





**NEWSLETTER** Friday 15th November 2024

Dear families,

What a wonderful week where we welcomed Mr Macka.B to help us celebrate and respect our differences and selves. Whether singing or dancing it has been a joy to deepen our understanding of how beautiful our children and communities are. All you need to do is to listen to Children Children or Cucumba and let your own children join in to the see the joy and learning this brings.

Whether Odd Socks Day, Anti-bullying Week, class trips, musical extravaganzas or sport events for our SEND pupils, the week celebrated the best of St Saviour's.

We wish you a wonderful weekend, keep sharing marvellous meals, music and learning,

Best wishes,



Mrs Smith & Mr Hall



### **TERM DATES**



17th - 25th November next week - National Road Safety W

18th November - Year 1 trip to Soanes Centre

19th November - Football Years 3 & 4 at Mile End Stadium

**20th November -** 20th Anniversary of SEND Sport at Mari Richardson

**21st November** - Year 3 trip to Great Fire of London Choir at Chrisp Street at 4pm

**28th November** - Flu Vaccination Reception - Y6

29th November - School Birthday Celebration







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



### STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Phynix	George
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Year One Taskim Jeanelle

Year Two Danyal Rohan

Year Three Alanna David

Year Four Ricky Amara

Year Five Aadvik Alexander

Year Six Rayna Isambard



Our stars

Anti-bullying workshops - kindness for all

Kindness leaves



### WORSHIP FOCUS

Mark 10:35-45 James and John make a ridiculous request which shows they have not understood w Jesus has been teaching them abor servant leadership.



How could you put someone before yourself this week?





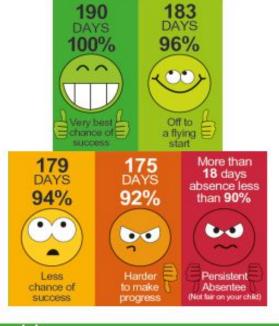
Rose Deana Isabelle Annie-Bella Parker Tilly-Mae Alanna Louis Arthur Rayna Grace Abigail Alexander Riley Zayan Ellie Natalie Aron







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!

1<sup>st</sup>: Year 3 98.89% 2<sup>nd</sup>: Year 6 97.62% 3<sup>rd</sup>: Year 5 with 95.40%

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.

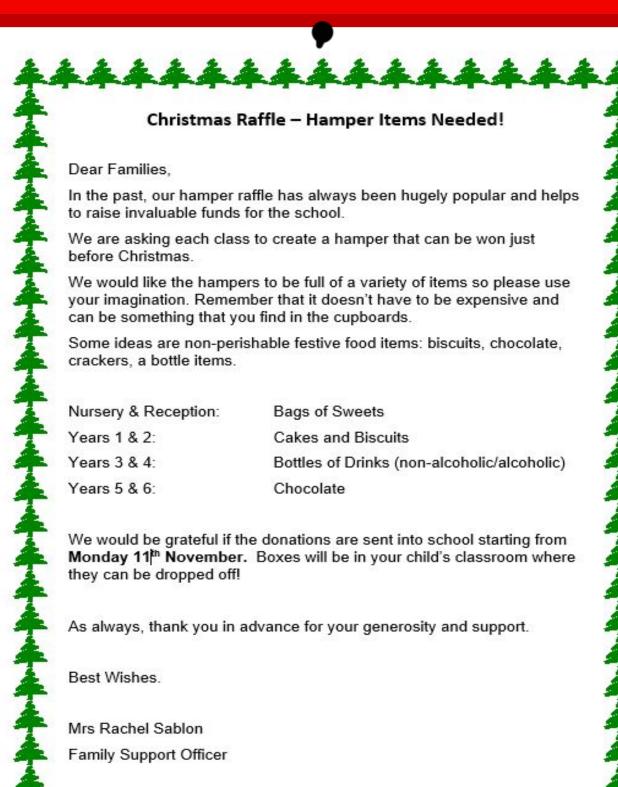


We are aware that some people may find that our pursuit of attendance for all children challenging. The Department of Education has updated its advice for schools and local authorities because of a desire to ensure all children return to school fully.

















