



## Attendance, Attention and Achievement

### Weekly Newsletter

**Date: 11th June 2021**

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have come to the beginning of our final half term where we hope the weather will be much improved. We were very lucky to have had such glorious weather during the half term break which enabled us to enjoy the outdoors more; this can improve our own mental health and wellbeing..

As the weather is now much warmer, we would like to remind you that:

- pupils should bring a water bottle to school (which can be filled up during the day);
- sun cream is applied before coming to school to stop pupils' skin from getting burnt in the sun;
- pupils may wear a sun hat to school to keep their heads cooler;
- girls may wish to wear one of the light cotton, blue checked, summer school dresses.



### **Year 6 Virtual Session on Safe and Sustainable Travel with TfL**

Year 6 had a brilliant presentation from William Wybrew of Transport For London (TfL) on Wednesday 9th June. It was a lively and interactive session which engaged both the pupils and their teachers.

TfL presented clear and detailed information about the different types of transport systems currently under their auspices as well as planned modes of intra-city commuting for children and adults in the future. The children were informed about the different types of travel cards, at their disposal, including their associated rights and responsibilities. Cardinal issues relating to safety at bus stops, train stations and travelling were well defined and identified by the children; our children are well informed. They showcased the need for awareness and importance of respect for bus drivers, the elderly and physically challenged passengers and what to do if pupils witness crime or any form of antisocial behaviour on buses and or trains. William also spoke about one of the most important environmental issues close to every child's heart in Essex Primary School – air pollution. It was our children's turn to educate him. Year 6 did very well. We salute them.

### **Rights Respecting School Assembly Launch**



On Wednesday 9th June 2021, the Essex Primary School Ambassadors led an assembly they had created to inform all pupils in Essex Primary School about what we are doing to become a Rights Respecting School.

We have linked up with a school in Scotland - Arkleston Primary School, who are already a Gold Rights Respecting School. They have given us lots of ideas and advice. They also sent us a powerpoint to inspire us, including a quiz at the end. Every child had at least written

2-3 slides answering an important question or including an important statement. The Essex Primary School Ambassadors worked very hard to create the assembly to spread the word of children rights. We hoped that organising and conducting the assembly would make our school an even better Rights Respecting School. At the moment we are on bronze which is amazing knowing that we are just starting!

In the assembly we introduced some logos and had everybody typing in the chat guessing them to get started. The aim of the United Nations is to promote **tolerance, friendship** and **peace** in our world and that is what Essex Primary wants everyone to have. We have to remember that **rights are what a person needs, not just what they want** and we all need to realise that. The UNCRC (United Nations Convention of the Rights of Children) consists of 54 articles that set out children's rights and how governments should work together to make them available to all children. But to enjoy these rights, we all have to accept responsibilities. There are some places in the world where children's rights are not respected. Martin Luther King (a rights respecting hero!) had a dream. He had a dream that one day his children will live in a better and a fairer world. Why? Because every child in the world has one thing in common. Their rights.

You must be wondering what the UN is and how they help. Well, The United Nation is an international organisation with its headquarters in New York. They help by working to provide stability and security, support elections, help refugees return to their home country, promote human rights and rule of law. Their goals are to end poverty, endless hunger for anyone and education of course. The UN also helps by trying to keep the world safe. Two of the most asked questions are 'what are rights? Why are they important?'. Rights are what everyone should have, regardless of where they live in the world. They allow us to use our voice to spread the word about a situation happening in the world and it should make an impact.

Some important right are:

- having a roof over our heads;
- food and clean water to drink from;
- we should be allowed to use our voice and it should make an impact no matter the age;
- the right to an education;
- to be able to have a religion and be allowed to have your own beliefs;
- the right to be looked after.

Rights are important because they benefit us in many ways and if we don't have them it can lead to not having simple things to enable everyone, especially children, to survive. ***Article written by Sara Yasmin (6R)***

From now on we will be sharing a relevant "article of the week" to highlight a specific right on our newsletter.

### **Sports Day**

Our whole school sports day will be on Friday 25th June 2021. Each class will represent a different country. Each country will wear a different colour of PE kit to represent their country. Pupils will come to school already dressed in their PE kit on this day. Please see the table below of the country/colour of PE kit your child will need to wear to school on that day. England (red), Ireland (green), Italy (blue) and Brazil (yellow)

England	Ireland	Italy	Brazil
NK am	NA am	NK pm	NA pm
RA	RM	RS	RT
1J	1B	1A	1N

2A	2R	2N	2K
3B	3H	3M	3A
4A	4P	4I	4M
5B	5A	5S	5P
6R	6Q	6H	6I

### Times Tables



Next week it will be the Times Tables Rockstars competition and the Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check.

Make sure you keep practicing hard so that all pupils can quickly and accurately recall their times tables. Use the weekend to fine tune your skills. Let's see if Essex Primary pupils, from all over the school, can logon to Times Tables Rockstars and improve their performance and times table knowledge.

<https://trockstars.com/>

### Stay settled in Newham - EU Settlement Scheme (EUSS):

EU citizens and family members must apply to the EU Settlement Scheme (EUSS) by 30th June 2021 to secure their right to continue living and working in the UK.

