

John Keats
Primary School

JK News

Friday 22nd March '24



Dear Parents/Carers,

The children have had a wonderful time today at their cinema trip seeing the film Migration at Peckham Plex, celebrating the collection of their value stickers throughout the term for children in KS2. We never want children in KS1 to miss out so that is the reason that Years 1 and 2 joined the trip today. The children taking part in the LAMDA exams performed their poems to the rest of the school and their parents on Thursday. We wish all of our children the best of luck for their exams next week, although we know they won't need it as they are all doing brilliantly! Thanks to Miss Naomi for all of her work in getting the children ready for this. We look forward to the last week of this term which will culminate with the Spring Fair on Thursday 28th March. We are trialing doing this on the last day of term, during school time and we welcome feedback on this after the event. On Thursday, please feel free to take your child home as soon as you attend the Fair: this could be as early as 10:30am or as late as 1:00pm. Please be aware that there is no after school club that day. We wish you a wonderful weekend and we look forward to seeing you on Monday at 8:45am.

Matt Rose
Head Teacher

Nursery “



Nursery are reading 'Six Little Chicks'. We are learning about the lifecycle of a chicken and how it is the same/different from the lifecycle of a butterfly. We have also been doing a lot of counting practice of chicks and eggs.

Next week we will be learning about the festival of Easter and doing lots of fun craft activities for this.

Reception have had a great week! We have continued learning about the Little Red Hen and learned where bread comes from, tasted different kinds of bread and even made our own bread! In maths we have been recapping our number pairs to 10 and looking at subtraction. In phonics we have been consolidating our phase 2-4 sounds.

Next week we will be having a bake sale on Tuesday at pick up. Please bring some change!

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Reception



Year 1



Year 1 have had a lovely week! In Science we have been looking at common flowers and talked about the flowers we see around our homes. In Maths we have been looking at mass and capacity, recognising when something is taller, shorter, heavier or lighter. In English we have been planning our big write for The Secret Sky Garden which we will be writing next week. Next Thursday morning Year 1 will be presenting their home learning projects to the classes. Please bring in your home learning projects throughout the week. On Wednesday children will be sent home with the sunflowers that we have been growing in class over the past 6 weeks.

Spring fair, home learning projects and world maths day!

Year 2 have had an amazing week and we've nearly finished our project! This week we completed our art where we printed onto bags which we are sending to a school in Australia. In Science we used the internet to research living things that live in the Great Barrier Reef. We really enjoyed our trip to the cinema to see Migration today! The Spring Fair will be on Thursday before we break up for the Easter break.

Next week: we will learn all about Steve Irwin!



Year 2



Year 3



Year 3 has had an excellent week! In Maths, we explored right angles and crafted our own polygons, enhancing our understanding of right-angle shapes. We also delved into fractions, using real-life examples from the classroom and school. In English, we embarked on an exciting journey into the world of adverts, mastering persuasive linguistic devices along the way. Additionally, we thoroughly enjoyed the earthquake show, learning all about tectonic plates, volcanoes and earthquakes! On Wednesday Year 3 will be holding a sponsored silence for half an hour to raise money for the Trinidad and Tobago Red Cross. Please bring in £1 and wear something red. If the children manage to make 30 minutes of silence, Miss Robson and Miss Van Dunem will match the donation.

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This week has been another fantastic week in year 4! We have finished publishing a fact-file book on rainforests which we will be selling at the Spring fair. In maths we have completed our fractions unit and have begun to look at character descriptions, in preparation for writing our own on Chico Mendes- a rainforest warrior. In science we have created our own classification keys on animals found in the rainforest and we loved ending the week with our values trip to the cinema! Year 4 will no longer be sending spelling homework home on Fridays, instead we will be teaching and assessing spellings in school. Homework will continue to be reading and recording this in reading records every day, times table practice on TTRockstars and mathsframe and completing our independent learnign projects. If you would like times table practice sheets in addition, please see your child's teacher.

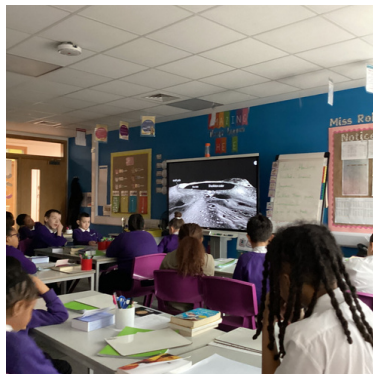
Year 4 will be fundraising to raise money for Rainforest Trust charity at the Spring Fair on Thursday. Please come along and help us by buying our brilliant fact-files! Independent learning projects are due in by Monday, we will be presenting these to the class on Tuesday!



