew  
Gardens

4<sup>th</sup> April - School

Photographer in

5<sup>th</sup> April - Child of the Term

8<sup>th</sup> April - End of term shows  
for parents

9<sup>th</sup> April—Last day of term

Please note all information  
regarding dates, policies and  
the curriculum can be found  
on our website at  
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## Science Week at New City

This week all children in school have been taking part in Science Week. This involved some very messy learning and a fantastic Science show from our visitor Dr Ken, where they learnt all about the Science behind magic tricks. Every child in the school had the opportunity to explore and investigate. They used a range of resources to think scientifically, ask scientific questions and expand their scientific knowledge. Everything the children used and explored this week were things that they could continue to explore at home. Encourage your child to talk about what they have learnt this week and continue to investigate at home. If you have explored any science at home with your child, send in pictures and they may feature in our newsletter next week.



## Star of the Week



RK—Mia RS—Abbas RSH- Mikail IO— Kian

1S- Kian 1SH- Hafsa 2F- Atik 2D- Percy

2P- Majid 3S- Diana 3H- Jessie 3Ha- Charlie

4W- Mass 4S- Maria 4P- Turab 5B- Saara

5BU- Edie 5R—Laura 6F- Kalisha 6K—Samit 6A—Amariee



## Tom Canning OBE Visited New City

On Friday March 8th Tom Canning came to visit New City. Tom is the CEO of the Boleyn Trust. He was very impressed by how polite and well behaved the children were during the visit and the standard of their work in their books.



## Debate Mate

This week, the New City debating club competed in the second round of the Urban Debate League. The team had a week to prepare for the first debate which discussed the dangers and benefits of the Internet. Despite some fierce competition, New City were able to put forward a number of cohesive and convincing arguments which impressed the judges and audience alike. Each pupil was able to speak in a confident and articulate manner and showed just how much progress they have made since starting debating in November! Well done team New City! We wish the team the best of luck as they prepare for future rounds of the competition.

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Choice	Burger in a Bun with Spicy Wedges	Lamb and Vegetable Tikka Masala with Basmati Rice	Roast Turkey and Stuffing, Gravy and Roast Potatoes	Chicken and Sweetcorn Pasta Bake	Fish Fingers and Chips
Vegetarian Choice	Chick Pea and Potato Curry with Peshwari Bread	Vegetarian Lasagne	Cheese and Onion slice with Roast Potatoes	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Quorn and Chilli Dog with Chips
Vegetables	Mini Corn on the Cob Mixed Vegetables	Fresh Cauliflower Garden Peas	Organic Carrots Cabbage	Sweetcorn Fresh Broccoli	Garden Peas Baked Beans
Dessert	Apple and Raisin Crumble with Custard	Apricot Flapjack	Rice Pudding with Peaches	Orange and Lemon Cheesecake	Fruit, Jelly and Ice Cream