



## Message from the Head of School

This week all our pupils took part in the 'Awareness Academy' a programme offered by the Metropolitan Police. A big thank you to PC Singh and his team who worked with the pupils and helped them to understand how to stay safe. I know the police officers enjoyed the pupils' questions and they commented on how interested and able our pupils are. I really enjoyed seeing our younger pupils dressed up as officers (*see image below*).



We are currently participating in a programme to improve our playtimes called Outdoor Play and Learning - or OPAL as it is also known. As part of the programme, we received a donation of playtime equipment from the City of London School. Part of the donation was a collection of dressing up clothes that the pupils have loved playing with each day. We have had princesses, tigers and even pirates in our playground this week (*see image below of Year 5 enjoying the dressing-up clothes*).



We began outdoor learning lessons last year with our now Year 6 pupils. This year all classes in key stage 2 will have outdoor learning lessons across the year. This term Year 3 have a morning of outdoor learning a week. 'Tree Arboricultural' donated some logs for children use while outside and we pass on our thanks to them and our outdoor learning teacher Jo who arranged transportation too (*see image below*).



It has been lovely to see so many parents at our celebration assemblies once more. If you haven't yet come along, I hope you can make it in the future.

Wishing you a very enjoyable weekend with your family.

**Karinne Faddy**

## Assemblies

All parents and carers are invited to attend our weekly Celebration Assembly. Celebration Assemblies are on Fridays:

- 9.00-9.20 Year 1, 2 and 3
- 2.55-3.30 Year 4, 5 and 6

Our Year 4, 5 and 6 assembly combines celebration assembly with a singing assembly.

## Meet the Head

We are restarting our Parent Coffee Mornings this term. For those of you who have not taken

part in these before, they are a session ran in our school hall often with a specific focus. The aim of these sessions is to keep our parents and carers informed about our school and provides you with an opportunity to ask questions directly with myself and other staff members.

Our first session will be on **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> September at 9am**. The session will be an opportunity to meet me and find out more about the school including our plans for this academic year. It will also involve a tour of the school for those of you who have not yet been able to see the school site due to Covid-19 restrictions.

### Uniform

Our uniform delivery has finally arrived! You can order and pay via WisePay (link below) and pick up from our school office.

<https://www.wisepay.co.uk/store/generic/template.asp?mID=98572&ACT=nav>

### PE

Pupils should wear their PE kits on Mondays and Fridays – except for Nursery pupils who wear their PE kit every day.

### Lunch

Please book and pay for your child's lunch via WisePay. Lunches are free for pupils entitled to Free School Meals and all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2.

### After-School Care

After school care is paid for childcare and runs from 3.30-5.45 Monday to Friday. The club is open to pupils in Reception to Year 6.

Please click here to register for a place in our after-school care:

<https://forms.office.com/r/XWT46h1j6m>

You should then book and pay for a place via WisePay.

### Clubs

The following after-school club has available space:

#### Speak Like a Native

Spanish Club

Years 1-6

Monday 3.30-4.30pm

£7/session. To book go to:

<https://www.speaklikeanative.com/find-a-class>

### Attendance

Our class attendance winners from last week were:

**Year 1 – 98.46%**

and

**Year 5 – 99.17%**

This week our class attendance winners are:

**Year 1 – 98.45%**

and

**Year 4 – 96.43%**

Our **100%** attendance winners were:

**Lillian** from Year 1 and **Amaar** from Year 5

### Star Awards

This half term our value is **Respect**. These pupils went **over and above** our expectations.

	Last week	This week
<b>Nursery</b>	Dexter	Sarra
<b>Reception</b>	Isaac	Haile
<b>Year 1</b>	Lillian	Ayesha
<b>Year 2</b>	Jeshane	Jessy
<b>Year 3</b>	Nancy	Omar
<b>Year 4</b>	Anais	Suela
<b>Year 5</b>	Jessalina	Iqra
<b>Year 6</b>	Shai S.	Rejana