

**New End Primary School**  
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**Newsletter No 14**  
**Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> December 2016**

### Upcoming Events

Fri, 16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Last Day of Autumn Term - 1.30pm finish
19 <sup>th</sup> Dec - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Jan	Christmas Holidays
Tues, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Jan	INSET DAY
Wed, 4 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Children return for the start of Spring Term
Fri, 6 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Star Assemblies
	Last Day for Projects to Ms Ray

### Star Assemblies

Children achieving stars received their letters this week with the special assemblies being held on Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> January 2017. (Those receiving stars for 100% attendance and perfect punctuality will get letters tomorrow.)

Congratulations to the following children who will receive their first New End Star!

Abdulsallam, Adam, Ana, Asher, Bailey, Benji, Chelsea, Dane, Daniella, Djanjo, Dorak, Ewan, Farah, Filip, Frankie, Geva, Gill, Greta, Gur, Harea, Jamie, Jumana, Leon, Lia, Lydia, Margaux, Megan, Mia, Mikayeel, Miriam, Nikita, Nina, Noar, Reece, Rokeya, Rona, Roni, Ruchi, Savva, Shanya, Tulana (R) Fatin, Geon, Nalini, Rei (Y2) Emma, Ilona (Y5)

Congratulations to Cham, Jan (Y1) Malone (Y3) Stella (Y4) Badir, Hamish, Koharu, Manal, Nathanael, Sofia (Y5) who will receive their second star!

Congratulations also to Aanya, Aaron, Alice (1D), Anna, Armina, Carolina, Emanuel, Hana, Ian, Jacob, Kayah, Marika, Max, Nathalie, Nicole, Penny, Rei, Sylvia, Taslim (Y1) Beau, Lenny (Y2) Ben (Y3) Alexander, Lyra, Zoe (Y4) who have achieved their third star!!!!

Congratulations also to Audrey, Eddie, Jesse, Ridwan (Y1) Andres, Jenson, Koki, Lyna, Matteo, Sean (Y2)

Bella-Rose (Y3) James (Y4) Lola, Maizi (Y5) Nicky (Y6) who have achieved their fourth star!!!!

**And...extra special congratulations to Clara, Lola (Y1) Alina, Anouk, Deniz, Kaia, Mand, Pepe, Ray, Ruby, Shota, Troj (Y2) Martin, Rin (Y3) Munir (Y4) Haruto (Y5) who have achieved their fifth star!!!!**

Special congratulations to Amelie, Ariela, Arthur, Chiara, Christopher, Freya, James, Krish, Maxin, Rafi, Reo, Romy, Tobias (Y2) Lyla, Zani (Y3) Stephen (Y4) Adriana, Dion (Y5) Benas, Keziah (Y6) who have achieved their sixth star!!!!

Special congratulations to Henry, Maya, Uros (Y2) Alannah, Bjord, Emma, Ethan, Maha (Y3) Alfie, Malaika, Tre (Y4) Merlin, Redha (Y5) Chloe (Y6) who have achieved their seventh star!!!!

Special congratulations to Alice, Liberta (Y2) Intisar, Reece, Zosia (Y3) Bay, Edoardo, Fabian, Kai, Laith, Rayyan (Y4) Lira, Noah (Y5) who have achieved their eighth star!!!!

Special congratulations to Sameen (Y3) Leo, Vicente (Y4) Ivan, Lily, Maria, Milo, Petal, Reuben, Tiarni, Ziggy (Y5) who have achieved their ninth star!!!!

**And... extra special congratulations to Percy, William (Y4) Alec, Callum, Ella, Gabriel (Y5) who have achieved their tenth star and trophy!!!!**

Special congratulations to Claire, Tyler (Y4) Alfie, Amina, Ibrahim, Leila, Marc, Stella (Y5) Vita (Y6) who have achieved their eleventh star!!!!

Special congratulations to Mia (Y5) Cynthia, Mila, Tanis (Y6) who have achieved their twelfth star!!!!

Special congratulations to Elsa (Y5) Daisy, Emma L, Luca, Ryan H (Y6) who have achieved their thirteenth star!!!!

Special congratulations to Adonis, Dion, James, Lisa, Lukas (Y6) who have achieved their fourteenth star!!!!

**And... extra special congratulations to Amalia, Georgie, Madison, Oscar (Y6) who have achieved their fifteenth star and trophy!!!!**

Special congratulations to Adrian, Bella, Brinda (Y6) who have achieved their sixteenth star!!!!

Special congratulations to Dominic (Y5) Brinda, Emma T, Linus, Lucy (Y6) who have achieved their seventeenth star!!!!

Special congratulations to Lucy (Y6) who has achieved her eighteenth star!!!!

Special congratulations to Tilly (Y6) who has achieved her nineteenth star!!!!

The wonderful children receiving 100% attendance and perfect punctuality awards will be named in the first newsletter in January 2017.

Certificates will be handed out in assemblies on **Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> January**. Four assemblies will be held;

**Star Assembly for children receiving an Attendance / Punctuality Award - 9.15am**

**Years Five and Six at 10am**

**Years Two, Three and Four at 10.45am**

**Reception, Year One at 11.30am**

### Au Revoir

Rachel Segal starts her maternity leave from January 2017. I'm sure you will all join with me in wishing her all the best over the next weeks and months. Alan Girling and Dominique Haboo will be class teachers of 6S from the start of the Spring Term.

### Year Group Meetings

Year group meetings will provide parents with information about the areas of learning being covered during the term. All meetings will start at 9am in the first floor hall on the following dates so please come along!

