



Dear Parents & Carers,

Welcome back. I hope you had a good half term and are all now looking forward to the rest of the autumn term with excitement.

We would like you to join us to welcome our new Office & Attendance Manager - Miss Pauline Cahill who resumed with us on Monday 6th November 2023. She brings a wealth of experience and is looking forward to working with various families.

On another note, we sadly say goodbye to our lovely Receptionist Tas Shahid, who joined us 7 years ago as an apprentice. She now moves on to another school. Thank you Tasnim for all your hard work.

Assessments started this week, thank you for bringing your children into school everyday and on time.

Sue Ferguson & Janice Owen-Amadasun

General Information

13th November 2023 is Odd Sock Day

It's an opportunity to encourage everyone to express themselves and celebrate their individuality and what makes us all unique!

There is no pressure to wear the latest fashion or to buy expensive costumes. All you have to do to take part is wear odd socks to school, it couldn't be simpler!

Odd Socks day will take place on the first day of Anti-Bullying Week to help raise awareness of bullying.



KEY STAGE 2 SATS

This Thursday, 9th of November, we will be holding a virtual meeting for parents about the Year 6 KS2 SATs. We will look at what the SATs are, when and how they take place, as well as ways in which you can support your child at home. There will also be an opportunity at the end of the session for parents and carers to ask any questions they may have. **The first session will start at 2:15pm.** The same session will **then be repeated at 4:30pm** - please choose a time that suits you.

The meeting link will be sent out to all parents tomorrow

We look forward to seeing you then!



Be Internet Alert
Tips to help you be alert online




Tip 1
Double check a site for credibility.
Before you click on a link or enter your password on a site you haven't been to before, check that the site's URL matches the product's or company's name and information you're looking for.

Tip 2
Use secure websites.
Make sure a website's URL starts with "https://" with a little green padlock to the left of it.
Example: 

Tip 3
Don't fall for scams.
If the email or site offers something that sounds too good to be true, like a chance to make a lot of money, it's almost always too good to be true. Don't fall for the fake message.

Tip 4
It can happen to anyone.
If you fall for a scam online, tell your parent, teacher, or other trusted adult right away and change your passwords to your accounts immediately.

Tip 5
Attention! Remember that website or ad can't tell if there's anything wrong with your device!
There are scams that may try to trick you into downloading malware or unwanted software by telling you that there's something wrong with your device.

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E-safety

Remember to always be open with your children and their online activity. Check the security settings, protection levels and anti-virus software on all devices you and your family have access to. If you have any questions or would like to discuss in more detail, please speak to the computing lead at EWPS, Mrs Carneiro, your child's class teacher or a member of SLT.

Key date information / changes

November

9th November - 9 -10 a.m **Coffee Morning (British Values/Equity In Diversity)**

9th November - 2:15 - 2:45 & 4:30 5pm - **KS2 SATs virtual meeting**

9th November - **2.45pm Year 5 Dolphin Class assembly**

9th November - **Flu immunisation (Reception - Year 6)**



Thursday 16th - 2:45pm Year 6 Whale Sharing assembly

Thursday 16th - Parents meeting – online safety (virtual) 2.15 – 2.45 & 4.30 – 5.00

Join Zoom Meeting :<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87629238508?pwd=ZTlvbVA0cmdHYUN6cmJ3cGlzTW4xZz09>

Thursday 23rd - Year 6 Shark Sharing Assembly

Tuesday 28th - Parent Attendance & Punctuality rearranged for 16th January

Coffee Morning

We want to welcome our EWPS community to a coffee morning on the 9th November 2023

9 - 9.45a.m

During this morning, we will be showcasing the amazing hard work and outcomes of our British Values units from Year 1 to Year 6.

This includes examples exploring themes such as Anti Racism, celebrating diversity within our community and researching significant individuals. This is also an opportunity to discuss the curriculum and ethos of our school with the Equity and Diversity team.

We look forward to seeing you.

Miss Adams and Miss Dualeh

Equity & Diversity Team Leads



Community, Wellbeing and Support

About the Ageing Well Strategy

We want Newham to be a place where everyone can age well. The purpose of the Newham Ageing Well Strategy is to improve the health and wellbeing of residents aged 50+ and reduce health inequalities.

