





Friday 11th March 2022 "Jesus said, "I have come so that you can live life in all its' fullness" John 10:10

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Dear Families,

This week we had a visit from our school improvement partner who worked with us to look at standards across the school and validate our judgments. Teachers are due to moderate next week with other schools which is an addition to securing judgements for the children's outcomes.

She was treated to the hymn 'Lord Jesus Christ' during our kindness assembly and was overwhelmed by how beautifully our children sing.

We have already started the spring term assessments and we look forward to seeing the progress the children have made.



## Science Week Monday 14th March—Friday 18th March

Next week we will be celebrating 'British Science Week'; the children will be having lots of learning opportunities and experiences in science. All classes will undertake scientific investigations, complete science outside and learn about some famous scientists such as: Barbara Block, Jess French and Pierre Fauchard. This year's poster competition, is for every child to design and draw an invention. They could think about a 'problem' or 'obstacle' in everyday life and invent something that will solve (or make it easier) that problem/obstacle. Your child's class teacher will give out copies of the poster competition today, the deadline for the posters is Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March. Mr Ali.

# Executive Function—focus on Organisation



.<u>Organisation</u> means coming up with and following strategies to keep track of information, materials and tasks.

#### Learners can....

have trouble keeping their desk/work space tidy.

Lose/misplace things often.

<u>We can:</u> show children how to organise their resources/belongings, etc. Review organisation weekly to see how they are getting on and give strategies. Clearly mark places for the child to keep their belongings. Establish a daily routine.

<u>Students can:</u> find five things to put away, sort, or tidy up. Colour code learning or activities. Use technology to help with learning. Use a planner or calendar (digital or otherwise) to schedule upcoming events and tasks. Use squared paper for maths to keep numbers and columns lined up. Clean out trays and school bag once a week.

# Celebrating loving hearts and shining lights

"Let your light so shine before others, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven"



# Ephesians 4:32

Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

Loving with a full heart



<u> </u>	Happy Birthday to you!	
5th	Alfie T	
5th	Poppi W	
6th	Lois Rachel	
8th	Georgie	
11th	Ethan H	
13th	Noah	
18th	Johnny	
24th	Jaciara	
27th	Oscar	

# RED NOSE DAY IS BACK ON FRIDAY 18 MARCH 2022



Red Nose Day is coming. And whatever you do, no matter how small, you can help people live free from poverty, violence and discrimination. This includes funding organisations that are supporting people right now in Ukraine, and those attempting to cross the border. Because you have the power to change lives.

We are asking all children to wear **non-uniform and their red noses on Friday 18th March**. **If** you would like to donate to this charity, buckets will be at all gates.

Thank you for your support once again!



# **Ukraine Donation Appeal**

A big 'Thank you' to all the families that donated clothes, bedding, toiletries, medical and food items. St Matthias - Poplar Neighbourhood Church, collected this.

We raised amazing £282.71 !! This will be given to British Red Cross on behalf of our school.





If you like to continue to donate please could visit:

https://donate.redcross.org.uk/appeal/general-fund-appeal

Thank you for all your support!

# News and information to support families

# LET'S TALK ABOUT MENTAL WELLBEING

SIGNPOSTING AND **INFORMATION SERVICE** 

Would you like to speak to someone in confidence and access support to help with your issues?

Are your worries & stresses impacting on your daily life?

You can speak to us in confidence on the following days:

EVERY WEDNESDAY, 9.30-11.30AM Venue: Harford Health Centre 115 HARFORD STREET, LONDON E1 4FG

You can turn up on the day at the venue, request an appointment by calling 07871 927 324 or email support@bangladeshimentalhealth.org.

EVERY THURSDAY 10-12PM TELEPHONE: 07871 927 324

Calls outside the advertised hours will not be answered, but you can leave a voice or text message and we will get back to you.

We would like to reassure you that our service confidential and no information will be shared with your family or relatives.









This service is only for signposting and information, staff and volunteers cannot provide professional and ongoing mental health support. However, we will do our best to help you by speaking to you about your issues and referring you to the relevant support service.







The interactive NHS Food Scanner app can be used in the classroom to inspire pupils to make healthier choices

Please share the newsletter in the link <a href="here">here</a> with your school networks

Teachers will be able to find cross-curricular healthier eating resources on the School Zone and encourage children to explore what a balanced diet is and help them to make simple, healthier swaps

## Parenting support:

There are many books but no ultimate handbook on what to do when parenting, we each have our individual ways, influenced by our histories. Children are always surprising and this makes our jobs in school interesting but at home can test the best of us.

