

JKPS News

Fortnightly issue w/e 8th February 2019



Dear Parents, Carers, children and families;

e-safety:

During this term, the children have been learning about e-safety and how to keep themselves safe online as part of their computing curriculum. We will be showcasing some of the children's work at the front of the school so you can see what we have been learning. To further support your child/ren at home, please visit the following website for guidance:

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

The UK Safer Internet Centre has published top tips and advice pages for this year's Safer Internet Day on 5 February. The pages include age specific tips for children and young people about staying safe online, as well as tips and advice for parents and carers, which you may want to share with children in your school/setting and their parents/carers.

via <https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/blog/new-safer-internet-day-top-tips-and-advice-pages>.

Curriculum Visions: Mr Patrick

This week your child will have brought home login details for Curriculum Visions, a website that contains a wealth of eBooks and other resources linked to our topics. Our apologies for the typo in the original message, the correct website is <https://www.curriculumvisions.com> and the log in details are as follows:

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| Username: | JudithKerrPrimary/0001 |
| Password: | jungle |

The username and password are both case sensitive without spaces, so if you have issues accessing the site, do check this is correct. If you continue to have difficulty with access, please let us know.

SENCO news: Miss Tara

If your child is receiving SEN support, you should have received a copy of their Individual Education Plan (IEP) stating the provision they are receiving, at parents' meeting. Please notify Miss Tara if you have not received your child's IEP by the senco email: senco@jkps-cfbt.org
There will be an opportunity to speak to the SENCO on Wednesday 27th February between 1:15-3:15pm (no appointment needed) should you wish to discuss any SEN matters. Please report to the school office on the day, who will then notify Miss Tara.

School Safeguarding Team: Important Message

We have been notified that a suspicious individual was attempting to take photographs of the school/children at the fence during lunchtime. The individual was challenged by staff and reported to the police and Southwark's safeguarding team. If you notice any suspicious behaviour including anyone attempting to take photographs of the school whilst the children are in the playground, please alert Miss Marta in the first instance.

Music news: Miss Nemiah

JKPS Talent Show Final 2019

There were so many fantastic acts which made it hard for School Council to decide who would perform in the final show. As a result, there will be two parts to this year's Talent Show which is very exciting! Dates are as follows:

Years 4, 5, 6 Talent Show Final: Wednesday 13th February at 2pm

Years 1, 2, 3 Talent Show Final: Thursday 14th February at 2pm
Many thanks to School Council and Ms Marina for all their help with the auditions. Huge congratulations to all the children who auditioned - you will each receive a certificate for your participation! For children who will be performing in the Final Show; you will receive a Golden Ticket! ☺

Parents meetings:

On Friday 8th February we held our Spring Parents Meetings. During the meeting, parents had the opportunity to learn about their child's progress, attainment and general wellbeing and see a range of work. If you missed your appointment, please re-schedule directly with the class teacher, it is very important that parents are up-to-date with how their child is doing at school.

Bike and helmet donations: Miss Orla

Reception are looking for donations of 2 wheeled bikes. If you have a bike that you can donate that is suitable for 4-5 year olds we would greatly appreciate it. Also we would welcome any spare bike helmets in a good condition!
Thank you, EYFS team

School dinners/ Home packed lunch: Please notify the school office if your child changes from school dinners to home packed lunch and vice versa, as the catering is done on the basis of numbers requested. If you haven't notified the school of a change, please do so so that we have sufficient food or don't waste food unnecessarily.

Wishing you a fantastic week ahead and half-term,

JKPS Team

Class News:

Year 6: We have finally finished reading Beetle Boy: it's been a cracking romp! Throughout our journey, we have been writing newspaper reports, updating our readers on the case of the missing scientists. The children have made excellent journalists; choosing to work for both broad sheets and tabloids. In maths we have converting measures, which we will use when we make our beetle bread-next week.

Year 5: Year 5 had a fantastic start to the week immersing themselves in what it was like to live during WW2 by participating in a range of activities. They learnt about different types of shelters, what it like to have your food rationed and, they had the chance to make their own rationed style salad which they really enjoyed!