# To mark anti-bullying week we had a workshop from Chain Reaction Theatre Company, along with Poplar Parliament and Odd Socks Day!

















### **Year 4 trip Barbican Centre**

Year 4 had an amazing time at the Barbican Centre watching the London Symphony Orchestra perform Holst's 'The Planets.' They really enjoyed the whole experience and are keen to attend even more concerts.











### **Poplar Parliament Anti-Bullying Event 2024**

At Spotlight we learnt about the definition of bullying, which is intentional harm that happens repeatedly over a short period of time and often used to get power over someone else, leaving someone defenseless. It can be:

- Cyber-bullying (a form of bullying that happens online)
- Verbal-bullying (a form of bullying that happens with someone saying something mean to someone else and name calling)
- Physical-bullying (someone shoving, tripping, punching or hitting someone else)
- Indirect-bullying (people bullying someone else without realising)

At Spotlight we also learnt kindness and empathy which is the definition of being friendly, generous and considerate. **Empathy is shown by**:

- Understanding others
- By sharing the feelings of others
- Listening to others carefully

### Kindness is shown by:

- Complimenting someone on the work they have done.
- Helping a classmate with something.
- Making sure you show respect to your teachers and all your classmates.
- Listening attentively to your teacher, classmate or friends.
- Being thankful for your parents, teachers, and others.

We completed a competition and we had to make a poster and work as a team in 45 intense minutes. We then had to share it with the other schools! But at the same time it was really fun and we enjoyed it a lot even though we had to leave early!! By Year 5 and 6 anti-bullying ambassadors











Macka B, a renowned reggae artist, gained popularity for his "Medical Mondays" series, highlighting the health benefits of various fruits and vegetables through engaging songs. This aligns with Mr Macka. 's faith and practice as a Rastafarian and a vegan ambassador. Below is a fact file summarising the key points from songs on broccoli, cucumber, and mango, along with additional information on other fruits. We had so much fun singing and dancing to Children Children, Cucumba, 45 and having fun! We also learnt a lot about what we eat - for more information listen to the marvellous Mr Macka.B on youtube <a href="here">here</a>.

### **Broccoli**

Broccoli is a cruciferous vegetable rich in vitamins and minerals. It contains high levels of vitamin C, vitamin K, and folate, which support immune function, bone health, and cell growth, respectively. Broccoli also provides fiber, aiding digestion and promoting a healthy gut. Its antioxidants, such as sulforaphane, have been studied for their potential anti-inflammatory and cancer-preventive properties.

### Cucumber

Cucumbers are composed of about 95% water, making them excellent for hydration. They are low in calories and contain vitamins and minerals like vitamin K, potassium, and magnesium. Cucumbers also provide silica, which supports skin health, and their high water content aids in detoxification and digestion. Placing cucumber slices on the eyes can help reduce puffiness and revitalize the skin.

### Mango

Mangoes are tropical fruits rich in vitamins A and C, which are essential for vision, immune function, and skin health. They also provide dietary fiber, aiding digestion, and contain antioxidants like beta-carotene, which may help protect against certain diseases. Mangoes have enzymes such as amylases that assist in breaking down carbohydrates, promoting better digestion.









### **Additional Fruits**

**Apples**: High in

dietary fiber and vitamin C, apples support digestive health and boost the immune system. They also contain antioxidants like quercetin, which may haven anti-inflammatory effects.

**Bananas**: Rich in potassium, bananas help regulate blood pressure and support heart health. They also provide vitamin B6 and fiber, aiding metabolism and digestion.

**Berries (e.g., blueberries, strawberries)**: Packed with antioxidants, vitamins, and fiber, berries support brain health, reduce inflammation, and promote heart health.