In 2021 and 2022 we spoke to more than 1500 local people to understand how older residents rate Newham as a place to grow older, how they feel about existing services and priority areas for improvement to make Newham a place where everyone can age well. Using this feedback, and in

partnership with the NHS and voluntary and community sector organisations, we have co-designed a new, multi-agency strategy to support residents aged 50+ age better.

Who is the Strategy for?

This strategy is for anyone living in Newham aged 50+.

How will the Strategy help?

The purpose of the Newham Ageing Well Strategy is to improve the health and wellbeing of residents aged 50+ and reduce health inequalities. We aim to achieve this through taking action across five priority areas in partnership with residents, the NHS, community and voluntary organisations and other partners.

House Winners



Every child is in one of our 5 houses. They can earn points for their house by showing our 5 school values and by supporting other children in the school.

Each week the House with the most points becomes House of the Week. They have a star added to their chart in the hall. The House with the most stars at the end of the year gets an afternoon at the park with ice lollies too!



Last week's House winners who earned the most house points were

Creola Katherine - Johnson

Stars of the Week - (Week 8) 27/10/2023

	Kathee Johnson	Malalah Yousafzai	Michael Rosen	Ade Adepitan	Marcus Rashford
Guppy 1					
Guppy 2					
Lionfish	Jowain	Daniel	Ihsaan	Illinca	Hayley
Clownfish	Adam A	Safa	Fisola	Tilly	Rada
Jellyfish	Isabella	Hafsa	Musa	Jervanni	Rueben
Starfish	Niamh	Samara	Zoya	Hamdan	Noah
Turtle	Tessa	Aleksandra	Areeb	Austeja	Genesis
Lobster	Iqra	Emily	Sonny	Natali	Reece
Octopus	Lakin	Kai'Rone	Armin	Fionel	Max
Seahorse	Markas	Daniel L	Liepa	Zunairah	Mariana
Stingray	Olivia	Jessica	Mikaela	Aisha	Nabeel
Dolphin	Diana	Emma	Jay	Aleena	Hussain
Shark	Aishah	Kieaana	Diamond	Daisie	Riad
Whale	Kajus	Alatz	Nicoleta	Alex	Illyas

Work of the Week (only 1 per year group)

HC	Year Group	Childs Name	Context of work
KJ	Guppy		
	1	Safia	For sequencing images and phrases from the Pig the Pug story.
	2	Samara	For making a big improvement in her handwriting.
	3	Sonny	For writing a fantastic descriptive paragraph in English. Keep going Sonny!
	4	Abeera	For planning her own version of the story we are reading.
	5	Mikaela	For her well written sentences using antonyms.
	6	Ulliel	For a really emotional letter in English

Certificate Mentions

HC	Certificate	Class	Who?
AA	TTRS New rock speed (other)		
	TTRS Wannabe (Over 10 seconds)		
	TTRS Garage Rocker (Under 10 seconds)		
	TTRS Busker (Under 9 seconds)		
	TTRS Gigger (Under 8 seconds)	Turtle Seahorse	Karolis David O
	TTRS Unsigned Act (Under 7 seconds)		
	TTRS Breakthrough Artist (Under 6 seconds)	Turtle Octopus	Auesteja Jonathan, Elias
	TTRS Support Act (Under 5 seconds)	Octopus Jellyfish	Ayesha Rohaam
	TTRS Headliner (Under 4 seconds)	Octopus	Luca, Zain
	TTRS Rock Stars (Under 3 seconds)	Lobster	Ridwan

	TTRS Rock Legends (Under 2 seconds)	Lobster Turtle	Shannon Ayden
	TTRS Rock Hero (Under 1 second)		
MY	Lexia		
Eng. Team	Pen Licence	Dolphin	Isra

Special Mentions (non certificate)

Mariana, Kenny & Zunairah (Seahorse Class) who have logged over 4 hours practise time on Freckle so far this month.

Stingray (whole class): For an unbelievably fantastic class assembly. From your singing, dancing and acting to your delivery of lines, you were outstanding performers. Miss Dualeh and Ms Davison are so proud of you! Well done!

Lakshana (Stingray) For remaining in number 1 position for TTRS across the whole school!