



NEWSLETTER



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Dates for the Summer term

New items in red

Monday May 6th—school closed (bank holiday)

Tuesday 7th May—Y3 to Southbank centre music concert

Thursday 9th May—Governor visit day;

Week beginning 13th May—KS2 SATs week

Tuesday 14th May—final Y2 swimming session; Y3 road safety training

Week Beginning 20th May—STEM week

Tuesday 21st May—Y6 start swimming

Thursday 23rd May—Y3 walking tour of the Southbank

Friday 24th May—last day of summer term 1; extra swimming classes for Y6 begin

Monday 3rd June—1st day of summer 2

Monday 3rd—Friday 7th June—Y5/6 to Wick Court

Week beginning 10th June—Y1 phonics screening; Y5 to a concert at the Barbican

Thursday 13th June—Y6 to Into University

Monday 17th June—parent open morning

Wednesday 19th June—Y3 to London Mithraeum

Thursday 20th June—parent coffee morning

Saturday 29th June—PTFA summer fete

Tuesday July 2nd—book fair in school

Wednesday 3rd July—Y3 to Kew Gardens

Week beginning 8th July—Health week; **Y1/2 health morning; Y3/4 health afternoon**

Wednesday 10th July—Sports day at GMH park

Wednesday 17th July—Tate Modern Y3 project; Y6 production and graduation 7pm

Friday 19th July—Last day of term

Dear Parents.

Year 4 playwrights:

Year 4 have finished working with a professional playwright. With her help they wrote their own short plays which they went to see performed onstage at Southwark Playhouse by professional actors yesterday. The aim of the project was to support the children's literacy and creativity skills and give them a sense of achievement. The children really enjoyed seeing their work performed.

Ballet Rambert:

Children throughout KS2 performed at Ballet Rambert yesterday. They reinterpreted an existing piece from the Rambert repertoire. It was an exciting and creative performance. Look out for some photos on our website.

Jump Start Johnny:

Jump start Johnny activity has had to take a break this week as the projector in the hall is awaiting a lamp replacement. Normal service will resume next week.

New building:

The builders are making good progress with our new building. The scaffolding is now down and the crane is being taken away this weekend. We are on track to be able to take occupancy from September.

Bank holiday:

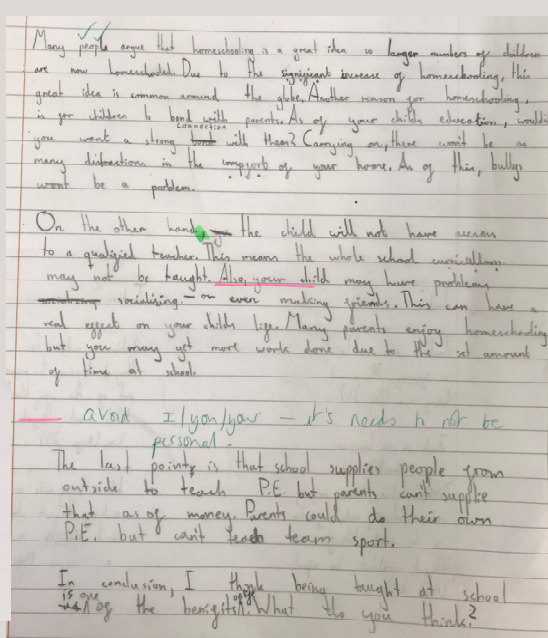
Please don't forget, school will not be open on Monday as it is a bank holiday. Enjoy the long weekend!

Children's learning at Friars:

In assembly yesterday, Year 5 shared all the work they did around the book "Wonder" last term. The main character is home schooled so the children wrote well considered arguments about the pros and cons of home schooling.

L.O: To be able to use paragraphs effectively

- use planning sheet
- know that each paragraph should have a purpose
- use word banks to choose effective openers
- avoid 'I'
- use formal language
- use several sentences for each paragraph



Growth mindset thought for the week:



The Power of Yet

①
"I DON'T GET IT."
"I CAN'T DO THIS."
"THIS DOESN'T WORK."

②
TAKE A DEEP BREATH. GO FOR A SHORT STROLL. THEN ADD "YET" TO THE END OF YOUR SENTENCE.

③
AS IN:
"I DON'T GET IT...yet."
"I CAN'T DO THIS...yet."
"THIS DOESN'T WORK...yet."

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Have a lovely weekend!

Yours sincerely,

J. Burtt, Headteacher

Commitment to keeping children safe:

Paper copies of our safeguarding policy are available for parents from the school office. It is also posted on the policies section of the website.



EYFS/KS1

Year One

Ryan

for fantastic independent writing describing how a character feels in Literacy.

Well Done!



KS2

Year Three

Freddie

for showing patience and understanding when facing a difficult social situation.

Well Done!



Assembly theme / next week
Ramadan



	Class	ATTENDANCE
1st	4	98.35%
2nd	2	96.43%
3rd	R	95.94%
4th	3	95.56%
5th	5	95.44%
6th	6	95.8%
7th	1	93.88%



	Class	ON TIME
1st	4	100%
2nd	5	98.86%
3rd	6	98.85%
4th	1	97.96%
5th	2	96.79%
6th	3	96.44%
7th	R	94.83%