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Highlight of the week

This week, Year 4 visited the school garden.



The children enjoyed a session out in the garden, where they explored different natural fibres such as: wool, flax, cotton and silk. They discussed where each fibre came from and how they are processed before we use them to make clothing. The children took on the role as Seed Pickers, Quality Controllers and Ripplers.



We learned how silk was made.

We watched how cotton is turned into thread.

Forthcoming Events

Year 5 Swimming Starts
Monday 12th November

See your child's curriculum letter for relevant trip dates for this half term.

Wellie boots wanted!

EYFS are looking for wellie boots to be used during their outdoor learning.



If you have any donations, please give them to the EYFS staff.

Mathletics is back!



All children now have their log-ins and have had work assigned to them by their teacher. Last year was an amazing success and the children loved the challenges set by their teachers, as well as racing their classmates and peers from around the globe. Please encourage your child to log on and take part.



Congratulations to Hackney Wick class with 100% attendance.





Coming Soon...



House Captains

Who will you vote for?

E-Safety: Keeping Your Children Safe!

1 in 3
internet users
are children



Online safety is a team effort!

T is for **Talk**: Having open, honest and regular conversations with your child is the best way to ensure they're safe.

E is for **Explore**: Sit down together and find out what they like doing online and remember to look at Net Aware for popular sites among kids.

A is for **Agree**: Agree family rules about what is and isn't OK together, and remember it works both ways.

M is for **Manage**: There are simple technical steps that can help to keep your child safe online – mainly by you managing the privacy settings and controls



Helping Hands

Following our class assembly about wellbeing and managing our feelings and emotions, the children in Greenwich created helping hands.



They wrote on the names of people they can talk to if they have a problem and decorated them with bright happy colours.



Star of the Week



Year Group	Reader of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathlete of the Week
Year 1	Aesiosa	Minhazul	Khadra
Year 2	Madia	Yafeat	Nikita
Year 3	Zayed	Jennifer	Faizah
Year 4	Joshua	Sonali	Petru
Year 5	Elfrida	Daniel	Sophia
Year 6	Saima	Oliwia	Ishaan



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