





NEWSLETTER Friday 27th September 2024

Dear Families,

This week saw a report on the impact of the pandemic on schools children written by Sir Tim Oates from Cambridge Assessment. The report discusses how the 'back to normal' is not true for everyone, all of the time, at different ages and how the impact is seen in children's social-emotional and cognitive development. The differences we experience reflect this at times for some children more than others. We raised our pastoral support with additional services and workshops for families and continue to do so. We hope that an occupational therapist will be able to work with us soon to support diagnoses and intervention for children facing physical developmental challenges from fine and gross motor challenges in pencil grip to hypermobility. Please do identify any concerns you may have and what you the parent teacher conferences. We can only do this together.

Have a lovely weekend!

Smith

& Mrs & Mr Hall



DIARY DATES

Coming up next wee:

Monday 30th Sept: ELSA study coffee morning

Parents meeting after school

Tuesday 1st Oct: Year 6 secondary transfer workshop 9am

Wednesday 2nd Oct: Parents evening Thursday 3rd Oct: Parents evening

Friday 4th Oct: Macmillan Coffee morning 3pm

In the future.....

School Book Fair: Monday 7th – 9th October, browse or buy books

Cross country: Tuesday 8th October BEE project for year 6: 21st October

Flu vaccines available for children: 17th October

Half Term: Monday 28th October – Friday 1st November







Jesus said "I have come so that you can live life in all its' fullness" John 10:10



STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Elizabeth
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Dillion Adira Year One

Ebenezer Year Two Benjamin

Temitope Year Three Alena

Year Four **Amelia** Zoe

Tommy Year Five Aadvik

Jaciara **Tanjim Year Six**



Our stars





WORSHIP FOCUS

Mark 8:27-38: Peter is praised by Jesus for recognising who Jesus is, the Messiah, But, within the next few sentences Peter then speaks in error when he tries to dissuade Jesus from ing to Jerusalem to fil God's purpose.

Who could you encourage with some kind words thi week?





Alexander

Musab Lyra

Amelia

Vienna-Rose

Jay

Olivia

O'Shea

Mekhi

Amayra







You are invited to our Coffee morning held on Monday 30th Sept at 9am to speak to the nurses about the ELSA study



Please come to the school office. We hope to see you there!







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In loving memory of Mrs John



We are hosting a Macmillan Coffee Afternoon to raise money for Barnardo's in memory of Eve.

Please join us on

Friday 4th October

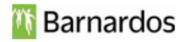
in the school hall from 3pm.

We asking if you could kindly donate cakes, biscuits to support this event!

Refreshments will be available.

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WE ARE MACMILLAN.

















Year 6 Secondary Transition information Workshop

If you would like support or advice regarding the secondary transfer process please join us in the hall on **Tuesday 1**st

October at 9am.

Hosting the session will be Bernadette, the Senior Transition Support Officer from Tower Hamlets. She will be there to support and answer your questions.

Please peruse the Tower Hamlets website for information here The website also has the Starting Secondary School booklet found here which has a wealth of information about the process, timings, open days and the schools. The booklet is digitally shared rather then a printed copy.

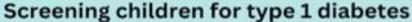
We support with ways to make the transition process more successful with communication between schools, your child and yourself. At this point we support your child with their CATs tests for banding and provide information for you to see the schools and the workshop for any questions and further support. We will then support once you know the school with communication between the relevant members of staff to share information. There is further support for children who have additional needs between SENDCos that may include safe travel. We take it one step at a time and hope to see you on Tuesday.













Would you like to get your child screened for type 1 diabetes in the ELSA diabetes research study?

We are screening children, aged 3-13 years, at a clinic near you:

Date: Monday 11th November

Time: 9am

Location: School

Register here: www.elsadiabetes.nhs.uk

Contact us: Leanne Reardon Senior Research Nurse

Scan for info









Healthy Eating

For breaktimes snacks for Years 3, 4 5 & 6
Healthy snacks should consist of fruit, rice cakes,
breadsticks. Crisps, chocolate, biscuits, and popcorn ARE
NOT classed as a healthy snack. We are what we eat, healthy
alternatives will be on offer daily.







