



New City Primary School

Newsletter

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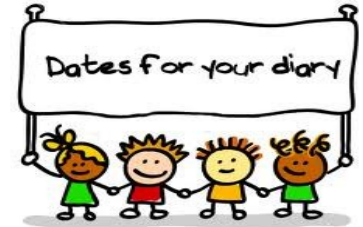
This Weeks Star Bakers!



This week our Year 2 classes became star bakers and were very lucky as they had a baker come into their classes to teach them how to make bread. They learnt about how bread is made and the different types of bread from around the world. The children also had a brief history lesson and learnt about how bread was made in the past and how the techniques of making it in the present day is almost the same. The children particularly enjoyed exploring the textures of the different ingredients needed to make bread.

The children then made their own bread by mixing up all the ingredients and had lots of fun kneading their bread together. It was very tiring but a good workout making bread!

The children then shaped their bread into different shapes and baked them. The children took their bread home and I am sure everyone enjoyed it!



Important dates

Spring Term 2018

January 16th and 17th-Yr 3 Rock Work shops.

January 15th-18th-Yr 1 Visit to the Discovery Centre

29th January-2nd February-Assessment week.

9th February-Break up for half term.

12th-16th February-Half Term

19th February-Back to school.

5th-7th March-Year 5 taking part in IntoUniversity

19th and 22nd March-Parents evening.

27th March-End of term shows for parents.

29th March-Last day of term.

Please note all information regarding dates, policies and the curriculum can be found on our website at www.newcity.newham.sch.uk

Clubs

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Library after school for all children 3:30 - 4:30 N Archer	Homework Club KS1 in the library 12:30 - 1:00 N Archer	KS2 Library 12:30 - 1:00 N Archer	Library KS2 12:30 - 1:00 N Archer	Cooking Club - selected pupils 12:30 - 1:15 H Ahmed
Library for Y2 12:30 - 1:00 N Archer	Homework Club KS2 3:30 - 4:30 A Dolan and T E <u>lu</u>	KS2 Lego 3:30 - 4:30 (30 max) N Archer and T E <u>lu</u>	Board Games club for KS2 12:45 - 1:15 A. Dolan	Library KS2 12:30 - 1:00 N Archer
	Boys football club (football team) 3:30 - 4:30 P Archer	Girls Football Club 3:30 - 4:30 P Archer	Gymnastics Y3/4 3:30 - 4:15 (14 max) Natasha	
	Lego Club KS1 3:30 - 4:30 (30 max) N Archer and A Kent		Lego Club KS1 3:30 - 4:30 (30 max) N Archer and <u>Ms T</u>	
	TAG Rugby KS2 3:30 - 4:30 K Burton		Choir 3:30 - 4:30 Aaron Nice	
	Textiles 3:30 - 4:30 - T Hicks			
	Flute - identified children 3:30 - 4:30			

We are developing a range of clubs during lunchtime and after school. Clubs are offered to children on a first come basis. If children do not attend the clubs then their place will be offered to another child as places in the clubs are very popular. Ms Archer has worked very hard to develop the clubs.

If you have any queries please do speak to Ms Archer or Helen at reception.

Year Reception to the rescue!



This week has been Super hero week in our reception classes. The children have been reading and enjoying the story 'Supertato.' Supertato tells the story of the evil Mr Pea who is defrosted in a local supermarket and sets about kidnapping all of the other vegetables. Luckily Supertato is here to the rescue and saves all of his friends. The children have been writing wanted posters, learning about healthy and unhealthy foods and even made their own Super heroes. Keep an eye out to see what our reception children get up to next!



Star Of the Week



1M—DIAMOND 1S-SHEHER 1 SH-ARSHIA

2F-AAYAN 2J-NAZRI 2P-SIMRAH

3P-AYESHA 3B-ZAINAB 3G-KAYLAN

4B-RAYHAN 4S-VICTORIA 4W-BRYAN

5F-RAHIM

5B-GABRIELLA

5K-FLORIN

6A-NIHA

6H-ISLA

6P-SARAH



Being a Member of the Student Council.

At New City we have 2 Student Council representatives from each class from Y2 upwards. The Student Council meets once a week to discuss developments in the school and how they can help the school further. Recently we interviewed a Student Councillor and here are the responses:

What do you enjoy about being a student councillor?

I enjoy everything!! The meetings, listening in the meetings and being involved in conversations

I enjoy giving suggestions from my class and helping people

What impact do you think your role has on the school?

We can help other children and give advice to them , this makes the school a better happier place

We can listen to other children's views and report back to the council and to our leader to help with any changes

What positive changes have you seen in school?

The school is a calmer happier place for students and teachers

There is less fighting at lunch times

Children feel that they have us to talk to and listen to them too.

Next week we will tell you about our Y6 Peer Mentors



Times tables



At New City we believe that learning times tables is very important for our children, as it not only helps them improve their fluency when doing calculations, but it also increases their confidence when doing all aspects of maths. Therefore, we award our children with Bronze, Silver and Gold badges and certificates to celebrate their achievements when learning their times tables. In order to earn the different badges children need to:

Bronze: Know their 1,2,3,5 and 10 times tables in order fluently

Silver: Know all their times tables (up to 12x12) in order fluently

Gold: Be able to recall any times tables, in any order, as well as know their division facts

We encourage you to help your children learn their times tables at home, as it is a life long skills that we use everyday. Your child's teacher will be testing them at school regularly and children will be made aware of which times tables they need to learn. Thank you for your continued support.

Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Choice	Baked Sausages with Mashed Potatoes	Pasta Bolognese bake and garlic sauce	Roast Turkey and Yorkshire pudding with roast potatoes	Glazed BBQ chicken and herby diced potatoes	Fish in Batter with Jacket Wedges
Vegetarian Choice	Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans	Veggie Burger in a bun with Salad	Quorn and Sweet Potato Curry with Rice	Vegetarian Pasta Bake	Warming Winter Crumble with Jacket Wedges
Vegetable Selection	Fresh Cauliflower and Mixed Vegetables	Mini Corn Cobbett and Fresh Roast Peppers	Organic Carrot and Garden Peas	Sweetcorn and Broccoli	Garden Peas and Baked Beans
Dessert	Fruit Smoothie	Peach Melba Sponge Slice with Custard	Apple Pear and Crumble with Custard	Cornflake Cracknel	Yoghurt Ice Cream with Fruit