



West Ham Church School

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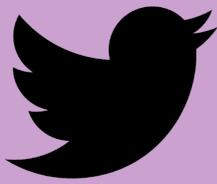
Lower Key Stage 2
Weekly News Page
Summer 2, Week 3
25th June 2021



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We are now on Twitter!

You can follow our brand new WHCS account to keep up to date with school announcements and links to news articles on our school website.



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Lower Key Stage 2 Staff

Teachers

Miss Holroyde - Phase Leader

Miss Leach - Year 3 Otters

Mr Daniel - Year 3&4 Badgers

Miss Thurman - Year 4 Foxes

Teaching Assistants

Mrs Mirza, Mrs Siyani, and Mrs
Mekuria

After-School Clubs

Monday - Multi sports

Tuesday - Art

Wednesday - Book/Film

Thursday - Gardening

Clubs are to support working parents and will need to be booked and paid for in advance via the school office.

Prayer Space

Thank you for everything that makes us unique.

Help us to be grateful for our strengths, and to have the courage to persevere with things that we find difficult.



As part Maths Week next week, we will be taking part in a week long competition, London Rocks, on Times Tables Rockstars.

Wednesday will be a **non-uniform** day - come dressed as a **rockstar!**

Sports Day

Unfortunately, Sports Day was postponed due to the poor weather.

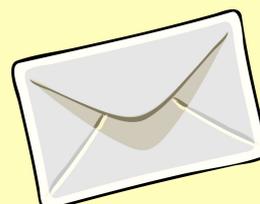
Please contact the office if you want to book a ticket for our rescheduled event on Friday 2nd July. LKS2 will be competing from 12:30 - 1:30.

Persuasive Writing

As part of our 'Blue Abyss' science topic, the children have been finding out all about the threat of plastic to marine life. Did you know that by 2050 the weight of plastic in the ocean will be greater than the weight of fish?

The children in LKS2 have been inspired to take action, and so have written their own persuasive letters to Lyn Brown, our local MP, requesting that she tries to protect our oceans.

We will be posting our letters to Ms Brown - watch this space to see if she writes back!





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Maths

As part of Maths Week, we will be completing an investigation into the environment and looking at what we do to help combat climate change. We will present our findings as a mini conference! We will produce:

- Tally charts and pictograms
- Bar charts
- Line graphs (Y4)

English

- Publishing our persuasive letters to the government about plastic pollution in the ocean.
- Beginning our new topic - writing an under the sea dilemma story using 20,000 leagues under the sea as a focus text.

Other Curriculum Areas

Science - electricity consolidation: building circuits

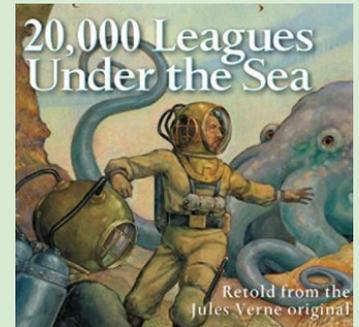
R.E. - The Torah and the Synagogue

R.S.H.E - changes during puberty

History/Geography - a deeper study of the Indus Valley

Computing - planning a stop-motion animation

Focus Text



Word of the Week:
companion

Who is Professor Aronnax's companion?

What makes someone a good companion?

Homework

English

1. Practise this week's spellings
2. Read an e-book
<https://ebooks.collinsopenpage.com>
3. Reading comprehension

Maths:

1. Education City tasks:
<https://www.educationcity.com/>
2. Times Table Rockstars
<https://play.ttrockstars.com/>
3. Position and direction

Year 3 Spellings

lecture
literature
fracture
miniature
mixture
puncture
sculpture
signature
temperature
texture

Year 4 Spellings

famous
nervous
ridiculous
carnivorous
herbivorous
porous
adventurous
courageous
outrageous
advantageous

Times Tables

Year 3 - children should be able to recall their 2, 5, 10, 3, 4 & 8 times tables.

Year 4 - children should be able to recall all times tables up to 12x12 fluently.

Projects and Investigations: Country of the Week

Last week's 'Country of the Week' entries were fantastic - it was great to read so much information about Jamaica!

The new country of the week is...**Mexico!**



Children should find out information about **Mexico** and present it in a really creative and engaging way. There will be time to present their work towards the end of the week and be in with a chance of becoming Class Geographer.



Times Tables Rockstars

This week's Top Ten

1. Zakwan
2. Zahira
3. Sadman
4. Armanis
5. Fatema
6. Arnav
7. Juwairiyah
8. Emmanuel
9. Eiliyah
10. Leila

On this page, we would like to celebrate the children's achievements in and out of school. Parents, please do let us know if you are particularly pleased with something your child has achieved at home, we would like to recognise:

- ❖ Good behaviour
- ❖ Excellent attitude to learning
- ❖ Progress
- ❖ High quality work
- ❖ Awards

Quote of the Week

Believe you can and you're halfway there.

Theodore Roosevelt



Special mention to **Oliver** for a brilliant effort with his writing in English. Well done!



Otters: Emily for being a good friend and team player to other children in the class.

Badgers: Rayyan showed boundless energy and enthusiasm in Mathematics when learning about division. Well done!

Foxes: Keshion for working so hard in English and helping others without being asked. Well done Keshion!

Our Work!



We have used our fantastic art and design skills, as well as our knowledge of Ancient Egypt, to create our very own miniature canopic jars!