

Newsletter 24th September 2021 Issue 72 News, information and events from Alexandra Primary School

Our value of the month is respect

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SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

Families of children in year 6 will currently be in the process of beginning to select their child's secondary school place for September 2022. The application procedure is online and is currently live; all applications must be completed by **Sunday 31st October 2021**.

You apply for a secondary school place on line at www.eadmissions.org.uk

The Secondary Admissions Booklet can be found here.

To support families with the application process we are offering workshops in school to help you complete the application. The workshops are on:-

- Tuesday 5th October
- Tuesday 12th October
- Tuesday 19th October

They will run from 2:10 - 2:40pm. If you have any queries about the process please email the office team at admin@alexprimary.haringey.sch.uk

Included here is a link outlining the online meetings which are taking place over the coming weeks. https://www.alexandraprimaryschool.co.uk/year-6-secondary-school-application-haringey-online-meetings/

YEAR 6 SONG WRITING WORKSHOP

Children in year 6 have recently had (Espana)or will soon have (El Salvador) a fantastic opportunity to work with musical artist **Kevin Mark Trail** who is a British R&B, soul, reggae and hip hop artist.

He appeared on **The Streets** debut album **Original Pirate Material** including on the hit single, "**Let's Push Things Forward**". Espana class had the opportunity to not only create their own song in small groups but also record this in the studio. El Salvador will have this wonderful opportunity in the coming week.

This pilot project was made possible by funding from **Haringey Creates**, our cultural education partner. To find out more about Haringey Creates and what they do to support creativity in our community, get in touch with harnah.newman@haringeyeducationpartnership.co.uk

Collage Voices run weekly Saturday sessions for children and young people in creative writing, digital music, singing/ song writing, drama and physical theatre for just £2 per session. Classes are fun and relaxed and run by experienced industry professionals. No previous experience is necessary, all are welcome. Get in touch with Rocio at voices@collage-arts.org to find out more.

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SCHOOL APP

Have you downloaded OurSchoolApp yet?

The app is free and will help you to keep updated with information, news & events at Alexandra Primary. It is free from the Apple Store or Google Play.

ME MYSELF & I

Our youngest children in nursery have settled so well at the beginning of term. They have been learning through the topic, "Me, Myself & I." They have really enjoyed using the learning space both indoors and outdoors.

FELIX PROJECT

We are still working in partnership with The Felix Project who deliver food to us weekly to distribute to our families. The Felix Project can be accessed every Tuesday of term time between 2:30 and 3:00 pm underneath the shelter outside the school office.

PGL

Families of children in year 6 who are going on the PGL residential trip on Monday 11th October, are invited to an online meeting on Thursday 30th September at 4:00pm. This will be an opportunity to understand the information we require from you before departure and to outline the requirements of the trip including clothing and to share a broad outline of the week's experience for your children.

UKULELE IN YEAR 4

Year 4 have been learning to pluck and strum to great effect as they learn the ukulele this term.

BLACK POUND DAY

Alexandra Primary supports Black Pound Day. Black Pound Day is a positive campaign to make a concerted effort to increase spending and investment in black owned businesses which in turn will help to stimulate growth in the local economy.

The next Black Pound Day is Saturday 2nd October.

PARENTS EVENING

The online booking for parents evening opened this week. If you haven't done so already, please access the online portal to make the appointment to see your child's teacher online. The parents evening will be on

Thursday 21st October. starting at 1:30pm and ending at 6:30.pm.

Please note that school will close to children at 1:15 on Thursday 21st October.

SCIENCE IN CUBA

Year 1 Cuba class have been learning how to sort and classify materials according to their properties. When you see them, ask them how they sorted! Ms Corales will certainly be asking them all about it.

Manjit Dulay & John Coggin

Leadership Team











KEY DATES

Autumn Term 2021

WC 27th September National Inclusion Week

Thursday 30th September

3:30pm Parents Meeting (online) for Year 6 PGL

Friday 1st October Black History Month Launch Assembly

Thursday 7th October National Poetry Day

Monday 11th - Friday 15th October Year 6 to PGL

Thursday 21st October Parents Evening 1:30pm - 6:30pm

Friday 22nd October End of Autumn 1

Monday 25th - Friday 29th October School closed

Sunday 31st October Secondary school applications deadline

Monday 1st & Tuesday 2nd November

Wednesday 3rd November Children return to school

Thursday 4th November Individual & sibling photographs

> **Tuesday 14th** December Panto in a Day EYFS, yrs. 1 & 2

Wednesday 15th December Chicken Shed yrs. 3-6

Friday 17th December End of Term children finish at 1:30pm