Oranges: Known

for their high vitamin C content, oranges boost the immune system and support skin health. They also provide fiber and antioxidants, promoting overall well-being.

We did also have fun listening to Three Little Birds, knowing that **every little thing will be just fine.** 



















### Children In Need



















Thank you to everyone who took part in Children in need and wore their PJs.

We raised an incredible £166.70 and as always, your support is appreciated!











Train to support or lead new group walks in Tower Hamlets



learn about
Route planning
Walk ideas
Group safety
Risk assessments
Recruitment and membership



#### Wednesday 27th November

Walk Champions 09:30 - 12:30 Walk Leaders 09:30 - 16:30 Lunch provided

Bromley by Bow Centre, St Leonard's Street, E3 3BT

Contact: polly.jarman@bbbc.org.uk / 07760 843 545

#### Sign up here:





















### Disability Services Advocacy Team

DWP Disability Services support for SEND Schools, Colleges and Support Organisations

(Please note: these sessions are for organisations outside the DWP only)

The Disability Services Advocacy Team are here to support with raising awareness of the different Disability Services benefits and grants. These are Personal Independence Payment (PIP), Disability Living Allowance (DLA) and Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit (IIDB) and Access to Work (ATW).

The Disability Services Advocacy Team are providing upskilling sessions focusing on Special Educational Needs Schools, Colleges and organisations who are supporting students with Disability Services benefits and grants. We will be covering Disability Living Allowance for Children (DLA Child) and Personal Independence Payment (PIP) including the transition from DLA Child to PIP when the Child reaches the age of 16. The session will also include how Access to Work can

### December 2024

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Tuesday 17th December 2024 - 10am till 12pm - Ticketsource

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### January 2025

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Tuesday 14th January 2025 - 10am till 12pm - Ticketsource

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Thursday 16th January 2025 - 10am till 12pm - Ticketsource

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A review of absence procedures by the Department of Education is called for following the death of a 4 year old child 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.

We have looked at our procedures for attendance and how we monitor and support families.

To ensure we support families before attendance becomes a concern, we will be monitoring and sending letters at different stages:

If attendance falls between 96% - 90% you will receive a letter offering support. If it continues to fall and falls below 90%, which is considered to be persistent absence, then another letter will be sent and school, with support from the LA, will monitor.

If there is no improvement to attendance then a meeting will be scheduled. This meeting will be with the LA, a member of SLT and the school Social worker.

Unfortunately there may be times where school may have to issue a fine. We hope to prevent this by working with you.





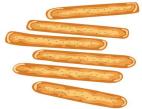


# Healthy Eating

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?

There are lots of ideas for a healthy lunch, which were highlighted in a recent Zoe study podcast-the link to this is here Please have a listen or a read of the transcript.

We are what we eat and highly processed food for children can store health issues for their near and distant future.













Mr Everiste Training Martial Arts | London, UK



Martial Arts Training with Mr Everiste at St. Paul's Way Community Centre

Martial Arts classes run by Mr Everiste take place every Saturday 11am-12pm at St Paul's Way Community Centre:

> St Paul's Way Community Centre 83 St Paul's Way Bow, E3 4AJ

Buses 309, 108 | Free on street parking available on Saturdays

Students of all ages including parents, carers, family, and friends are welcome. Please arrive promptly wearing comfortable clothing and bring a water bottle. £5 per session paid in advance either by cash or via bank transfer.

### **BOOK NOW**

Book now by emailing students' names and ages to MrEveristeTraining@gmail.com

07932 510 494

We look forward to training with you.

Mr Everiste

#### About Mr Everiste Training

Instructor Mr Everiste is a Tae Kwon Do champion and a 4th degree Black Belt, having trained for 16 years in martial arts. Mr Everiste has a BA (Hons) degree in Dance Performance and is a professional actor (notably appearing in The Bill). Mr Everiste's children have been attending St Saviour's School since March 2018. Mia is now in Year 5 and Laila is in Year 1.