

New End Primary School
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Upcoming Events

Mon, 6th 2N Class Assembly
Sun, 12th NESAs Film Afternoon

World Book Day

Thank you to everyone for entering into the theme of Book Week today and wearing their party clothes. We are all looking forward to the cake sale this afternoon as well as finding out who has won the raffle. Last minute raffle tickets can be picked up from the playground this afternoon straight after school with the draw taking place at 4pm.

Safeguarding Children

Everyone in the education service shares an objective to help keep children and young people safe by contributing to: *providing a safe environment, identifying children and young people who are suffering or likely to suffer significant harm and taking appropriate action.*

To ensure our safe environment, we always ask parents and visitors to take a visitor badge when coming into the school throughout the school day when the children are in classes.

At any time you may be concerned about information which suggests a child is being neglected or experiencing physical, emotional or sexual harm. You may observe physical signs, notice changes in the child's behaviour or presentation, pick up signs of emotional distress or have a child disclose a harmful experience to you.

Harm to a child can be caused by

- A parent/carer
- A family member/friend
- Another child
- A stranger
- A member of staff/volunteer

If you have any concerns about the welfare of any child at New End, please speak to the Designated Safeguarding Leads:

- Karyn Ray (Headteacher)
- Alan Girling (Deputy Headteacher)
- Maria Fay (EYFS Leader)

If you feel unable to speak to the Designated Safeguarding Leads or you feel that your concern is not being taken seriously you may make a referral yourself by calling Camden Social Services 020 7974 4094.

Promoting British Values

In 2011, the government defined British Values as **democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty, mutual respect and tolerance of different faiths and beliefs.** We promote these values through our own school values, curriculum and enrichment activities. Over the next five weeks we will be sharing how we promote each of these areas.

The second is the rule of law. We promote the rule of law at New End by:

- We have high expectations about pupil conduct and this is reflected in our Behaviour Policy. There are rewards for exhibiting good and caring behaviour and consistent demonstration of our values is recognised through certificates and New End Stars.
- Through our school assemblies, circle time and PSHE children are taught how to earn trust and respect and are supported to develop a strong sense of morality; knowing right from wrong and doing the right thing even when it's difficult.
- Children are taught about the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child and learn to respect their rights and the rights of others.
- The school has agreed school rules and classes have either rules or class charters.





Next week...individual liberty!







Cricket Team reach London semi-finals

Our mixed cricket team recently competed in the British Land London Indoor tournament and progressed as far as the semi-final stage. In the first round, the team topped their group, winning all three games at Lords Indoor School, against Gillespie (Islington), Pakeman (Islington) and Laycock (Islington). In the semi-finals, played at a sports centre in Whitechapel, we were up against last year's all-London winners Elmhurst (Newham), and William Patten (Hackney) in our group. In our first game against Elmhurst, the team performed very creditably, losing narrowly by 81-62. In the second game, we beat William Patten, overtaking their score of 70 with three balls to spare. We lost to Elmhurst again, and so it was down to our last game against William Patten to see if we could reach the finals. We competed very well, but came up a bit short, losing by 51-34. Winning this game would have put us in the top 8 teams in this London-wide competition. Well done to Linus, Lucas, Mujtaba, Daniel, Maurice, Bella, Teida, Izzie, Tilly (all Y6), Dominic (Y5) and Alfie (Y4). Several members of the team have only just started playing cricket, so it was a very good effort to get as far as we did. **Steve Buzzard**

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	94.07%	0.37%	3 (3)
RS	90.37%	3.7%	3 (2)
1D	93.33%	0% 	3 (3)
1K	96.67%	0% 	3 (2)
2E	99.26%	0% 	1 (1)
2N	98.21%	0% 	8 (5)

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3C	97.59%	0% 	6 (5)
3P	98.62%	0% 	2 (2)
4T	97.00%	1.0%	6 (3)
4W	93.00%	0% 	6 (5)
5H	98.57%	0% 	8 (4)
5W	97.59%	0.34 %	5 (5)
6J	96.33%	0% 	7 (3)
6S	90.00%	0% 	4 (3)

Attendance across the school the week before half term was 95.75%, with an unauthorised absence level of 0.37%. Attendance to date this academic year is 94.37%, with an unauthorised absence level of 0.42%. Parents and carers are reminded that any absence from school is considered an absence on your child's record. There were 65 lates last week (20 more than last week) involving 46 children (10 more than last week) throughout the school.

2016-2017 Dates for your Diary

Mon, 13 th March	RM Class Assembly
Sat, 18 th March	NESA Quiz Night
Mon, 20 th March	4W Class Assembly
Fri, 24 th March	Red Nose Day New End Bake Sale
Mon, 27 th March	3C Class Assembly
Fri, 31 st March	Last Day of Spring Term

House Point Competition

Congratulations to **Kenwood** who won last week's house competition. Well done to all those children who received a house badge last week. Keep up your efforts everyone to help your team!

And Finally

Please remember that parents and carers should not be accompanying children to their classrooms or cloakrooms in the morning. If classes have already left the playgrounds, late children should come in through the front door to access their classrooms. Thank you for your on-going cooperation.

Karyn Ray Headteacher