



Cycling Training

This term, Y3-Y6 have been involved in cycling training from the company Bikability. Y3-Y4 focused on level 1 training practicing their skills in the playground. Y5-Y6 developed their level 2 skills which focused on riding safely on the roads. The children rode their bikes on local roads around the school led by their two instructors.

All children gave positive feedback from the experience and their behavior was exemplary.

As demand was so great, we will be offering this training again next year for those children who were unable to receive a place.



Year 6 RAF Museum

As part of their topic on World War II Year 6 went to visit the RAF Museum. The children went back in time to experience a real air raid, they discovered how loud and frightening it really was. They also had the opportunity to handle and try on air force uniforms from the period. The trip really enhanced the children's understanding of what being in war felt like.

WANTED!

The Nursery and Reception are developing their outside area and are on the hunt for:

- Old microwaves / kettles / toasters
- Old saucepans / baking trays /
- Old spoons / forks.

If you have anything, please could you give it to Donna or Tina in the Nursery. Thanks .



Dates for the diary

Friday 4th November – Dress as a Book Character Day

Monday 14th – Friday 18th November – Anti-Bullying Week

Monday 14th & Friday 18th – Yoga workshops

Thursday 17th November – School Photographs

Friday 18th November – Children in Need – Pyjama Day



Year 5 Planetarium

On Monday 10th October, Year 5 visited the Greenwich Planetarium. We had a fantastic time taking part in a workshop about the Earth, Sun and Moon where we learnt about their functions in the solar system and had the chance to show off our knowledge from in-school Science lessons.

We also watched a planetarium show where we were able to lie back and travel through the solar system exploring different planets, stars, galaxies and asteroid belts. We are so excited to use this knowledge in our Literacy lessons next week!



Respect, Responsibility, Excellence in Y6

In Year 6, navy blue hoodies are given to children throughout the year as they demonstrate our school values. We have fantastic news to share that Tolani, Ana Victoria, Joshua and Jessica in Sycamore class have been awarded the sweatshirts as well as Jeron, Oscar, Charlie and Caitlin in Maple. These pupils are being good role models, demonstrating responsibility throughout the school and working hard. Congratulations to them.

Nursery admissions – if your child is born between 1st September 2013 and 31st December 2013 they are eligible for 15 hours in Nursery from January 2017. Have you applied?

Harvest

Many thanks for the kind donations that were brought in for our Harvest assembly.

The food bank at City Hope Church were very grateful for your generosity. Year 6 delivered the food to the church on the morning Friday 14th October.



Attendance & Punctuality

As of 19th October attendance at Southwark Park stood at 96.28%.

A few reminders:

- Holidays taken in term time will not be authorised and will be marked on the register as unauthorised.
- If your child is ill and sees a doctor or has an appointment, please can you bring in proof e.g. appointment card/letter.