Year 4



Year 5



This week has been a very busy week! We had a great time at the cinema watching Migration - what a super film! In English we wrote Balanced Arguments to answer the question 'Hidden Figures: Did they Impact the Space Race?' The writing in Year 5 was fantastic, with lots of children using relative clauses and parenthesis! In Maths we have been learning how to multiply unit and non unit fractions and have even learnt a technique to multiply mixed numbers. We completed an investigation in science looking at the phases of the moon. It was great to see and understand how the Earth orbits the sun and how the Moon orbits the earth! We also learnt about all 8 planets by looking at their specific features and we understood why Pluto isn't considered a planet anymore! Spring Fair is next Thursday at 10:30.

Magic Maths on Tuesday to help us celebrate World Maths Day!

Tuesday 26th March	Values Award: Cinema Trip for children that missed Friday's visit	Spring Fair
Tuesday 26th March	Maths Magic Shows	The Spring Fair will take place from 10:30 - 12:30 on Thursday 28th March.
Wednesday 27th March	LAMDA Exams	
Thursday 28th March	Spring Fair 1pm Finish for Easter Holidays collection from 10:30	Children can leave after attending the fair or at the pick up time of 1pm.
Monday 15th April	Return to school	Further details below:

Spring Fair

The Spring Fair will take place from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Thursday, 28 March.

Children are to be with their parents or carers at all times during the fair.

Children can leave at any time after attending the fair or at pick-up time of 1:00 p.m.

Bouncy Castles in the MUGA

We are mixing it up with the MUGA this year in order to keep everyone safe and enjoy the event as much as possible.

We are doing time slots:

10.30-11.00 SEND Families

11.00-11.45 EYFS and KS1 (nursery, reception, Years 1 & 2)

11.45- 12.30 KS2 (Years 3, 4 and 5)

Raffle Draw

Mr Rose will once again be pulling the raffle winners towards the end of the Fair so remember to bring your tickets with you - and you can continue buying tickets during the early part of the Fair too.

Cash Only Event

A reminder - this is a cash-only event so please bring pound coins and 50 pences, if possible. There will be limited ability to change notes so please come prepared to help us.

Menu

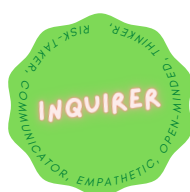
WINTER MENU

Week 3



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meat Dish	Vegetable bake	Chicken Biryani	Beef Lasagna	Chicken macaroni	Chicken nuggets
Main Vegetarian Dish	Vegetable paella	Chef's special quiche	Hearty veg & bean stew	Warm winter wraps	Vegetable nuggets
Starchy Dish	Smoked butternut squash	Steamed rice	Mashed potato	Sage & rosemary potatoes	Seasoned potato wedges
Vegetable	Seasonal vegetables	Seasonal vegetables	Seasonal vegetables	Seasonal vegetables	Seasonal vegetables
Salad	Selection of fresh salad	Selection of fresh salad	Selection of fresh salad	Selection of fresh salad	Selection of fresh salad
Bread	50/50 bread (W)	Garlic bread (W)	50/50 bread (W)	Garlic and coriander naan bread (W)	Olive and sundried bloomer (W)
Dessert	Fruit selection or cheese & biscuits (W) or fruit yoghurt (D)	Fruit selection or cheese & biscuits (W) or fruit yoghurt (D)	Special pudding of the week	Fruit selection or cheese & biscuits (W) or fruit yoghurt (D)	Fruit selection or cheese & biscuits (W) or fruit yoghurt (D)
Drink	Water	Water	Water	Water	Water

John Keats' Values Stickers



Y1

Y2

Y3

Y4

Y5

Cassie, Elham	Carter, Gennie, Ramzi, Kiana		Valentino	All of Year 1.	Valentino
	Lacey-Mae, Maryam, Valentina, Marvin, Alia		Michael, Sakinah, Destiny, Sultan	Bentley, Sakinah, Jone-Julius, George, Olivia, Joss	
Ariah	Alex, Kayne	Tamia			Whole of Green 3
		Abdul-Malik, Seigan, Rognach, Rayyan	Mara, Jake, Saliya, Zafarino, Jayko, Jack	Jake, Martina, Logan, Rognach, Abdul-Malik, Rayyan, Mason, Sharon, Mynika, Isabella, Amanda, Skylea	

Thursday 28th March
John Keats Spring Fair
Year 4
Selling factfiles on Rainforests
Today's money for Rainforest Trust charity

We are raising
money for Rainforest
Trust.