What should be in a healthy lunchbox?

Eating a healthy, balanced lunch is vital for ensuring children have the right nutrients and enough energy to see them through the school day, however, achieving this balance is not always as easy as it sounds. The key to a healthy packed lunch is variety and getting the right balance of foods to provide children with all of the nutrients they need to stay healthy. A packed lunch made at home can be a healthy and delicious choice and gives a parent or carer control over the foods and ingredients included.

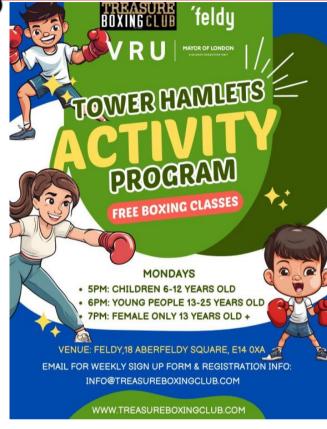












Families Matter

Parent and Family Support Service



Strengthening Families, Strengthening Communities parenting programme for Somali parents

Learn to develop strong, healthy relationships with your children and gain simple, practical strategies to manage children's behaviour in a positive way.

Venue	Malmesbury Primary School, Cobom Street, London E ₃ 2AB.
Date:	Mondays 9", 16", 23", 30" September 7" & 14" October 2024
Time:	Time: 10am-12pm
How to refer:	Please contact e20 7364 6398 or email to parenting atowerhamlets gov uk to book your place
Ouring the course you will:	The process of discipline for positive parenting Enhancing parent-child relationships

Managing conflict situations It is advised that parents attend all sessions to get the most benefit

The benefits of praise



Parental Engagement Yearn (PET)

Working with Families Seminar

Wednesday 2nd October 2024 1.30pm - 3.45pm

The Grocers' Wing, Tower Hamlets Town Hall, 160 Whitechapel Road, London E1 18J

will be an opportunity for participants to meet colleagues and partners from the different sectors. That support families. You will also hear about local and national resources to support your work.

The programme will include

- Information on the opcoming National Wisaparound Childcare Programme what this means for schools and families.
- Introductions to services that can support your work with families.
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- Sunities and services (including parenting programs courses and workshops delivered by the Perental Engagement Team and other pertners) to support your work with families.

name, role, school/organisation and contact details to the Porental Engagement Team: parentalengagement Proveshant

All phases need to be booked and will be confirmed by enail













ANGELS, KNIGHTS & DRAGONS PARTY

Sunday, 29 September 4-5.30pm All Saints' Church, Newby Place, E14 0PT

Mark the Feast of Saint Michael and All Angels with a children's party

Treasure hunt Biscuit making Crafts

... ending with a short service of Evensong at 5pm

Optional: Come dressed as an angel, knight or dragon!

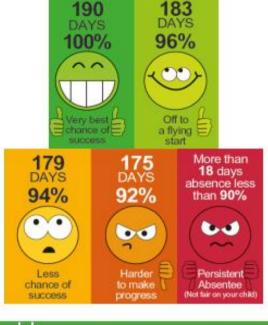








There are 190 days
in a school year which leaves
175 days to spend on
family time, shopping,
appointments and other things.



95%	47 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 8 days in total or 1 week and 3 days
90%	95 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 16 days in total or 3 weeks and 1 day
85%	142 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 24 days in total or 4 weeks and 4 days
80%	190 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 32 days in total or 6 weeks and 2 days

Congratulations to our top 3 classes!

1st: Year 3 with 99% 2nd: Reception with 98% 3rd: Year 5 with 95%

Polite reminder:
Children need to be in school every day and on time.
Gates are open for 10 minutes every day from 8:45 - 8:55. Early morning learning at this time sets the children up for the day. Some have targeted interventions at this time.



A review of absence procedures by the Department of Education is called for following the death of a 4 year old in Hackney. We all have to be more vigilant and ensure daily calls are made if your child is absent so that we know your child and you are safe.