



St Eugene's Primary School Newsletter

Thursday 24th February 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,
 I look forward to welcoming our Governors to visit the classes next week. This is one of the ways that they make a valuable contribution to the running of our school and keep informed about how the school is running. We are also looking forward to celebrating our love of reading by dressing up for World Book Day next week on Thursday 2nd March.
 Best wishes,
 Mrs Smith (Head of School)

Go shine in the world!

Radicalisation Workshops...

As part of Equalities Week, Year 5 and Year 6 took part in some very interesting workshops on the important topic of Radicalisation. The sessions were led by the organisation: Just Enough UK. Workshops like these support our schools in addressing the current Prevent Duty. The aim is to encourage tolerance and respect and provide the children here at St Eugene's with the tools to challenge extremist arguments. The workshops led the children to look at the creation of global laws, feeling safe and secure in the UK, media manipulation and how passive activism is the best path for change. They looked at key figures such as Guy Fawkes, Malala and Martin Luther King. They focused on community cohesion and developing a positive ethos that champions democratic values and human rights. Everything was age-appropriate to explore this complex issue, by using storytelling, games and even some cavemen! Workshops like these help our school to contribute towards key criteria of the Prevent Duty, SMSC (Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural) and British Values. We hope our Year 5 and 6 children will be inspired to make positive contributions in their classroom, their school and in their community.



Our school website address: www.steugene.camden.sch.uk

I have received and read the St. Eugene's Primary School newsletter of 24.2.17
 Signed _____ Name of child _____ Class _____

Important dates for your diary...

Wednesday 1st March Ash Wednesday is the beginning of Lent



Thursday 2nd March World Book Day

Friday 3rd March 9:05 PTFA meeting in the library

Tuesday 7th March

2:45pm Y3 Presentation to parents in the hall

Thursday 9th March

2:45 Y2 Presentation to parents in the hall

Tuesday 14th March

2:45 Y5 Presentation to parents in the hall

Thursday 16th March

2:45 Y4 Presentation to parents in the hall

Week beginning Mon 20th March: last week clubs.

Tuesday 21st March

9:30 Y1 Presentation to parents in the hall

2:45 Reception Presentation to parents in the hall

Wednesday 22nd March Stations of the Cross for Y5 & Y6

Thursday 23rd March Stations of the Cross for Y3 & Y4

Friday 24th March 6:00-8:00 Spring Family Disco

Week beginning 27th March there are no after school clubs

Monday 27th March 2:30 Spring Music Concert

Friday 31st March last day of the spring term.

Our prayer...



Lord Jesus, you once said,
'I leave you peace,
my peace I give you.'

May our hands reach out
to share your peace with
others, and may our hearts
always be filled with
forgiveness and love.
Amen.

Work of the week...



Every week a fantastic piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby (next to the office). Do come and take a look.

This week Jose Villacis Lara's work has been chosen. (Year 3).

Jose has written an exciting diary entry describing his adventures as a superhero. He has used a good range of sentences and some interesting adjectives.

Jose's handwriting is joined and neat.

Well done Jose!



Reading at home

Please make sure that you are reading to your child and that they are reading to you. It is the single most important thing that you can do to help them educationally. It also benefits them emotionally and socially too. The world makes so much more sense to those that read at home and are read to:)



Talk topic...

Every week a thought provoking question is displayed in the library. The children have the opportunity to think about the question and pin up their answer or suggestion.

You might like to talk to your child about our question.

This week the talk topic was...

Why should we be grateful?



A message from Father Terry...

If you did not attend the First Holy Communion meeting on Wednesday evening this week, and you want your child to have their First Holy Communion, you will need to attend the meeting in the school hall at 10:30am on Sunday 26th February with Father Terry. Thank-you.

