



Newsletter 24 November 2017 Issue 5 News and events from Alexandra Primary

Our Value of the
Month is:

Tolerance

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK 2017

At Alexandra Primary School, we aim for all children to Aspire, Achieve and Enjoy. In order for this to happen, children and staff must feel safe to be themselves. We actively promote values of respect and equality and work to ensure that all difference and diversity is celebrated across the our school community.

This week children have been learning about bullying and how to keep themselves safe in a series of lessons and workshops. The week ended with a theatre performance from the Power of One group.

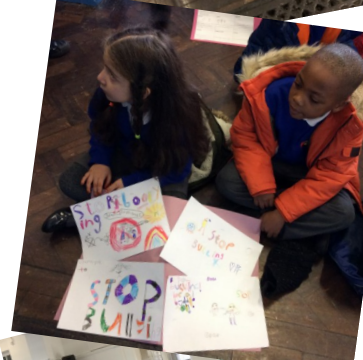
All of the children in school have signed the pledge to promise that they will report any incidence of bullying.

At Alexandra Primary School, we define bullying as being hurtful or unkind behaviour which is deliberate and repeated. Bullying can be carried out by an individual or a group of

people towards an individual or group.

The STOP acronym can be applied to define bullying – Several Times On Purpose. We are a **Telling School**, we:

See it. Stop it. Report it.



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CHILDREN IN NEED

Thank you to all our families for supporting this event by dressing in your own clothes and donating to the charity. We are sending £296 to BBC Children in Need this year.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS

A flyer is coming home today to let you know about the programme of activities to celebrate the end of the year. We are looking forward to welcoming parents to the various events, including the Winter Celebration on Tuesday, 12th December 2017 at 3.30pm. We'll give you more details closer to the time.

YEAR 6 TO THE BOOK SHOP

This week Year 6 visited The Big Green Bookshop in Wood Green to inspire their reading choices with new books and authors. As a special treat, we bought every child a book which they are very excited to start reading. Look out for the videos of children reading their book reviews on the school website.

The Big Green Book Shop enjoy supporting schools and encouraging children to read. If you buy a book from The Big Green Bookshop and tell them your child attends Alexandra Primary School, they will donate 10% of the cost of the book to our school. We will use this money to buy new books for the children. So please remember to mention our school if you visit.

ROAD SAFETY

Thank you to families that are parking away from the school and walking children into the school site. Just to confirm that the local police will be enforcing the parking regulations and are urging parents and carers not to park outside the school on the zig zag lines.

MEDICAL FORMS

Many of you will have been contacted about the care plans and forms for authorising the school welfare team to administer medication. If your child has a medical need that the school has not been made aware of or needs to take medicine during the school day, please speak to Fiona or Ade in the office as soon as possible to ensure our medical information is up to date and accurate.

ASSEMBLIES

Thank you to Bolivia class and Chile class for your wonderful assemblies. Please see our website for dates of upcoming assemblies. The table below shows the assemblies for the rest of the term. We look forward to welcoming families in to hear about the Year 1 children's learning in our last two assemblies of the year.

Best wishes,

Manjit Dulay & Michelle Ginty
Leadership Team



 Alexandra Primary Christmas Calendar 2017 	
28 th Nov- Pantomime KS2 (Chickenshed, Rapunzel)	
13 th Dec EYFS production - 9:10am	
13 th Dec- EYFS Production - 2:15pm	
14 th Dec- KS1 Nativity- 9:30am & 2:30pm	
15 th Dec - Christmas Jumper day in aid of Save the Children EYFS+KS1 Pantomime (Jack & Beanstalk) Christmas Lunch	
12 th Dec- KS2 Carol Concert - 9:15am & 2:15pm 12 th Dec- Parents Winter Celebration - 3:30pm	
18 th - Class Christmas Parties	
19 th - Class Christmas Parties 19 th - School finishes 2:00pm	

KEY DATES

**Autumn Term
2017**

Pantomime KS2
Tuesday, 28th
November 2017

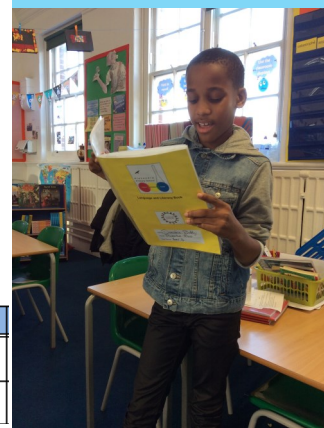
Winter
Celebration
assemblies
SEE CALENDAR

**End of term
Finish**
Tuesday, 19th
December 2017
at 2pm

School closed
for teacher
training
Weds, 20th December
Thurs, 21st December
Weds, 3rd January

**Spring Term
2018**

Return to school
Thursday, 4th



Date: W/C	Class
27 th November 2017	1 Cuba
4 th December 2017	1 Costa Rica