Children must also apply to the scheme if they were born in the UK but do not have British citizenship. Many EU citizen parents have not yet applied on behalf of their children, and it is vital to support families to secure their child's immigration status.

Newham Council is working with community organisations through the "Stay Settled in Newham" consortium to reach out to EU citizens and provide free help with applications. This support will no longer be available after June, and schools must act now to take advantage of the offer.

Children account for a high proportion of current applications, so advisers are able to offer specialist support to families.

**Contact details for the "Stay Settled in Newham" helpline:**

**EUSS Bilingual Helpline: 0808 196 3510**

**EUSS Support E-mail: [staysettledinnewham@gmail.com](mailto:staysettledinnewham@gmail.com)**

**Website: <https://www.renewalprogramme.org.uk/News/stay-settled>**

## Walk to School

**This week's results:**

Classes with highest percentage walking:		Classes that have been the most active:	
1st	2K, 2A, 4P	1st	2A
2nd	1A, 5B, 6R, 6I	2nd	3H
3rd	RS, 2R	3rd	1N



To Earn Badges, walk to school everyday!

## Attendance Matters!



**Every Student, Every School, Every day**

Here is our attendance chart. Thank you to all the parents who have sent their children to school during this time. Sending your child to school plays a vital role in your child's development.

Class	%	Class	%	Class	%	Class	%
NKam	88.8	1A	89.0	3A	99.3	5B	96.9
NAam	94.4	1N	93.0	3B	90.0	5A	99.3
NKpm	97.2	1B	94.8	3H	97.8	5P	95.0
NApm	82.1	1J	98.6	3M	94.8	5S	95.3
RA	93.6	2A	97.3	4A	97.7	6H	98.6
RM	94.3	2R	99.3	4I	92.0	6I	93.7
RT	94.7	2K	92.4	4M	96.6	6R	93.8
RS	92.0	2N	96.3	4P	95.5	6Q	96.1
<b>Whole School</b>		94.9%					



## Celebrating Success (KS2)

Well done to the children who have been awarded green leaves this week.

Daniyal 3H	Jordan 3B	Amaya 3A	Muntaqim 3M
Junaet 4M	Esa 4I	Ismael 4A	Mujahida 4P
Zeenat 5P	Troy 5B	Hafrah 5S	David 5A
Iqra 6I	Sara 6H	Ismaael 6R	Tia 6Q

### Star of the week (KS1)



KS1 are extremely proud of the children's achievements.

Aditya Ranjan 2R	Ayaan Khan 2N	Milad Ali 2K	Eesa Ali 2A
Khadiza Ahmed 1N	Shekh Montakim 1B	Thanvika Velmurugan 1J	Ibrahim Malik 1A

### Diary Dates

Please make a note of the dates below.

Date	Event
Monday 14th June	Whole School Assessment Week
Friday 18th June	Multiplication Tables Check Year 4
Friday 25th June	Sports Day

### School Clubs

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Before School Club</b> <u>8:00-8:45</u> Year 1: Sports Hall Athletics Year 5: Handball  <b>After School Club</b> <u>3:30-4:30</u> Year 2: Athletics Year 5: Football  <u>3:30 - 4:00</u> Year 1: Reading Club  <u>3:30 - 4:30</u> Years 3, 4 & 5 : Reading Club	<b>Before School Club</b> <u>8:00-8:45</u> Year 6: Handball  <b>After School Club</b> <u>3:30-4:30</u> Year 1: Gymnastics Year 6: Football  <u>3:30 - 4:00</u> Year 1: Reading Club  <u>3:30 - 4:30</u> Years 3, 4 & 5 : Reading Club	<b>Before School Club</b> <u>8:00-8:45</u> Year 2: Gymnastics Year 3: Handball  <b>After School Club</b> <u>3:30-4:30</u> Year 2: Football Year 3: Football Year 3: Guitar Club  <u>3:30 - 4:15</u> Year 5: Debate Club  <u>3:00 - 4:00</u> Year 2: Reading Club  <u>3:00- 3:30</u> Year 4: Police Cadets  <u>3:30 - 4:30</u> Year 6: Police Cadets	<b>Before School Club</b> <u>8:00-8:45</u> Year 1: Handball Year 4: Handball  <b>After School Club</b> <u>3:15-4:15</u> Year 4: Eco Warriors  <u>3:30-4:30</u> Year 1: Gym Club Year 4: Football  <u>3:30 - 4:00</u> Year 1: Reading Club	<b>Before School Club</b> <u>8:00-8:45</u> Year 2: Athletics Year 6: Early Risers Maths Club  <b>After School Club</b> <u>3:30-4:30</u> Year 2:Handball Year 3: Netball

We wish you a safe and enjoyable weekend. Remember to: " Wash Hands, Cover Face, Make Space!"

*Mrs Cecilia Mojzes*  
Executive Head Teacher

*Mr Rick Probett*  
Chair of Governors

*Mrs Amber Ilyas*  
Associate Head Teacher