



The Bell

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Our Christian Values

Reverence – Endurance
Peace – Hope – Wisdom
Service – Forgiveness
Creation – Thankfulness
Compassion – Friendship
Koinonia – Humility
Trust – Justice

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SJSP Baby News!



Ms Depala

We are delighted to announce that Ms Depala has had a baby boy! He was born on 21st January, He weighed 7lb 3oz and she has named him Leonardo.

Both Ms Depala and baby Leo are doing very well.

Ms Horton

Ms Horton was also delighted to bring baby Haddy home after her stay in hospital. Both Ms Horton and Haddy are doing well.

Both Ms Depala and Ms Horton are looking forward to coming in to school with their babies to meet the children and staff.

Year 6 Pre-SATs Meeting Monday 5th February 5.15-6pm for parents and carers

During the meeting, we will share details of the end of year expectations, the test process and how we are preparing for it. This will be an opportunity for parents/carers to ask any questions, meet the team, and look at examples of past papers.

We hope you can attend. Should you not be able to attend, we will send any information from the evening home to keep you informed.

Year 1 and Y5 meet the teacher session

On Thursday 8th February, from 3.30-4pm, Ms Olufiade (Y1) and Mrs Patel (Y5) will hold a 'Meet the teacher' session so that you can meet them. We hope that you will be able to attend.

Star Award Certificates Well done to...

Year R: Carlo Luis	Year 4: Merdan Nabel
Year 1: Teniola Roni Justin	Year 5: Almaz Ying Hao
Year 2: Khyrah Simeon	Year 6: Nora Sophie
Year 3: Rozerin Zac	

Book Awards Well done to...



Y1 Kaylie	Y2 Nadirah	Y3 Kim
Y4 Nuseyba	Y5 Greko	Y6 Kerry

Reading road map

Silver Award

Jonathan Y2 Nadirah Y2 Sybil Y2

Thought for the week

'You cannot open a book without learning something.'
Confucius

Dates for your Diary

February

Tuesday 6th February—Choir to O2 Arena, Young Voices Event

Tuesday 6 February— Safer Internet Day

Monday 12th—Friday 16th February—Half Term Week

Monday 19th February—Children return to school

Wednesday 21st—Year 3 visit to The Central Synagogue

March

Wednesday 3rd March—Year Reception out at the London Transport Museum.

12-16th March—Science Week

Tuesday 20th March—YR and Y6 Parent Teacher Day

Wednesday 21st March—Y4 and Y5 Parent Teacher Day

Thursday 22nd March—Year 3 Parent Teacher Day

Friday 23rd March—Y2 Parent Teacher Day

Friday 23rd March 3.30-5pm — Easter around the World Event (please contact the Parent Group via the school office if you are able to help)

Thursday 29th March—Last day of Spring Term. School closes at 2pm

Easter Holiday—Friday 30th March—Friday 13th April

Monday 16th April—Staff INSET Day (no children in school)

Tuesday 17th April—Children return to school

BELL Badges

Well done to the children who were awarded BELL badges for 'Love' this week!

Rec;	Sajid	Y4
Year 1:	James	Doudaa
Year 2:	Berfin	Y5:
	Isabel	Sarah
Year 3:	Josh M	Y6;
		Sophie



News Around the Classes

Year Reception

It's been another busy week in Reception. We have started reading our new book 'On Sudden Hill'. As part of our learning, we have used all the cardboard boxes in the school to create cars, trains and even a tortoise shell! In phonics, we are continuing to learn new digraphs. Please revise these with your child as often as possible. In maths, we have been learning about ordinal numbers (eg 1st, 2nd, 3rd) and using them in many different situations.

Year 1

This week we have been looking at weight. We were using scales to measure different objects in our classroom.

We had to estimate how many marbles the following objects weigh,

- **An Apple** (32 marbles)
- **A pear** (20 marbles)
- **A stone** (8 marbles)
- **An orange** (40 marbles)

In our Literacy lesson, **we were learning about verbs. We learnt that verbs are doing words. We were telling our partners different verbs for them to do.** We also learnt about bossy verbs (imperative verbs). This means telling people exactly what they should do.

In our computing lessons this week, we used buttons to program the BeeBot to go **left, right, forward** and **backwards**. **It was a little tricky at first but we managed. We had to give the BeeBot instructions. We had to think about our directions and program the Beebot.**

Year 2

This week Year 2 went on exciting and slightly damp trip to the Museum of London and St Paul's Cathedral. We found out lots about the Great Fire of London. We observed paintings, examined artefacts and listened to music from over 300 years ago!

In maths, we have been using symbols to investigate missing number problems and improving our mathematical vocabulary using words like greater than, less than and digits to help us identify numbers. As part of our English, we wrote a recount of our trip, thinking about what we saw, heard, did and felt.

Year 4

Year 4 have been enjoying reading the Ice Palace this week, and have been making Starjik's scary wolf heads with yellow eyes and white fangs.

In P.E. we are enjoying learning about gymnastic routines, practising our balances and rolls.

Year 3

This week in maths we have been adding sets of 3 digit numbers. We practised using both expanded addition and column method. On Thursday we did lots of problem solving such as identifying missing numbers and here is the answer, what is the question?

In English we wrote diary entries in the role of Iris. We made sure we used personal pronouns and conjunctions to express time and cause, for example after that and because.

Year 5

This week in maths we have been multiplying and dividing two digit numbers with two decimal places. In guided reading we have been reading Charlotte's Web, we incorporated this into our English and wrote our own non chronological reports on the author E.B White.

Year 6

This week in year six we've been reinforcing our understanding of place value in maths - we've been rounding decimals up to three decimal places and multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000. We've also been learning about the order of calculations using BODMAS.

In English we've been writing letters as if we were evacuee children, based on our class book Friend or Foe.

In science we've been learning about our bodies and how to