



Newton's Weekly Newsletter



Week Ending 8th October

Dear Parents/Carers

It has been another extremely productive week in school, with the children continuing to display great engagement and enjoyment in their learning and making good progress towards their individual targets. Thank you for sending your children in to school today wearing yellow and contributing £1 towards 'Young Minds' charity, it was an amazing sight in assembly with such bright colours on display! We will let you know the total of your generosity when we have collated all your contributions and send this off to the charity.

We have had two fabulous events this week where parents were invited into school. On Wednesday evening, the parents of Year 6 children who had been awarded positions of responsibility within the school, attended a very special assembly in our KS2 Hall where they saw their children receive certificates, badges and ties to celebrate this remarkable achievement. The children were so excited and proud at being recognised in such a public forum in front of their parents. Well done to all of these children and we know you are going to carry out your duties with responsibility and commitment.

All EYFS and KS1 children are entitled to a free school dinner, and to encourage all of our newest children to try a school meal, we invited the parents to join their child for a hot lunch on Thursday. The children in Reception loved having their parent join them for lunch; I don't know who was more excited, the children or the parents. Having their parent eat with them was a very positive experience, almost every child ate a hot meal, and many more Reception children have ordered a school meal today as well!

We continue to use the outdoor environment to enhance the children's learning so please send your child in with a warm coat and appropriate footwear for wet and muddy areas around the school.

The borough's Virtual School Games Cross Country will take place across 2 weeks from **Monday 11th - Friday 22nd October**. This is a whole school event with an aim to get as many schools/young people in the borough taking part and being physically active. Miss Green will be entering all pupils into the event through their PE lessons and we look forward to seeing how far all our pupils can run. They have already been practising! Please make sure your child has a PE kit with trainers or plimsolls and please make sure any earrings are taken out before your child comes to school.

Please remember to sign up for an appointment with your child's class teacher to discuss how they are settling in and hear how they are progressing in their learning. If you cannot make it into school, please select a telephone consultation instead

Please keep up to date with all the fantastic things your children are doing by visiting our Facebook page and our website, as we regularly post photos, videos and information for you to enjoy.

Have a great weekend

Mrs Connolly and Mrs McClenaghan

Every Day Counts!

Attendance is very important in ensuring that children maximise their learning and prevent gaps in their knowledge from happening. Our whole school attendance this week is disappointing **92.3%**. Well done **Sunflower** for achieving the highest attendance this week.

You will receive the delicious cookies to share with your class.

Red Zone = below 90%
Amber Zone = below 95%
Green Zone = above 95%

Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %
Daisy	84.15	Sunflower	94.94
Holly	81.91	Gardenia	96.83
Nigella	89.55	Cassia	93.75
Marigold	93.5	Carnation	91.2
Fuchsia	93.1	Cosmos	98.08
Willow	89.95	Rose	94.25
Angelica	98.74		



Stars of the week

Class	Star	Class	Star
Daisy	Sebastion	Sunflower	Leena
Holly	Burhan	Gardenia	Tiffany
Nigella	Reggio	Cassia	Ruby
Marigold	Farren	Carnation	Lilly-Rose
Fuchsia	Zahra	Cosmos	Eesa
Willow	Amelia	Rose	Auguste
Angelica	Shahzain	Tulips	Imaad

Values superstar – Generosity

Willow Class –Lory
Marigld Class – Tanto
Sunflower Class –Rachel
Gardenia Class – Joanna
Rose Class – Emily

Nigella Class – Leo
Angelica Class - Sami
Fuchsia Class – Aaban
Holly class – Olivia
Daisy class – Olivia B

House Point Winners

We have split the children into 4 different house teams. They are awarded house points for showing positive behaviours and exceptional effort and achievement in class and in the playground.

The four teams are:

HMS Britania (Blue)
Mary Rose (Red)
HMS Belfast (Yellow)
Cutty Sark (Green)

This week's winners are: **Cutty Sark**

Well done, all the children in this team, they will get 15 minutes extra play on Monday.

**Please see below the names of our newly elected School Councillors
2021-2022**

Class	Council Member 1	Council Member 2
Rec D	Adem	Nikolina
Rec H	Oliver	Kayra
Year 1M	Phoebe	Skye
Year 1/2F	Davey	Isabella
Year 2N	George	Lilly
Year 3W	Aditi	Holly
Year 3A	Oscar	Pip
Year 4G	Abraz	Zion
Year 4S	Isla	Ella
Year 5JC	Gabby	Gabriella
Year 5EC	Naya	Spencer
Year 6C	Harry A	Evie
Year 6R	Simra	Kaci