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Newsletter 6 9th October 2026

THIS WEEK

Dear Families,

Today, we all wore something yellow to raise awareness of young people's mental health. 💛 Hello Yellow is a campaign by YoungMinds that helps raise awareness and support young people who may be struggling with their mental health. Their message is simple: no young person should feel alone. A big thank you to everyone who donated today. Together, we have raised £170! Your kindness and generosity are very much appreciated. If you are ever concerned about your child's wellbeing or mental health, please do reach out to us. We are always here to listen, support and help you and your child.

A reminder that our Parent Consultation Meetings will take place next Tuesday, 13th October. This is a lovely opportunity to meet with your child's class teacher, hear about how they are getting on and celebrate all the wonderful work and progress they have made so far this year.



Enjoy your weekend!

Blessings
Sue-Helen Steyn

YEAR 6S ASSEMBLY





Workers' Rights, Solidarity and a Little Bit of Sass! ✊

Year 6S class assembly proved that workers' rights and solidarity are no laughing matter... although we did manage to have a little fun along the way! They explored why everyone deserves fairness, respect and a voice in the workplace (because nobody should have to fight for a decent lunch break!).

We learned that when people stand together, they can make a real difference — after all, teamwork makes the dream work! Our key takeaway? A fairer world starts with standing up for one another, speaking out against injustice and remembering that we're stronger together. Solidarity looks good on everyone! Well done to 6S and Mr Scott!

PARENT CONSULTATIONS

Parent Consultations on
Tuesday, 13th October

School closes at 13.30

Please make alternative arrangments for yur child to picked up on time. late collections will result into a fine of **£25**

HARVEST



We will be collecting items **until Friday, 16th October - Thank you!**

MEET OUR SCHOOL COUNCIL

Levi-Emmanuel
Velena

Isla
Darius

Olley
Daisy

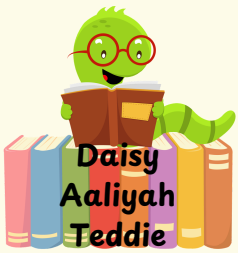


Danny
Leticia

Adeline
Harrison

MEET OUR SCHOOL READING AMBASSADORS





Daisy
Aaliyah
Teddie



Mihrimah
Temitope
Irfan





Rahwa
Mia
Tyobista



Suzanna
Joshua
Mustafa





Millie
Lynah
Leyna



Yunus
Taylor



MEET OUR SCHOOL ECO WARRIORS





Rayhan
Maisharah





Veronique
Aria





Donavan
Isadora





Aaliyah
Jet



Arthur
Nyla





Harlan
Vinnie
Crue



Start in the Spotlight



Mrs French

My family

I have 3 children, a husband and a mum and dad.

Hobbies

- Teaching
- Embroidery
- Roller skating

Interesting fact

I have twin boys and I love to read children stories.

Favourites

Colour: Black & Orange

Food: Fish and plantain!

Music: Old school R&B & Jill Scott

TV Programme: The Traitors

Prayer

Dear Jesus,
Thank You for loving me and caring for me every day.

Please bless me with good health, a happy heart, and a peaceful mind.

Keep me safe wherever I go, and give me strength when I feel worried or afraid.

Help me to be kind, caring, and thankful for the people around me.

Bless my family, my friends, and all children around the world.

May we always feel Your love and remember that You are with us.

Amen.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **13.10.2026:** Flu spray and vaccination
- **13.10.2026:** Parent Consultations: **School closes at 13.30**
- **16.10.2026:** Harvest Service Year 1 - Year 6 @ 9:15am in Parish church. Everyone is welcome!
- **16.10.2026:** School closes for Half term **@ 15:30**

Core Values



perseverance



compassion



respect



self-worth



collaboration



GOLD AWARDS

Caterpillar: Sienna, Billie

Butterfly: Gracie, Mbalet

Phoenix: David

1C: Japhet, Ayana

2A: Teddy, Taesia

2M: Raheem, Isla-Faye

3G: Isla-Rose, Dmytro

3H: Owen, Lukas

4F: Iva, Ava

4N: Faye, Harper

5B: Serea, Sulaiman

5K: Temi, Mateus

6D: Andrew, Tate

6S: Esther, Aurelia



HANDWRITING AWARDS

Year 1: Sarah

Year 2: Valena, Jesse

Year 3: Sofia, Amayah

Year 4: Carter, Chloe

Year 5: Joseph, Taylor

Year 6: Zavier, Naeto



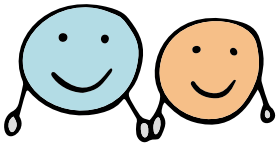


Learning together hand in hand with our friend Jesus.





Well done!



ATTENDANCE

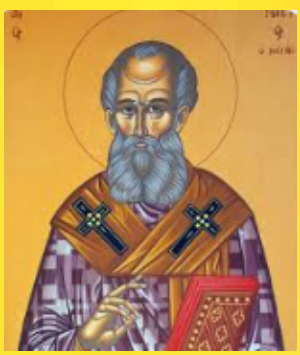
- **Caterpillar:** 85.1%
- **Butterfly:** 98.5%
- **Phoenix:** 91.4%
- **1C:** 94.4%
- **2A:** 90.9%
- **2M:** 87.9%
- **3G:** 97.5%
- **3H:** 95.8%
- **4F:** 100%
- **4N:** 84.2%
- **5B:** 96.3%
- **5K:** 95.2%
- **6D:** 93.3%
- **6S**: 96%
- **Overall:** 94.1%







HOUSE POINTS


115


130



140



135