Year 4: In year 4, both classes visited Dulwich library and look forward to reading their new books. In literacy, the children have continued to delve into Shackleton's Journey and have written diary entries (in role as crew members) about the abandonment of the Endurance Ship. In maths, the children have started to look at lines of symmetry and finding coordinates on a grid to create shapes. In science, year 4 have been classifying invertebrates and vertebrates. Both classes are looking forward to their trip to the James Caird boat on Monday!

Year 3: It's been another couple of weeks in Year 3, having completed our information books last week, this week we wrote our own Egyptian myths based on the story of Osiris and Isis. Meanwhile in maths, our learning was all about fractions - adding fractions, subtracting fractions, and finding fractions of a quantity.

Year 2: During literacy, Year 2 have been making and designing bird feeders, writing Instructions and writing letters to The Prime Minister. During Maths the children have been revisiting partitioning, adding and subtracting two-digit numbers and solving word problems using partitioning.

Class News:

Year1: In Year 1 the children have been learning about toys from the past. They have learned about decades and they explored which toys were popular during each decade and then made their own timelines.



Reception: have been very busy learning about Chinese New Year and making fortune cookies! Below are some photos of our outdoor learning.



Sports news:

A group of children participated in a 'seated volleyball' competition in order to raise awareness of inclusive sport.



Duolingo: Mr Manfred

Well done to the following Year 3's Matilda (380xp) and Connie (310xp) and Maya (150xp). Remember: Ein steter Tropfen höhlt den Stein!
Happy Duolingoing.

Dates for your diary!

Monday 11th February: Year 4 Trip to Dulwich College

Tuesday 12th February:

Year 5 Residential Trip meeting for parents/carers at 3:15pm.

Year 1 Topic Showcase to the parents/carers in class!

Wednesday 13th February: Years 4, 5, 6 Talent Show Final: Wednesday at 2pm

Thursday 14th February:

Year 6 Trip to Old Kent Road Fire Station

Years 1, 2, 3 Talent Show Final at 2pm

Friday 15th February: Last day before half-term. School closes at the usual time.

Half term – school closed: between 18th February and 22nd February

Monday 25th February: School starts at usual time.

Wednesday 27th February: SENCO drop ins for parents of children receiving SEN support

Monday 4th March- Thursday 7th March: Year 5 Residential to Magdalen Farm in Dorset

Thursday 7th March: 3G Tennis Tournament @ GHM Sports facility

Friday 1st March: Karnival @ JKPS

Monday 4th March-Friday 8th March: Book week at JKPS

Friday 8th March: Dress up for Book Week!

Monday 11th March: RB Trip to the Aquarium

Wednesday 13th March: Year 3 trip to Cadogan Hall

Friday 15th March: RG Trip to the Aquarium

Wednesday 20th March:

Y3-5 Girls Football Enthuse event

4G Benchball Tournament

Friday 22nd March: 4B Benchball Tournament

Thursday 28th March: JKPS Spring time Choir concert for families @ 2:30pm.

JKPS Celebration: Alles Gute Zum Geburtstag**February birthdays:**

Nykai, Harvey G-H, Josie, Oli L, Samil, Thea, Jose, Lotta, Sienna, Audrey, Moritz HH, Caspar M, Zoya, Scott, Sufiyan P, Lily T, Magali, Michael, Ella SH, Martin, Valentine, Ocean G, Jasper.

We would like to wish all our staff and children a very happy birthday!

Attendance:

| Class | Attendance | Punctuality |
|-------|------------|-------------|
| RB | 87 | 100 |
| RG | 86 | 91 |
| 1B | 92 | 88 |
| 1G | 99 | 100 |
| 2B | 97 | 100 |
| 2G | 99 | 90 |
| 3B | 97 | 100 |
| 3G | 97 | 100 |
| 4B | 100 | 100 |
| 4G | 99 | 100 |
| 5B | 89 | 96 |
| 5G | 90 | 90 |
| Y6 | 92 | 95 |

Well done to everyone in **4B** for this week's top attendance! Well done to all the children in **RB,1G,2B,3B,3G,4B,4G** for being at school every day on time!

Our year-to-date average is: **96.27%** Let's see if we can collectively achieve a % above 97% this academic year! That will definitely be a special reason for a celebration event at JKPS!

Star Achievers at JKPS!

Well done to all of the children above for their excellent achievements in different areas of the curriculum over the past two weeks. Keep up the hard work!