



Together Everyone Achieves More



CURWEN WEEKLY

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a musical week this week with lots of dance rehearsals going on. We hope you are as excited to share our International Week activities as the children are to perform them. The dances are looking really fantastic!

Just a reminder that the next week is the last week of after school clubs. 6 o'clock club will continue as normal, but remember this must be booked by midday Friday of the week before in order to ensure that we have enough staff.

We are currently selling Easter eggs for our school raffle and red noses for Red Nose Day. Next Friday, children are invited to wear red for the day and donate 50p if they would like. We will add money to School Money and have buckets in the playground for anyone that wishes to contribute.

We have been inundated with parents wanting to do something to help the efforts in Ukraine, and our School Council are in the process of organising some fund raising opportunities and finding a suitable charity to send donations to. However, in the meantime, we are going to collect tinned food, nappies and new underwear (packaged please) to send via a member of Juniper staff (who provide our cleaning and catering). We will organise collection points in the playground and at the main office. Please donate if you can. All donations will be collected on Friday 18th March. We know that some children are finding the whole situation very difficult. The Parent Zone have provided some [useful advice you might like to read](#) if you are concerned about talking to your child about things

We thank you all so much for your kindness and generosity.

Mr Harris and Mrs Mansfield

Spring arts competition

For International Women's Day on Tuesday 8th March, we will be doing an art competition as part of our own #BreakTheBias campaign here at Curwen. Children are invited to create a piece of artwork celebrating the achievements of women or raising awareness against bias. You can find more information about accepted media, how to enter the competition, and additional inspiration in the message sent on StudyBugs, and on Google Classroom.

The artwork should have your child's name and class printed clearly on the bottom right if possible. This should be handed in to their class teacher by the new extended deadline of Friday 18th of March, so they can be passed to our Art Ambassadors to be judged.



A first, second, and third place winner will be selected from each of the EYFS, KS1, lower KS2, and upper KS2 phase groups.

BEST WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

4A—99% attendance

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Dinner Week Menu: 1





TT Rockstars



Our Stars That Shine



Round 20 (Friday 17:00 - Tuesday 19:00)			
6U	V	3H	6U (1226) v 3H (57)
4C	V	6B	6B (417) v 4C (388)
2R	V	5C	2R (216) v 5C (20)
1L	V	4K	1L (119) v 4K (114)
6C	V	4A	4A (692) v 6C (636)
5B	V	2W	2W (64) v 5B (50)
3B	V	3L	3B (1465) v 3L (117)
2M	V	15N	15N (38) v 2M (23)
1I	V	1K	1I (36) v 1K (26)
5L	V	5T	5L (45) v 5T (1)
4N	V	3G	3G (1267) v 4N (160)
2S	V	6H	6H (332) v 2S (26)

AM—Naian
RDR—Shabbir
RMC—Maira
1K—Ezekiel
1L—Sahara
2W—Rodella
2R—Ellie-May
3B—Jaynie
3H—Ammara
4C—L'rya
4K—Kaci-Ann
5C—Rasin
5T—Fatima
6H—Junior
6U—Lacey
LST—Razin

PM—Caleb
RM—Arman
RC—Eli
1I—Maymuna
15N—Elizabeth
2S—Humaira
2M—Shahian
3G—Joshua
3L—Rafay
4N—Mikaeel
4A—Blessing
5B—Alaina
5L—Azzdine
6C—Nikodem
6B—Emidul

Team Points:

Benjamin Zephaniah— 624

Roald Dahl— 570

Julia Donaldson— 521

Charles Dickens— 503



Debate Mate Round 2

A big well done to the children who took part in this week's debate mate competition. The children debated whether Parents' Evening should be banned and whether all children should be made to go to boarding school.

Many of the children were debating for the first time and received positive feedback from the judges. The next competition will be taking place in April.



Kindness Cup Winners



Barack—2R

For showing good empathy in the playground and being helpful.



Reminders for the Week

Upcoming Trips:

- Plaistow Library for Nursery on the 14th March and 16th March
- Masjid Ibrahim Islamic Centre for all Reception on the 15th March
- Forest School for 4N and 3L on the 16th March
- Stratford Youth Zone for year 5 on the 16th March

Other reminders:

- Please drive and park considerably outside the school gates when picking up your child, to ensure everyone's safety
- After-school clubs are dismissed from the Stock Street and London Road entrances every day, except on Friday where pickups are from the main office.