



# CURWEN WEEKLY



Together Everyone Achieves More



Dear Parents and Carers,

Can you believe this half term is almost at an end? Time is certainly flying. We would just like to say a big thank you once again to all of you for all of your ongoing support. We are also really pleased that we have about 90% of our parents now using Studybugs which is fantastic. If you haven't already, please do download it to ensure you keep up-to-date with all of the school information.

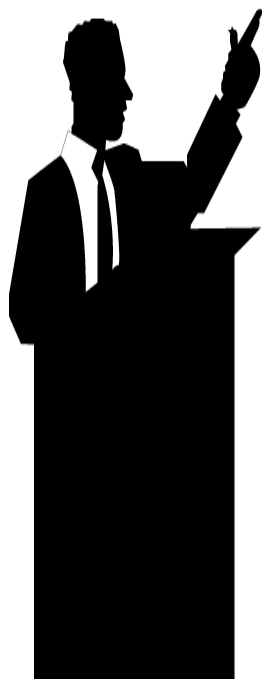
We appreciate at the moment how hard it is to understand and to keep up with all of the guidance that we are getting. We must reiterate that if your child/ren or anyone in your household has **any one** of the covid-19 symptoms then you **must self-isolate and stay at home**. The symptoms are a new, continuous cough OR a high temperature OR a complete loss of taste or smell. If a class is sent home, then you **must** ensure that your child in that class **stays at home** for the isolation period detailed on the letter we send you. We realise this is inconvenient, but we are all being asked to follow the guidance. Please do contact us if you are unsure about any of this.

We would like to say a huge thank you to all of our parents, carers and fantastic teachers for all of the hard work with home learning. It has been wonderful to hear about so many children 'Zooming' into lessons when they are having to self-isolate at home. We would like to say a huge well done to all of our teachers with this, but also to all of our families for all of the support you are offering to your children at home. If you are able to encourage and guide your child/ren at home, this makes our job much easier.

Finally we are delighted to end with the fantastic news about our Debate Mates team from 2019-20. We are delighted to announce that Curwen are the NATIONAL Debate Mate Champions. A massive well done to the team for their hard work, and to Ms Montiel for ensuring they could continue to compete via Zoom during lockdown.

Have a wonderful weekend

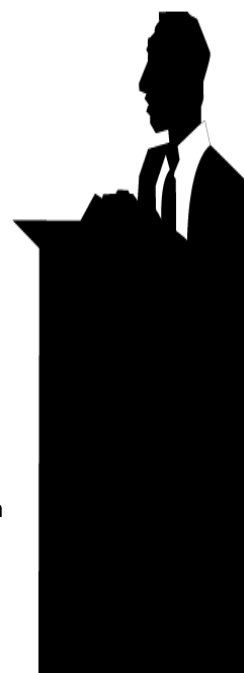
Mr Harris and Mrs Mansfield



Last year, Curwen Primary School was one of the country's top performing debate teams in the country and as such was invited to attend the Debate Mate National League Finals. The top ten schools allowed Year 6&7 students who competed before the lockdown to attend via zoom for the Championship. Having received the most points out of all teams, Curwen are the WINNERS of the 2019-20 Debate Mate League and officially national champions alongside Blue Coat CoE Junior School.

This is a result of hard work and dedication from the debate team. Alexis, Ama, Haleemah, Madusu, Maya and Rayan are all now attending different schools across East London and Essex and will have the opportunity to speak about their success during the launch of this year's competition, next month. They are all exceptionally smart and dedicated students with bright futures ahead of them.

Meanwhile, we are looking forward to getting started with this year's competition with our Year5&6 pupils. If we show the same level of commitment and enthusiasm we are guaranteed to have another successful year!



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16th October 2020 to 23rd October 2020

Dinner Week Menu: 2



## Y3 AUTUMN Forest School Timetable

All dates are on a WEDNESDAY

Autumn 1				
23/9/20	30/9/20	7/10/20	14/10/20	21/10/20
3L	3H		3G	3B



## Y4 AUTUMN Forest School Timetable

All dates are on a TUESDAY

Autumn 1				
22/9/20	29/9/20	6/10/20	13/10/20	20/10/20
4B	4C	4N	4A	4B



### Last week's results

Curwen's TT League

Round 3 (Friday 17:00 - Tuesday 19:00)				
3H	V	3B	3H (217) V 3B (73)	
5B	V	2M	5B (269) V 2M (44)	
6K	V	1C	6K (75) V 1C (13)	
1M	V	5L	5L (850) V 1M (98)	
2R	V	4N	2R (246) V 4N (209)	
4C	V	2L	2L (184) V 4C (176)	
6U	V	6B	6U (656) V 6B (607)	
6I	V	3G	3G (256) V 6I (155)	
5C	V	5W	5W (2109) V 5C (2104)	
4B	V	1K	4B (94) V 1K (42)	
4A	V	1D	4A (142) V 1D (133)	
2B	V	3L	3L (130) V 2B (108)	

### This week's fixtures

Curwen's TT League

Round 4 (Friday 17:00 - Tuesday 19:00)				
2M	V	3H		
1C	V	3B		
5L	V	5B		
4N	V	6K		
2L	V	1M		
6B	V	2R		
3G	V	4C		
5W	V	6U		
1K	V	6I		
1D	V	5C		
3L	V	4B		
2B	V	4A		



## Pupil of the Week



AM— Veera

PM— Sadia

RDR— Teddy

RM— Rayan

RF— Maximilian

RS— Ismail

1K— Absar

1C— Josiah

1M— Yaqub

1D— Whole Class

2L— George

2B— Naureen

2R— Azaan

2M— Adam

3B— Kaci-Ann

3G— Gheorghe

3H— Tatyana

3L— Riban

4C— Hamed

4N— Alex

4B— Nafeesa

4A— Aryan

5C— Jenar

5B— Adam

5W— Marcus

5L— Sharlene

6I— Evelyn

6K— Ruby

6U— Emmanuel

6B— Eliana

LST1— Emmanuel

LST2— Dalila

**2B, 4N, 4C, 5W, 5C— 100% attendance**  
**BEST WEEKLY ATTENDANCE**

### Study Bugs

We would like to thank all parents that have downloaded the app and are reading our communications. We would like to remind all parents that its **absolutely VITAL** to have the app installed and keep an eye out on the information coming through. In light of the on-going events, we as a school are trying our best to keep you informed at all times and provide you with the best guidelines and opportunities to ensure the children are safe and getting the most out of their learning. If you have not already done so, please install the app on your phone. If you require any help, please contact the school office.

### Harvest Food Bank

It is that time of year again when we ask for any donations of food as part of our harvest celebrations. This year all donations will be sent on to the local charity food bank based at 'Arc in the Park' which supports local families. All donations of **non-perishable foods** would be very welcome, especially at this difficult time. All items will be collected from tomorrow morning onwards **in the KS1 playground** as you pass through to the exits. In the interests of hygiene, you are kindly asked to place any donations straight into the boxes provided and that you **DO NOT** give donations to the class teachers or office staff.

The last day for all donations is **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November**.

HM Government

**WASH**  
**HANDS**

**COVER**  
**FACE**

**MAKE**  
**SPACE**

NHS