Mowlem Newsletter

17th January 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Parent Conferences

Parent conferences will be taking place in the weeks beginning 27th January and 3rd February. Letters with dates and slips to book a meeting will be coming out next week. We are looking forward to sharing children's mid-year reports, the progress they are making and discussing next steps and targets with you.

Age Ratings for Films and Games

Please make sure that you continue to check the recommended age ratings of the films, TV shows and games that your children are watching/playing. The following website offers support in ensuring that what your child is watching/playing is age appropriate: https://www.commonsensemedia.org/

Here are the recommended age ratings for film and TV by the BBFC (British Board of film Classification)

- U – Suitable for all
- PG – Parental guidance
- 12A – Cinema release suitable for 12 years and over
- 12 – Video release suitable for 12 years and over
- 15 – Suitable only for 15 years and over
- 18 – Suitable only for adults

When choosing appropriate video games for your child, you can use the age ratings to help you.

Please note the following age recommendations for these popular games.

Fortnite: age 12+

Roblox: age 7+ However the user-created content (unchecked games) for this site falls outside this rating and they may contain elements that are only suitable for older children. Remember to set the restricted option to prevent access to the unchecked games.

'School is fun, every minute matters and every day counts'

Overall attendance was: 94.2%

Nur: 88.7%
Rec: 93.8%
Y1: 98.2%
Y2: 95.0%
Y3: 92.9%
Y4: 95.9%
Y5: 93.4%
Y6: 93.6%

Key Dates

Tuesday 28th January – Y4 trip to Royal Institute

Wednesday 29th January – Year 2 Trip to Tower of London

Thursday 30th January – School Council trip to Town Hall

Thursday 30th January – Chinese New Year Themed lunch

February Half Term
17th- 21st February 2025

Y6 – Transition workshop

Year 6 were off to Mulberry Shoreditch Academy as part of their transition workshop. They spent their time in the DT classroom, working on creating their own keyrings. They used a clamp to keep their pattern steady and then used a saw to safely cut through their material. While we are in no rush to let them go, the class enjoyed their time in secondary school and hopefully feel more confident about going there come September.

Reception Trip to Fire Station

Children in Reception class had a wonderful time at Bethnal Green fire station on Friday morning. They answered questions about how firefighters can help us and knew the number to call if there was ever a fire! Although the brave firemen had to get on their fire truck and put out a fire, we still managed to see what they wore and heard about how they tackled a fire.

Tanya even got to try on their uniform and put on an oxygen mask. We want to say a big thank you to all parents/carers who came with us.

Parasports

This week we took part in one of our parasports sessions – doing archery and Boccia.
"I enjoyed Archery. I liked the shooting but I didn't get 10." (Year 4 child)
" I enjoyed Boccia because we never done this before." (Year 5 child)

The SEND Parent Ambassadors Information & Recruitment Day

Do you have a child with SEND?
Would you like to make a difference for SEND children and their families?

Join us for our upcoming Information and Recruitment Day to see if you would like to become an ambassador.

Wednesday 5th February 2025
10am-12.30pm
The Parents Advice Centre
30 Greatorex Street
London E1 5NP
Email: sendparentambassadors@gmail.com

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