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North East Southwark

AUTISM VOICE

- 👤 Ages: 4 to 15
- 📍 Neckinger TRA Hall, 87 Spa Road, SE16 3SG
- ☎ 07460 399 290
- ✉ autismvoice1@gmail.com
www.autismvoice.org.uk

BALLERS ACADEMY

- 👤 Ages: 6 to 15
- 📍 Site 1: Peter Hills Primary School, Salter Road entrance, SE16 5ED
Site 2: Special Education Needs and Disabilities (SEND) Programme, The Dockland Settlements, 400 Salter Road, SE16 5AA
- ☎ 07400 543 210
- ✉ info@ballersacademy.co.uk
www.ballersacademy.co.uk

BALLERS ACADEMY - TEENS ONLY

- 👤 Ages: 12 to 16
- 📍 Peter Hills Primary School, Salter Road entrance, SE16 5ED
- ☎ 07400 543 210
- ✉ info@ballersacademy.co.uk
www.ballersacademy.co.uk

BIZZIE BODIES

- 👤 Ages: 4 to 16
- 📍 The Dockland Settlements, 400 Salter Road, SE16 5AA
- ☎ 07763 491 870
- ✉ infos@bizziebodies.co.uk
www.bizziebodies.co.uk

CITY HOPE CHURCH

- 👤 Ages: 12 to 16
- 📍 City Hope Church, 121 Drummond Road, SE16 2JY
- ☎ 07305 163 038
- ✉ kwame@cityhope.london
www.cityhope.london

MILLWALL COMMUNITY TRUST

- 👤 Ages: 5 to 16
- 📍 St Pauls Sports Ground, Salter Road, SE16 5EF
- ☎ 07903 245 058
- ✉ tsells@millwallcommunity.org.uk
www.millwallcommunity.org.uk

PARENT SKILLS2GO

- 👤 Ages: 4 to 11
- 📍 Lewington Community Centre, 9 Eugenia Road, SE16 2RU
- ☎ 07725 818 283
07394 662 602
- ✉ admin@parentskills2go.com
www.parentskills2go.com

RESTORATIVE JUSTICE FOR ALL (RJ4ALL)

- 👤 Ages: 10 to 16
- 📍 RJ4All Community Centre, 30 Plough Way, SE16 2LJ
- ☎ 07708 758 600
- ✉ contact@rj4all.org
www.rj4all.info/youth-clubs

TIME & TALENTS

- 👤 Ages: 6 to 11
- 📍 The Old Mortuary, St Marychurch Street, SE16 4JE
- ☎ 020 7231 7845
- ✉ info@timeandtalents.org.uk
- 🌐 www.timeandtalents.org.uk

UK LATIN COMMUNITY

- 👤 Ages: 8 to 14
- 📍 Pellier Hall, 19 Hillingdon Street, SE17 3UL
- ☎ 07491 993 524
- ✉ haf@uklatincommunity.org

ZENOCH COMMUNITY HUB

- 👤 Ages: 5 to 16
- 📍 Site 1: City of London Academy (COLA), 240 Lynton Road, SE16 5LA
Site 2: RJ4All Community Centre, 30 Plough Way, SE16 2LJ
- ☎ 07849 267 299
- ✉ zenochservices@gmail.com
- 🌐 www.zenoch.co.uk

North West Southwark

COIN STREET CENTRE TRUST

- 👤 Ages: 8 to 10
- 📍 Colombo Centre, 34-68 Colombo Street, SE1 8DP
- ☎ 020 7021 1625
- ✉ d.gibbs@coinstreet.org
- 🌐 www.coinstreet.org/community

FAST 58

- 👤 Ages: 5 to 15
- 📍 Roundhouse Hall, Cardinal Bourne Street, SE1 4EJ
- ☎ 07973 311 684
- ✉ dwalsh1503@gmail.com
- 🌐 www.fast58.org.uk

MERCATO METROPOLITANO

- 👤 Ages: 6 to 12
- 📍 42 Newington Causeway, SE1 6DR
- ☎ 07542 783 364
- ✉ serena.b@mercato-metropolitano.com
- 🌐 www.mercato-metropolitano.com

PRO TOUCH SA

- 👤 Ages: 7 to 16
- 📍 St. Saviour's & St. Olave's School New Kent Road, SE1 4AN
- ☎ 07874 872 053
- ✉ tamia@protouchsa.co.uk
- ✉ holidays@protouchsa.co.uk
- 🌐 www.protouchsa.co.uk/the-community/holiday-programmes

SPORTS COOL SOUTH LONDON

- 👤 Ages: 4 to 11
- 📍 Friars Primary School, Webber Street, SE1 0RF
- ☎ 07498 477 355
- ✉ alia@findeducation.uk
- ✉ charles@findeducation.uk
- 🌐 www.sportscool.org

SPRING COMMUNITY HUB

- 👤 Ages: 4 to 10
- 📍 South London Mission, 256 Bermondsey Street, SE1 3UJ
- ☎ 07988 138 997
- ✉ holidayclub@springcommunityhub.org.uk
- 🌐 www.cschub.co.uk

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22nd April — 20th May 2024

at John Keats Primary School
391 Rotherhithe New Road, London SE16 3FN

To book a place please contact **Cherilee Oldacre** at John Keats School
or call on **020 3955 8176** or email office@jkacademy.org.uk