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Dear Parents, Carers, children and families,

Another busy fortnight at JKPS!

FoJKPS Oktoberfest:

On Saturday 28th September, the FoJKPS organized Oktoberfest. We would like to say a big thank you to all the parents, carers, friends, family and staff who came and helped make the 2019 Oktoberfest the most successful event in school history, raising a phenomenal £7,000! This money will be spent finishing projects in the outdoor areas.



Year 3 Production:

This week, Year 3 performed a wonderful production of Chris Wormell's George and the Dragon. The fabulous song and dance show made for an entertaining adaptation of this endearing story. Well done Year 3s and all those involved!



Sports Award:

This week, we were thrilled to receive the news that we have received a Sports Award in recognition for our sports provision. A massive thanks to Ms Keziah who leads PE at JKPS.



Parental involvement at JKPS:

This week, Year 5 were very lucky to be visited by a parent who spoke about their understanding of Islam, and what being a Muslim means to them. The children made very interesting links between this discussion and prior learning, and also linked their understanding to what they know about other belief systems. Thank you Ryna!



Operations Manager:

It is with sadness that we said goodbye today to Miss Charlotte Finch, our Operations Manager. She will be starting a new role at a secondary school and we would like to thank her for all her hard work and wish her the best for the future.

Open mornings:

On Friday 11th October, 5B Ambassadors welcomed new families to our Open Morning. This was a great success! Thank you to school choir and Y3 Samba players for your performances at the event. Our next open mornings will be taking place on 8th November and 18th December. We would be grateful if you could share this information with anyone you know is interested in our school. If you already have children at JKPS and have another child starting in September 2020 in Reception, please complete the form Ms Natasha circulated or send an email to admin@jkps-cfbt.org stating your request for a sibling place so that we can keep Southwark up-to-date with this information.

Wishing you a great fortnight,

JKPS team

Reception:

Class teachers: Ms Vicky, Ms Sweeta and Ms Filipa
Teaching assistants: Ms Anya and Ms Jo-Ann (covered by Ms Caitlin)



This half term the Reception children have been learning to retell the story of The Gruffalo using actions and different props. They have been painting their favourite animals from the story. Drawing maps and sequencing the story by cutting and sticking pictures from the story.

Year 1:

Class teachers: Ms Orla, Ms Sara
Teaching assistants: Ms Diana, Ms Tatiana, Ms Julie

Year 1 have been busy making patterns using lots of different materials.



Year 2:

Class teachers: Mr Patrick, Ms Georgina
Teaching assistants: Ms Catarina, Ms Amanda, Ms Lauren

Lots of fun for Y2 at the Science Museum today, building on our learning about Space and Moon Exploration. Do you know who the first man in space was?



Year 3:

Class teachers: Ms Esther, Mr Nigel, Ms Anke
Teaching assistants: Ms Karin

This week Year 3 have been writing their own versions of George and the Dragon, they have also been adding and subtracting three digit numbers and in Geography they have been learning about the Union flag. They were also excited to perform their production George and the Dragon, to parents and careers, which was a blazing success.



Year 4:

Class teachers: Ms Stephanie, Ms Camilla

We have been learning about the impact humans have had on Antarctica and made some incredible posters to highlight these issues. We also spent a lesson discovering various invertebrates in our local environment and learning about their unique characteristics.



Year 5:

Class teachers: Ms Tara, Ms Keziah

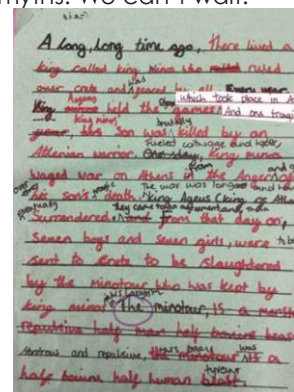
Year 5 conducted experiments on irreversible changes, and chemical reactions. Very messy and lots of fun, and the children developed their understanding of changing states of matter. Thank you parents/carers who donated items for this lesson!



Year 6:

Class teachers: Ms Jo, Ms Nina, Teaching Assistants: Ms Donna, Ms Magda/Ms Lauren

Earlier on this week in year 6, we have been working in pairs to rewrite the myth: Theseus and the Minotaur. We have now moved on to creating our own myths with the fantastical beasts we have created. We have invited our families to come in on Tuesday 15th October in the afternoon to read all of our brilliant myths. We can't wait!



Celebration:



Sports news:

We were delighted to find out that two of our pupils, Elena and Leah in Year 6, were 1st and 2nd in the year 6 trial and now run for Southwark in next month's London Youth X-Country race in Parliament Hill. A massive well done to both girls, what a remarkable achievement!



Clubs:

All club payments should be up-to-date by now for the Autumn term. Failure to meet payments will result in your child losing their club place.

Attendance and Punctuality:

Week	Attendance winners	Punctuality winners
1	RB/RG/1B/1G/2G/4B	RB/RG/1G/1G/2G/5G
2	RB/RG	RB/RG/1G
3	2G	RG
4	4B/4G	RB
5	RG	4B
6	3B/5B	RG
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What will this term's prize be for our winners?

Reporting child's absence:

Please contact the school office in the morning of your child's absence. You can also send an email to absences@jkps-cfbt.org. If you need to request special circumstances leave, please collect a form from the school office.

Key dates/events coming up:

Date / Time	Event	Year group/class
Tuesday 15/10/19 at 2:45pm	Learning showcase for families	Year 6
Thursday 17/10/19	Parents evening 1pm-7pm Year 6 3:30pm-7pm YR-Y5	Whole school
Friday 18/10/19	INSET - Staff training day – school closed for children	Whole school
Friday 15/11/19	St Martin's Lantern Parade – JKPS school grounds	Whole school
Friday 4/12/19 2:30pm	Y4 Iron Man production to families	Year 4
Monday 9/12/19 At 2:45pm	Y5 showcase for families: Titanic Memorabilia	Year 5
Tuesday 10/12/19	Reception showcase for parents: Goldilocks	Reception
Wednesday 11/12/19 At 2:30pm	Year 3 & Year 4 Winter concert for families	Year 3 & Year 4
Thursday 12/12/19 at 2:30pm	Year 1 & Year 2 Christmas Production for families	Year 1 & Year 2
Friday 13/12/19 at 2:30pm	Year 5 & Year 6 Winter concert for families	Year 5 & Year 6
Monday 16/12/19	Year 4 trip to Clapham Picturehouse – introduction to Roman topic	Year 4
Wednesday 18/12/19	School discos – No after school clubs	Whole school
Thursday 19/12/19	Last day of Autumn term 2pm finish – No after school clubs	Whole school
Monday 6/1/2020	Inset Day – Staff training day – School closed for children	Whole school
Tuesday 7/1/2020	First day of term – all spring term clubs start	Whole school

Important information: Admissions and Transition

Parents of Year 6 children must complete the Common Application Form for their local authority for secondary application, by 31st October. Please note that some secondary schools also require parents/carers to complete a supplementary form found in individual school websites.

Parents at JKPS who require a sibling place for a child starting in September 2020, please send an email to confirm this to admin@jkps-cfbt.org

Contact Information

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