



The Sunflower

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Nativities this week - didn't they do well!

We all really enjoyed the two Early Years Nativities this week. Nursery and Reception performed so well. Have a look at some of the children just before they started their performance.



Tesco - every little shop will help Southfield!

Coming soon at a store near us. Please look out for some key information about how you can shop in Tescoes and help us improve the outdoor learning area.



Key information

End of term

Please remember that the last day of term is next Wednesday the 20th December. We finish at the normal time of 3.15 and 3.30 for the Nursery.



Lost property

Please check it at the end of the day over the next week and a half as we will clear it during the holidays.

Lettings- Children's parties

More information re hires and prices are available from the School Business Manager - Sheila McCabe. Please email smccabe3.307@lgf1mail.org

Christmas Bazaar - Elves were everywhere!

As was reported last week we had a very successful Christmas Bazaar last Friday. A special thank you to Anna Symons who led the team of SPSA volunteers.





Ready for Learning Goals

This week's ready for Learning Goal is:

I am using my learning skills.

What are they??

The EYFS Ready for Learning Goal is:

Good caring

Attendance

Thank you to everyone for coming to school every day in the week.

Well done to 6G (97.2%), 1R (98.5%) and 6R (100%). All three classes win the attendance cups this week. Overall this year our figure is **96.9%** which is good considering the amount of illness we have had recently.



School Council

Here are two more school councillors.

Hello. My name is Muwayda and I have been elected to be on the School Council for 3G. I want to help students have fun lessons so they grow up to be bright human beings. Thank you for reading this.



Hi. My name is Luke and I am a student councillor for 5S. I would like to add more grass to the playground so that people who love fake falling or hand standing have the space to do it. Finally I think that the Year 6's should continue to keep a closer eye out for others that are feeling sad or being bullied.

Dates and events

Autumn Term

Key Dates

When any new information is added it will be highlighted in red.

Monday 18th December 9am Years 1, 2 and 3 Christmas concert

Tuesday 19th December 9am Years 4, 5 and 6 Christmas concert

Wednesday 20th December Last day of term

Spring Term

Wednesday 3rd January 2018 First day of term for children

Music assemblies - what great musicians we have!



Well done to all the children across the school who played either guitar or piano in concerts this week. We heard a varied range of music from Guns and Roses through Ed Sheeran to Jingle Bells. The photos above are of Year 2 and Year 3 either performing or waiting to perform.

E safety tips

Remember!

Never give personal details away when communicating with people online.



Here are the house point totals for this week:

Gunnersbury: 4955

Chiswick: 5145

Kew: 5236

Hogarth: 4878

Well done to Kew for being the overall winner this term. They will be getting their prize on Tuesday afternoon. All house points from now on count to next term's totals.

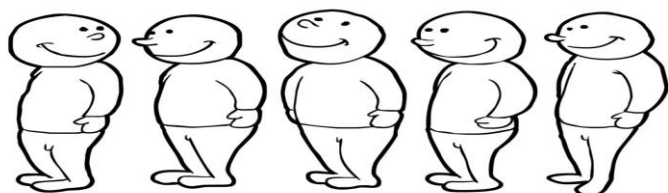
Sunflowers

Well done to the following children who received Sunflower certificates this week:
RG: Connie, Mahdi, Amira. **RR:** Yasmeen, Florence, Mateo. **1G:** Harrison, Aaron, Cairo.
1R: Jibril, Daniel, Finn. **2G:** Jake, Gulzar, Bethany. **2R:** Hala, Ijilee, Ned.
3G: Hanaan, Gabby, Mujtaba. **3R:** Ayat, Jospheh, Angel. **4G:** Shilah, Zaryab, Nickiolas.
4R: Abbie, Fred, Ebhoney.
5G: Jad, Adham, Christina. **5R:** Leyla, Doni, Hikmete. **5S:** Darrah, Ayub, Annabel.
6G: Hal, Aya, Emma, Cassien. **6S:** Alistair, Tarek. **6R:** Ahmed, Younis.



Ready for Learning

Well done to 1R and 6R for winning the Ready for Learning rewards. They are rewarded with an extra 10 minutes of playtime for lining up at the end of playtimes and lunchtimes and getting their brains quickly into learning mode.



Year 1 Maths - all very practical!



The children in 1G really enjoyed using bead string number lines to help them be successful mathematicians. It is very important that the children have concrete materials to use in practical situations. During the training day on the 2nd January all Nursery, Reception and Year 1 - 3 teachers will have training on practical maths as part of one of our school priorities. All teaching assistants will also be in the training.

Clubs corner

Look out for more information about the clubs available next term.

Cycling in the playground - Thank you for helping to improve!

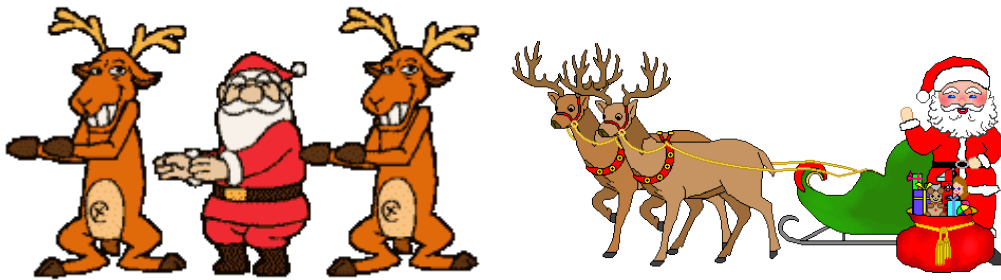
Thank you for your help with this safeguarding issue. However there are still some children and adults cycling or scootering in the playground before or after school. Please help us keep everyone safe from accidents. Thank you!

Christmas Poem

Well done to Jude Garner in 3R for writing such a great poem about Santa coming to town. The class had to use noise features and Jude definitely does that!

Santa's coming to town.
I'm surrounded by noise. Listen!
Ding! Ding! Ding!
Go the bells in the sky.
Clap! Clap! Clap!
As the reindeer fly high.
Ho! Ho! Ho!
Goes Santa as he laughs.
Bubble! Bubble! Bubble!
As someone has a bath.
ZZ! ZZ! ZZ!
Make someone as they are sleeping.
Munch! Munch! Munch!
Goes someone as they are eating.

We're surrounded by noise. Just STOP!



Academic Year 2018-19

Autumn Term

Monday 3rd September 2018 - Friday 21st December 2018

Inset Days: Monday 3rd & Tuesday 4th September 2018 (children not in school)
Children come back on Wednesday 5th September 2018

Inset Day: Friday 19th October 2018 (children not in school)

Half term: Monday 22nd October - Friday 26th October 2018

End of term: Friday 21st December 2018

Christmas Holiday: Monday 24th December 2018 - Friday 4th January 2019

Spring Term

Monday 7th January 2019 - Friday 5th April 2019
Children come back on Monday 7th January 2019

Inset Day: Friday 15th February 2019 (children not in school)

Half term: Monday 18th February - Friday 22nd February 2019

End of term: Friday 5th April 2019

Easter Holiday: Monday 8th April - Monday 22nd April 2019

Summer Term

Tuesday 23rd April - Friday 26th July 2019
Children come back on Tuesday 23rd April 2019

May Day: Monday 6th May 2019 (school closed)

Half term: Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May 2019

Inset Day: Monday 3rd June 2019 (children not in school)

Occasional days: Monday 24th - Wednesday 26th July 2019 (school closed)

Children and staff will finish on Tuesday 23rd July 2019