

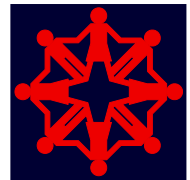
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All Believing, All Achieving

Dear Parents/Carers



16th October 2026 – Week 7

'My children, our love should not just be words and talk; it must be true love, which shows itself in action.' 1 John 3:18

"What does the Lord require from you, but **to do justice, love kindness** and to **walk humbly** with your God." (Micah 6:8)

Whales' Class Worship



Year 5 explored *Properties and Changes of Materials* through an engaging and interactive assembly. The children showcased their learning through an educational rap and a live science experiment. They demonstrated their understanding of different materials, their properties and how materials can change through a range of investigations. The assembly celebrated their curiosity, scientific knowledge and enthusiasm for learning, bringing science to life through music, performance and practical exploration.



Isolated – remote and separate physically or socially

Year 4 Cheetah Class Trip



Year 4 spent the day in the City of London sightseeing and attending a workshop about World War 2 at the London Archives. Here's what we saw: London Bridge Station - War memorial for train staff-turned-soldiers, and Stainer Street Arch plaque honouring civilians sheltering from an air raid.

- HMS Belfast - Royal Navy ship active in WW2.
- Tower Hill Memorial - Honouring men and women of the Merchant Navy and Fishing Fleets, who have "no grave but the sea".
- St Paul's Cathedral and the Firefighters' Memorial - Both symbols of resilience during the War.

Year 4 really impressed during their workshop, sharing how much they already know about World War 2, and learning about the millions of documents stored in the London Archives - amazing! Well done, Year 4, and thank you to our parent helpers.

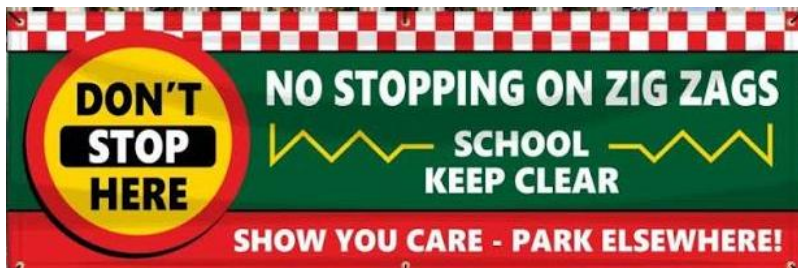
Secondary School Applications

Secondary schools will be holding open days for pupils and families to look around the schools.

We suggest looking at the schools' websites to check. The deadline for secondary school applications is **31st October 2026 11.59pm**.

If you require any assistance, please ask at the school office.





We will be holding open days on:
Tuesday 10th November at 9.30am.
Please contact the office to book.

Diary Dates

19th – 21st October – Year 6 Residential Trip to Carrotty Wood
22nd October – Pupils break up for half-term
23rd October - INSET day – Staff training
2nd November – School reopens for pupils
6th November 9.10am – Writing workshop for parents
10th November 9.30am – Open day for Reception 2027 intake
13th November 9.10am – Year 1 Dolphin Class Worship
20th November 9.10am – Year 2 Hummingbirds Class Worship
24th November – Reception to Year 6 Flu vaccines
27th November 9.10am – Year 3 Class Worship



Flu Vaccines

The Nursing Team will be in school to administer the flu vaccines on 24th November.
Please ensure that you complete the consent form online by 7th November.

<http://cypcis.kingstonandrichmond.nhs.uk/flu/2026/croydon>



Poppies for Sale!

The annual poppy appeal has begun for the Royal British Legion. Our Head Pupils will be collecting in the playgrounds before and after school, or pop into the school office!

Friday 23rd October is an:



Free Breakfast Club

It runs from 8.30am – entrance is the via disabled ramp. Lots of fun activities, food and friends!

Stars of the Week

Nursery Butterflies Class	Matthews
Reception Giraffes Class	Nadia
Year 1 Dolphin Class	Adefunto & Jewel
Year 2 Hummingbirds Class	Kalil B & Bogdan
Year 3 Orangutan Class	Imogen & Junior
Year 4 Cheetahs Class	Jedidiah & Michelle
Year 5 Whales Class	Deborah & Shackane
Year 6 Pygmy Owls Class	Maria & Emili

Attendance & Punctuality 89.7%. Attendance is slightly improved from last week.

	Class	%	Lates	Winner
NUR	Butterflies	84.4%	2	 <p>A huge congratulations to Hummingbirds, who have achieved 97% for attendance this week. Fantastic!</p>
REC	Giraffes	88%	1	
YR1	Dolphins	82.9%	1	
YR2	Hummingbirds	97%	3	
YR3	Orangutans	87.5%	5	
YR4	Cheetahs	93.5%	4	
YR5	Whales	95%	1	
YR6	Pygmy Owls	83.9%	2	

What YOU must do:

Try to telephone the school before 8.30am **each day** of your child's absence or email.

Tell the school in advance, of any medical appointments and bring in appointment cards/letters.

If you are not sure whether your child is well enough to attend school, send them in anyway as they often perk up on arrival.

If you and your child are experiencing difficulties with school attendance then talk to us as a first step so we can help!

What WE will do:

Check your child's attendance every day.

Phone home to discuss your child's attendance with you.

Invite you into school for attendance meetings if we are concerned.

If we cannot establish a reason for absence, then we may make a welfare home visit.

If you are unsure, please contact a member of staff.

Please download the Studybugs app that we are now using for reporting your child's absence.



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A quick and secure way to report absence due to illness and send messages to school.

QR code and app store links (Google Play, App Store) are shown.

Studybugs logo with a green plus sign.

With every blessing!

Josephine Copeland

Headteacher



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