Monday, 9 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 6	Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 1
Tuesday, 10 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 5	Tuesday, 19 <sup>th</sup> January	Reception
Wednesday, 11 <sup>th</sup> January	Nursery	Wednesday, 20 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 4
Thursday, 12 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 3		
Friday, 13 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 2		

We look forward to seeing you at these meetings.

### Assisting on trips

If parents and carers are interested in accompanying their child's class on a trip, they must have a completed DBS police check. This is to ensure the safety of all the children. DBS checks take several weeks to be approved, so if you think you might be available for future trips, it is better to complete a form now. Forms are available from the school office and include details of the evidence you need to provide to complete the check.

### Letter-join

A reminder of log in details for Letter-join is included on the back of this newsletter. This programme can be accessed on computers or mobile devices and allows children to practise their handwriting using the school's agreed letter formations. NESA funded Letter-join for children to use at home and at school - so please take advantage of a wonderful programme.

### Contact details: Have you moved home or changed your telephone number?

We continue to find that we are unable to contact some parents during the day because they have moved, changed their mobile phone number or no longer have a land line. It is vitally important that we are able to contact you during the day. Some-times children become unwell and they need to get home and be looked after by their parents and carers. We have also been unable to contact parents when their children have been absent. We have a policy of contacting parents on the first day of absence unless they have contacted us. In fact, we prefer you to contact us and let us know if your child is unable to attend school because of illness. Just ring the school on 020 7431 0961 and choose Option 1 and tell us your child's name, class and the nature of their illness.

### End of School Days


Parents and carers are reminded that the school should be clear about who is collecting your child if it is not yourself. Where possible, please ensure that the class teacher or teaching assistant is told in the morning if your child is going home with another parent or relative. If a late arrangement is made, please contact the school office before 3pm to ensure that a message is passed on. **If no message has been received, we will not allow the child to go with another adult until we have spoken to their parent.**



Parents and carers are also reminded that if they have a concern about any incident that may have happened throughout the school day, they should speak to their child's class teacher. Parents should not speak directly to other parents and certainly not to children.

Thank you for your ongoing co-operation.

## Celebrating Attendance and Punctuality

Here is last week's attendance and punctuality for all classes from Reception to Year 6.

	Attendance	Unauthorised Absence	No of Lates (no of chn)
RM	94.80%	2.80%	4 (3)
RS	92.50%	0.42%	7 (5)
1D	97.00%	2.67%	2 (2)
1K	88.97%	0.69%	1 (1)
2E	91.54%	0.77%	0 
2N	96.54%	0.77%	14 (9)

	Attendance	Unauthorised Absence	No of Lates (no of chn)
3C	93.21%	0.71%	5 (5)
3P	91.07%	0.71%	3 (2)
4T	93.10%	0.69%	2 (1)
4W	89.31%	2.76%	1 (1)
5H	95.71%	1.43%	7 (4)
5W	91.87%	0% 	2 (2)
6J	91.00%	3.00%	6 (4)
6S	88.59%	0% 	2 (2)

Attendance across the school the week before half term was 92.47%, with an unauthorised absence level of 1.27%. Attendance to date this year is 95.21%, with an unauthorised absence level of 0.66%. Parents and carers are reminded that any absence from school is considered an absence on your child's record.

There were 56 lates last week (10 less than last week) involving 40 children throughout the school (14 less than last week).

### 2016-2017 Dates for your Diary

Wed, 1 <sup>st</sup> February	Governing Body Meeting
13 <sup>th</sup> - 17 <sup>th</sup> February	Half Term
Tues, 21 <sup>st</sup> February	CSSA Football Playoffs
Fri, 24 <sup>th</sup> February	Star Assemblies
Tues, 28 <sup>th</sup> February	CSSA Football Finals
Fri, 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Last Day of Spring Term
1 <sup>st</sup> April - 17 <sup>th</sup> April	Holidays
Tues, 18 <sup>th</sup> April	Children return for the start of the Summer Term
Thurs, 20 <sup>th</sup> April	CSSA Swimming Gala
Fri, 21 <sup>st</sup> April	Star Assemblies
May	KS1 (Y2) Testing Period
Mon, 1 <sup>st</sup> May	School Closed - Bank Holiday
Thurs, 4 <sup>th</sup> May	School Closed - INSET Day / Polling Day
Mon, 8 <sup>th</sup> - Fri 12 <sup>th</sup> May	KS 2 / Year 6 SATs
Tues, 9 <sup>th</sup> May	CSSA Y3/4 Football
Wed, 10 <sup>th</sup> May	CSSA Y3/4 Football
Wed, 10 <sup>th</sup> May	Governing Body Meeting

### Camden Football League News

Congratulations to our football teams in getting back to winning ways in the latest games in the Camden league. The boys beat Kingsgate School 2-0 and Gospel Oak School 3-0. The girls beat Kingsgate 3-1 and Gospel Oak 2-1. The record for the boys is now, played 7, won 4, drawn 2 and lost 1. For the girls, it is, won 5, drawn 2 and lost 0. Both teams are in a good position to reach the league finals in March, with only 3 more league games to play after Christmas. Thanks to Vinny Ivanov for managing the boys team and Tom Buzzard for organising the girls team. Thanks also to Amanda Connor in the office and teaching assistant Pete Davis for their help with admin for all the football games this term. It is much appreciated. I am hoping to be back to help out with the football at the start of next term. **Steve Buzzard**

### House Point Competition

Well done to all the children who worked so hard to gain valuable house points this week. Congratulations to **Burgh** who were last week's well deserved winners. Well done to everyone who gained house badges this week!

### And Finally

*Thanks for a great first term.*

*Enjoy the festive season! Happy Christmas! Happy New Year!*

*See you in 2017.*

Karyn Ray Headteacher

**P.S. School closes at 1.30pm tomorrow.**