

Week beginning

20.09.2021

Year 6 Newsletter



STAR moments

A stitch at lunchtime Sewing Club

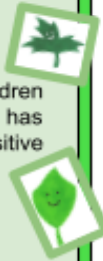


This week's Happy Leaves are awarded to:

6R: Mohammed for being an exemplary pupil who is courteous and kind towards everyone. He is an enthusiastic learner who is studious and diligent. He challenges himself by maximising every learning opportunity. Well done!

6E: Racheal for her positive approach to her friendships and building relationships with others. She is such a keen and enthusiastic member of the group and has strong relationships with all her peers and teachers.

6S: Artemis for being an outstanding role model! Artemis has created a sewing club that he runs at lunch time and invited children from different year groups to join him. This has allowed him to establish countless positive relationships across the school!



PE & Swimming

P.E is on Thursdays so you need to come into school dressed in your P.E. kit with black trainers.

Swimming is on Fridays so you need to come into school dressed in your **Fit Friday** kit with black trainers.

This week's learning...

Guided Reading: We will be reading a nonfiction text called *Suffragette - The Battle for Equality* and be able to answer comprehension questions.

English: We will be refining our knowledge of the features a narrative. We will then use this to create our own short narrative, imagining what it would be like in the day of the life of Emmeline Pankhurst.

Maths: We will develop our skills in rounding whole and decimal numbers as well as investigating negative numbers.

Science: We will be investigating different types of insects and their unique characteristics which will enable us to draw annotated diagrams.

History: We will be starting to learn some key facts and information about the Atlantic Slave Trade. We will learn what exactly this was, which parts of the world were involved and why it marks such a significant stage in world history.

RE: We will be taking a virtual tour of different places of worship and finding out about how they build a sense of community.

RSHE: We will be exploring why positive relationships are important in the workplace.

Computing: We will understand how gender stereotypes can shape our experiences online.

Art: We will use drawings of ourselves in Da Vinci's famous Mona Lisa style and begin to paint them in dark and intense colours.

Secondary school applications for September 2022! Please read the prospectus below to find out how to apply for a secondary school place. Research the schools you are interested in and look out for the open days listed on pages 6 & 7.

<https://www.newham.gov.uk/downloads/file/3662/we-are-going-to-secondary-school-autumn-2021-secondary-composite-prospectus>

Secondary school admissions

Research the secondary school that you want to attend in September 2022 using this website:

www.newham.gov.uk/school-factfinder

Applications must be sent to:

www.eadmissions.org.uk

Application deadline: 31st October 2021.

Secondary Open Days this week:

Eastlea - Sat. 18th September 10am-12 noon.

Cumberland - Tues 21st Sept. 4:30-7pm

Oasis Academy Silvertown - _____ Thurs.

23rd September 3:30-7pm

Rokey Boys - Sat. 25th September 10-12 noon.

Over to you...Homework

Continue your work on Mathletics, TT Rockstars and Bug Club. Will you achieve a Mathletics certificate or be one of our weekly TT Rockstars champion?

Remember to read every day and make sure to bring your reading book to school daily.

You can now access the spellings that are taught in class from home. Children can log on to the following website and build on their spelling strategies:

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/>

Username: star year 6
Password: spelling

Keep in touch!

Email:

year6@star.newham.sch.uk

Twitter: @Star_Primary

Website: <https://star.newham.sch.uk/>

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