

# SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

13th November 2020

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PRIMARY SCHOOL



## Year 1

This week, Year 1 have learnt about the origins of Bonfire night. They learned lots of interesting information about Guy Fawkes. They then had fun using contrasting colours and crayons to create their own bonfire night pictures.



## Year 3

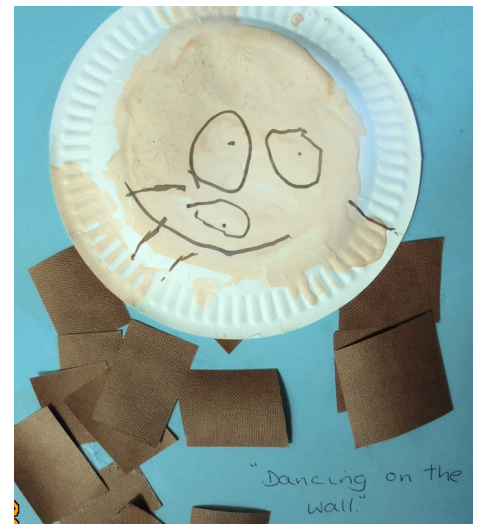
Remembrance Day was the focus for Year 3 art this week. The children tore the edges of their paper and dyed it in tea to stain it, giving an authentic 'aged' look. Once dry, they painted poppies at different angles.



## Nursery

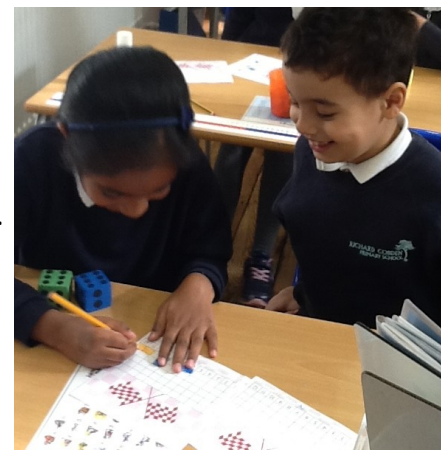
Humpty Dumpty was one focus for learning in Nursery recently. The children practised performing the nursery rhyme and they drew, painted and wrote about it too.

They built different walls in their maths sessions and decided whether Humpty Dumpty should have a tall or short wall and which was safer for him.



## Year 2

In numeracy, the children have been playing games to improve their number fluency and secure their number bonds. They have played several exciting games to explore different strategies in order to win. It is a great way to have fun while they learn!



## Year 5 Science



Year 5 have been working scientifically to discover the difference between soluble and insoluble materials.

They designed a test which involved measuring accurate amounts of water and each of the materials they wanted to test. They were then able to observe what happened to these materials after they had been stirred. Further investigations will take place to determine whether the process of dissolving can be speeded up or reversed. We look forward to hearing these results!

## Certificates of Achievement



Well done to our most recent certificate winners who were nominated for achieving well in their learning or behaviour.

**Nursery:** Giona Scifoni; Yasaar Tafader; Haadiyah Ali; Umut Keskin; Safiyyah Rahman;

**Reception:** Eleas Koucha; Musa Ibrahim; Eva N'da Koffi; Musa Ahmed;

**Year 1:** Chloe Hartigan; Aymen Benbellil; Adam Ali; Aleena Khan; Liyana Haque; Simon Ruddock; Ihtesham Hussien;

**Year 2:** Yarah Moullin; Mehraan Amiri; Omer Barak; Affaf Berkoun; Zuhayb Hasan; Archie Allen; Humaira Ali; Nasra Ahmed; Jannah Akther Ahmed

**Year 3:** Fatima Bennaïdja; Adam Ali; Ahmed Sidki; Sarah Moullin

**Year 4:** Ramlo Harun; Eilyas Ahmed; Mohamed Mohamoud; Tasliim Mohamoud; Tariq Dadah Ali; Sian Stephens; Zeinab Ahmed; Adam Sharaf

**Year 5:** Aisha Salim; Zakariya Abdi; Hanifa Ali; Jalees Ali; Charlie Page; Rawda Abdullahi; Maria Mahjoub; Alfie Hartigan

**Year 6:** Salim Mohammed; Rahim Benamghar; Ruwaydah Abdisalam; Musa Ud-Deen; Keyaan Chowdhury; Mohamed Elgizoli; Khedija Kheir

## Reminder: School Dinner Choices

We would like to remind parents/guardians that once an option for school dinners or packed lunches has been made, this cannot be changed until the **end of each term**. If you would like to make the change, you will need to fill in a new School Meals Option form. Thank you.

## Term Dates

THIS IS CLEARLY NOT A SENSIBLE TIME TO BE ORGANISING HOLIDAYS. HOWEVER, WE REMIND YOU THAT HOLIDAY LEAVE DURING TERM TIME WILL **NOT** BE GRANTED.

### AUTUMN TERM 2020

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**Last Day of Term** Friday 18th December

#### SPRING TERM 2021

**Staff INSET Day** Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January

**Staff INSET Day** Tuesday 5th January

**Children Start** Wednesday 6th January

**Half Term Holiday** Monday 15<sup>th</sup> to Friday 19<sup>st</sup> February

**Last Day of Term** Thursday 1st April

## Support for Parents and Carers

The **NHS** mental health support team who work within Camden schools are offering a **free** online webinar series for all parents and carers of primary school children in Camden.

The series will include online workshops via Zoom. The topics covered, scheduled dates and times are:

Topic	Day and Date	Time
<b>Parent Self-Care</b>	13/11/20	12pm
<b>Understanding and supporting your child with worries</b>	20/11/20	12pm
<b>Sleep</b>	27/11/20	12pm
<b>'Good enough' parent/child Interactions</b>	4/12/20	12pm



Each workshop will last up to 60 minutes with an optional follow up 20 minutes for further questions. You can opt in for all four sessions, or whichever most appeals to you.

To find out more information and to register for any of the workshops, please go to the 'Eventbrite' webpage:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/parent-webinar-series-tickets-126950144299>