The parenting courses below are amazing taster sessions of courses that have for years proved beneficial to supporting children especially at an age of such immense pressure. Please do book to find out more using the links below, they are run for free by the local authority . If you would like to know more do contact Mrs Sablon on our school number of 02079874889



# New for Spring 2022!

**Families MATTER** 



# and Workshops

Attend a workshop listed below to gain an introduction to some of the popular courses delivered by the parent and family support service or perhaps you need some take away tips and strategies to manage some of the everyday parenting challenges

Topics	Date	Time	Location
Parenting for Single Parents     During this session we will be exploring the unique challenges of single parenthood and sharing top tips for coping effectively with trials that may arise.	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	10am-12pm	Zoom
Emotional First Aid Taster workshop For parents who would like to know more about the importance of their emotional well-being as parent and get details of our 6-week programme.	Friday 1st April	10am-12pm	Zoom
Triple P Family Transitions Taster Workshop - (Positive Parenting Programme)  For parents separated from their partners who would benefit from support to work through this change whilst maintaining a positive environment for the children.	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	10am-12pm	Zoom
Parent Support Network     First of a new support network for all parents that have attended a parenting programme and would like to become part of a supportive community.	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> March	10am-12pm	Zoom
Triple P Discussion Groups - (Positive Parenting Programme) Attend either or both sessions to receive effective strategies to positively manage challenging behaviour.  Encouraging Positive Behaviour 2yrs -11yrs  Dealing with Teenager's Emotions	Monday 21st March Thursday 31st March	10am-12.30pm 10am-12.30pm	Zoom

To book your place on a workshop please click on this Eventbrite link.

If you have any queries please get in touch by emailing parenting@towerhamlets.gov.uk or call 0207 364 6398





# **Holiday Childcare Easter Scheme 2022**

### Information for professionals

The Tower Hamlets Holiday Childcare Scheme is now open for bookings for the Easter 2022 Scheme for residents in the borough and vulnerable referrals. For more details please click on the link government guidance.

#### **Scheme dates**

Monday 4th – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Easter 2022 (9 days)
Our scheme dates are based on the Tower Hamlets school holidays.
Booking closing date: 29<sup>th</sup> March 2022 by 12pm or earlier once bookings are full

#### Venu

St Mary & St Michael Primary School, Sutton Street, E1 0BD

Please support and share this information with families you feel may benefit from our scheme. To refer a child please complete our <u>referral form</u> and support the family to book following the steps on our <u>booking system</u>. Referral forms can be sent by email to <u>holiday.childcare@towerhamlets.gov.uk</u> at any point. We can also assist with any queries.

More information can be found on our website www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/hcs.

We will look forward to receiving your bookings.

Holiday Childcare Team Parent & Family Support Service Children and Culture Directorate London Borough of Tower Hamlets



# KEEP THE KIDS ENTERTAINED THIS EASTER HOLIDAY

Our holiday club runs Monday - Thursday during each school holiday between the hours of 9am - 5pm (including bank holidays). The Holiday Club is strictly for members' children aged 5 - 16 years old. Each day, children will participate in a number of different activities, ranging from sports to arts and crafts.

- Standard day: 9am 5pm @ £18.60 (members only)
- 4 day week: 9am 5pm (Monday Thursday) @ £74.40 (members only)

Let the kids enjoy a range of activities, including:

- Trampolining
- Football
- Swimming
- TennisArts & crafts
- Gymnastics
- Bouncy Castle
- Athletics
- Basketball
- Plus much more

For more information, speak to a member of staff or to book visit better.org.uk/mile-end

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### Free Advice Sessions

Teachers from the Language, Literacy and Communication Team are running 2 sessions on Zoom

The sessions are FREE.

The link is the same for both sessions:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84465868166?pwd=RzZtcEpxdkpJd1ZDSmNlcWU5V0hBUT09

Meeting ID: 844 6586 8166 Passcode: n4XcNK

You can come to both of them, or just one. Just click on the link above.

	Date	Time	What is it about?
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Session 1	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	10 am to 11.30 am	Language Development: How to support your child
Session 2	Thursday 31st March 2022	10 am to 11.30 am	How to help your child with reading

Any questions contact: <a href="mailto:janet.pritchard@towerhamlets.gov.uk">janet.pritchard@towerhamlets.gov.uk</a> or call 0207 364 6440







Information for parents

# Volunteering in Your Child's School course

An accredited course delivered by the Parental Engagement Team



# Volunteering in Your Child's School course

Are you a parent who is interested in volunteering in school?

Join the ten-week, Open College Network accredited course to prepare for your role as a volunteer and improve your career prospects.

Learn all about:

- the curriculum and how children learn
- · the latest teaching methods
- how to support children's learning
- · how to keep children safe

Information and assessment session

Monday 21 March and Friday 25 March 9.45-11.45am

### Course dates:

Fridays 29 April-15 July 10.00am-12.30pm

#### Contact

For more information and an application form email parentalengagement@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Deadline for completed applications: Monday 14 March







