











Together Everyone Achieves More

Dear Parents and Carers

To coincide with World Mental Health Day, this week we have been speaking to the children about how to deal with their worries and the importance of speaking up if they are upset or concerned about anything. In addition to the awful news of the conflict in the Middle East, we think that it is really important that children have someone to talk to and help them with coping strategies. If your child does have questions or concerns, there are lots of reputable websites with child-friendly information such as Newsround. Please do let us know if you have friends or family impacted by the current events, and we will ensure we keep a special eye on your child. Please rest assured that we present any such information to children impartially. We are however very clear that any kind of Islamophobia or Anti-Semitism as a result of these events are completely unacceptable.

Next week you will see that we are wearing red to 'Show Racism the Red Card'. We think this is very important and relevant to our communities to pledge our commitment to fighting racism in all forms. We also sent out our first homework project for the year to celebrate Black History Month. In the past we have had amazingly creative entries, and hope that this year will be no exception.

We have a busy week at Curwen with World of Work Week (for years 1-6) next week. We hope that this helps to demonstrate to children the wide range of careers available, as well as how the skills and knowledge they learn in school will go on to help them in the world of work. We also have our first Parents' Evening of the year. Due to changes to Zoom, we are holding meetings this year on Google Meets. Links will be sent out on Studybugs next week. There will be staff manning Studybugs and the telephones, so do call if you have any difficulties. To coincide with Parents' Evening, we will have our Scholastic Book Fair in the playground before and after school next week, so do come along and buy a book or two!

Finally, we end on some fantastic news! In the past week we have heard that we have been re-assessed and awarded the GOLD Artsmark award. We have also been recommended to receive a GOLD Youth Sports Trust award for PE and heard that following whole-school training we have been awarded 'Communication Friendly Status' by Elklan. We are hugely proud of these achievements, and very proud that they recognised the broad and balanced curriculum that our children receive. A big THANK YOU to our amazing staff.

Have a lovely weekend. We can hardly believe it is one more week until half term!

Mr Harris and Mrs Mansfield

BEST WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

4A – 99% attendance!

EVERY DAY
MATTERS
We expect
children to be
in school 96%
of the time

190 days IN SCHOOL 175 days NOT IN SCHOOL 175 days per year to organise appointments, see relatives and go on holidays.

Issue 6

13th October 2023 to 19th October 2023

Dinner Week Menu: 1











































TT Rockstars

TTRS



TTRS- Round 4 results:

| Round 4 | 4 (Fr | riday 17 | :00 - Tuesday 19:00) |
|------------|-------|----------|----------------------|
| 250 | V | 30 | 250 (49) 30 (44) |
| 3B | V | 2SA | 2SA (51) 3B (23) |
| 2 <i>G</i> | V | 3F | 3F (129) 2G (16) |
| 3H | V | 2L | 2L (76) 3H (39) |
| 4GM | V | 5CB | 4GM (62) 5CB (57) |
| 5C | V | 6R | 5C (711) 6R (188) |
| 4 <i>A</i> | V | 6A | 4A (55) 6A (45) |
| 5PB | V | 6C | 6C (620) 5PB (310) |
| 46 | V | 5T | 5T (26) 4G (104) |
| 6K | V | 4M | 4M (123) 6K (91) |

Next round:

| 1L | V | 1W |
|------------|---|------------|
| 1I | V | 1K |
| 250 | V | 38 |
| 30 | V | 25A |
| 2 <i>G</i> | V | 3H |
| 3F | V | 2L |
| 4GM | V | 5 <i>C</i> |
| 5CB | V | 6R |
| 4A | V | 5T |
| 5PB | V | 6K |
| 4 <i>G</i> | V | 6A |
| 6C | V | 4M |

Rockstars of the week

| 250 | Arash | 1,072 |
|------------|----------|-------|
| 2SA | Rohan | 804 |
| 2 <i>G</i> | Tahmid | 367 |
| 2L | Aditya | 2,019 |
| 3H | Youcef | 563 |
| 3B | Nadir | 579 |
| 30 | Abdullah | 962 |
| 3F | Lynne | 1,917 |

| 4A | Brey | 1,001 |
|------------|---------|--------|
| 4GM | Benji | 1,036 |
| 46 | Amara | 2,127 |
| 4M | Joshua | 1,140 |
| 5 <i>C</i> | Joshua | 18,591 |
| 5T | Tahir | 4,736 |
| 5CB | Ador | 639 |
| 5PB | Gerrard | 2,958 |
| 6K | Nabiha | 1,041 |
| 6C | Mihran | 5,148 |
| 6R | August | 3,535 |
| 6A | Areeba | 1,116 |

Team Points:

Benjamin Zephaniah — 712

Julia Donaldson—834

Roald Dahl— 241

Charles Dickens — 674



Congratulations to Haniya in RMC who completed a charity run on Saturday for Great Ormond street. She has raised an amazing £358! What an inspiration to us all, well done!



Assembly Next Week



Theme of the Week Word of the Week

World of Work Week

Growing Up



Stars that SHINE



AM- Daphne PM— Ridwan

RC- Ayomide RDR-Sunny

RM- Raafan RMC- Aleem

11 - Ruohan 1K-Anabia

1L- Aneesah 1W-Anna

2G – Yumna 2L- Zack

2SO-Camila 2SA-Rohan

3F – Amara 3B-Paul

30 – Dhyani 3H - Youcef

4A- Shreyan 4GM-Lizzie-Ann

4G – Absar 4M - Yacub

5CB - Selena 5C - Eliza

5PB - Romesa 5T - Ahmed

6A – Zain 6C - Subha

6K-Shrea 6R - Wahiba

Sycamore / Oak Class— Stefania

Please remember that we have parents' evening next week



There will be NO AFTER SCHOOL TUITION on Wednesday or Thursday (6 o'clock club will run as normal).

Trips:

- KPMG for 5PB & 5T on 16th October
- Shaftsbury Theatre for 4M & 4GM on 17th October
- The London Centre for year 3 on 18th October
- KPMG for 5CB & 5C on 20th October
- FCA Stratford for year 6 on 20th October