

Quote of the week: ‘Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire.’ WB Yeats



Save the bees! Y3's unbelievable assembly.



Getting ready for the International Summer Fair



Mrs Caesar's baby Evelyn at Roots of Empathy with Y5



Amazing country display boards for the the International Summer Fair

Monday	
Tuesday	Y4 Architecture workshop; Y2 Class Assembly 2.50pm
Wednesday	Mother Tongue Arabic stress workshop; Y7 Transition workshop
Thursday	Parent chat 9am; Parent Gym; MyBnk Y5 Y6 trip to Houses of Parliament;
Friday	School finishes at 2.15pm;

International Summer Fair: Wonderful Afternoon

Many thanks to all the staff, especially Ms Van Vliet, parents and community who helped to make the Summer Fair so wonderful. The food, art, music, performances and activities were a great celebration of our vibrant school community. Photos next week.

Roots of Empathy official visit this week

'Roots of Empathy' Class in Year 5 have had some special visitors observing the lesson this week. Mary Gordon, the Founder of the 'Roots of Empathy' programme flew in from Canada to see our class. Also observing the lesson were Marta Zaraska, a science writer, and Carey Oppenheim, the co-director at the Institute for Public Policy Research and Number 10 policy advisor. CNN filmed the lesson and interviewed some of our children regarding their thoughts on their year with the programme.

Y6 End of Year Production: Mary Poppins- July 5th and 6th

The rehearsals are going well, the children know their lines, the set is being built, the press is a-buzz with excitement. This promises to be a smash hit. Please make sure you don't miss it! There will be two performances:

Thursday 5th July 2pm all welcome

Friday 6th July 2.45pm Yr6 friends and family only

Understanding Stress- 27th June, 9-10.30am

A free session to help with managing stress, with English and Arabic facilitators, brought to you by Mother Tongue

Monday Parents' Walking Club

The group meets every Monday 9am to walk to Battersea Park. All welcome- meet outside the school office.

After School Fun: Tuesdays, 3:30pm- 4:30pm

The playground is now open for after school fun EVERY Tuesday, weather permitting. Welcome to pupils of all years, with their grown-ups. £1 contribution.

Education News: VAR not permitted at sports days

Pushy parents must stop using smartphone "video evidence" to challenge sports day results, a head teacher has warned. <https://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/2018/06/13/pushy-parents-told-stop-using-smartphone-video-evidence-challenge/>

Staff Training

This week the staff had training on meaningful interactions



No Stars of the Week- International Summer Fair!