

NC News

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Attendance and Punctuality:23-27th May

Once again, congratulations to Class 3, our attendance winners for the week before the half term holiday. We know that the evidence shows that children who have good attendance form lifelong habits and are able to make the most of our social, emotional and academic curriculum.

Rec	86
C1	94
C2	89
C3	97
C4	89
C5	87
C6	92
Overall	90

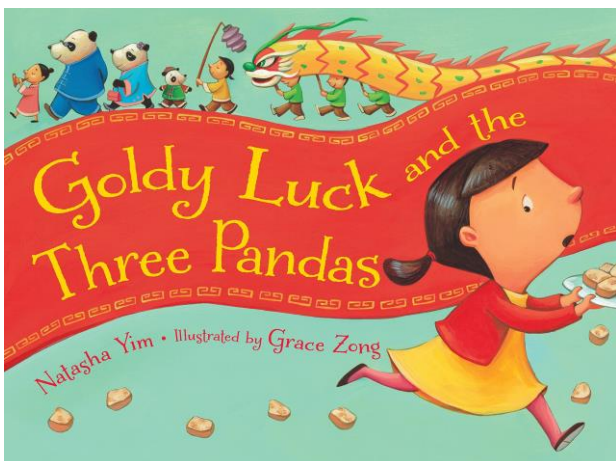
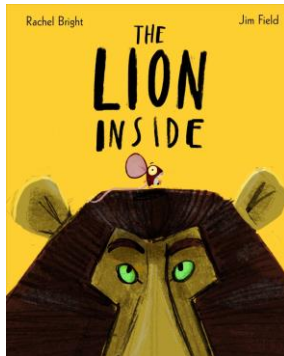
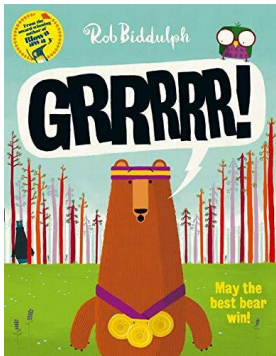
Our Shared Values Trust

*honesty, integrity, freedom,
simplicity and fairness*



In assemblies this week, we reflected on our shared value of trust. We enjoyed listening to several stories and considered the following questions:

What does integrity mean?
Why is it an important quality?



Green for Grenfell

On **Tuesday 14th June**, children and staff are welcome to wear green for Grenfell as a mark of remembrance.



School Dress Code

As we start the final half term of this year, we would like to remind all children, parents and carers that we expect children to follow our dress code.



In September, to exemplify our shared value of Excellence, we will expect all children to be wearing the correct clothing including PE kits and black school shoes.

Trainers and boots are not part of our dress code and should not be worn to school.

Jewellery is not allowed (except for small stud earrings) head scarves and hair accessories should be kept to a minimum and be green, black, grey or white.

We will be looking out for excellent role models to feature in our newsletter as a visual reminder of our dress code.

Thank you for your support.

Be Safe, Be Kind, Be The Best That You Can Be Early Years and Primary Learning

Nursery have been investigating water. In our story Mr Archimedes' Bath, the water in his bath rose and fell as he and the animals got in and out. We decided to have an experiment with water and stones to see what would happen. Do you know what? The water rose as we added the stones!



Reception class had their first session with Chef Jamois this week. They grated carrots and cut peppers to make some deliciously healthy rainbow salads.

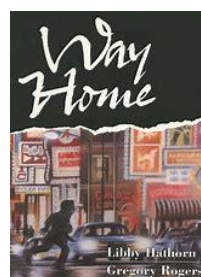
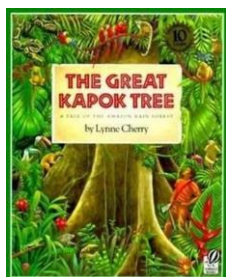
This week the children in Class 1 have been excited to start a new English text The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch. They have been learning new vocabulary in the book such as concocted.

Starting gymnastics this week was exciting. The children had a go at jumping and leaping thinking about their dismount and forward rolls.



This week in Class 2 we have been learning how to write an information text in English. This is about our science topic on plants and we have made sure we have included headings, subheading, paragraphs and used scientific vocabulary. In art, we have been learning how to design a puppet. We drew and labelled the resources we will be using to create our puppet this week, in preparation for getting started with the production of them next week!

Class 4 have been experimenting to find out which materials are good conductors of electricity and which are not and are therefore insulators. With their learning partner they set up a working circuit with a bulb. One at a time they added a different material into the circuit to see if the electricity was still able to flow through/conduct to light the bulb.



Class 5 have started their new topic this week based on the book The Great Kapok Tree. We will be learning about the Amazon Rainforest and why it is important. This week, we used atlases to find which countries have the largest rainforest coverage. Did you know that the Amazon rainforest is home to more than 2,000 different species?

Class 6 started reading the story 'Way Home'. We began to think about the important themes that run through this story which include homelessness and poverty. We are looking forward to researching a little more about homelessness in order for us to write our very own reports!

Summer 1 Diary Dates	Trust Be Safe, Be Kind, Be the Best You Can Be.
Mon 13 th June	Yr 1 & 2 PE Y3 & Y4 Multisports
Tues 14 th June	Yr 5 Urbanwise Visit Yr 5 & Y6 PE Y1 & Y2 Multisports
Wed 15 th June	Y6 Chelsea Football Club Y3 & Y4 PE Y4, 5 & 6 Dodgeball Y5 9.30 – 12.00 Hammersmith Foreshore
Thur 16 th June	Y3 Chelsea Football Club Y1 & Y4 Gymnastics Y5 Swimming Y4, 5 & Y6 Girls & boys football
Fri 17 th June	Year 6 Swimming
Mon 20 th June	Yr 1 & 2 PE Y3 & Y4 Multisports
Tues 21 st June	Yr 5 Urbanwise Visit Yr 5 & Y6 PE Y1 & Y2 Multisports
Wed 22 nd June	Y3 & Y4 am Into University Y6 Chelsea Football Club Y3 & Y4 PE Y4, 5 & 6 Dodgeball
Thur 23 rd June	Y3 Chelsea Football Club Y1 & Y4 Gymnastics Y5 Swimming Y4, 5 & Y6 Girls & boys football
Fri 24 th June	Y6 Swimming

Looking Ahead to July...

13th July Parent meetings

14th July International Day

15th Moving Up/Transition morning

19th Sports Day

20th Year 6 Performance and Pizza Party