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## Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019 Excellence with Compassion

Dear Parents/Carers,

### Trips Last Week.....

We have had a few exciting trips in the past couple of weeks. As part of their topic on the Egyptians, Class 4 have visited the mummies at the British Museum and for their 'Dig' Topic, looking at Prehistoric Britain. Class 3 took a trip to the Museum of London. They learnt all about how people in Ancient Times made their houses and they even got to handle



archaeological artefacts made thousands of years ago!

Class 6 visited the London Transport Museum last week, but not to look at different methods of transport! Each Year the Junior Citizenship project is held at the museum. Children from Year 6 are given the opportunity to take part in many different activities focused on learning about staying safe as they become increasingly more independent and are travelling around on their own to school. Some of the activities included staying safe when travelling around, including on the Tube and how to stay safe on their phones. They

were also awarded a certificate!

### World Book Day

Thursday was World Book Day! We had a fantastic time dressing up as our favourite book characters, Penguin Random House organised a fun quiz for Key Stage 2 classes and we took part in many different activities as a whole class, focused on a story. The children (and staff!) looked wonderful!

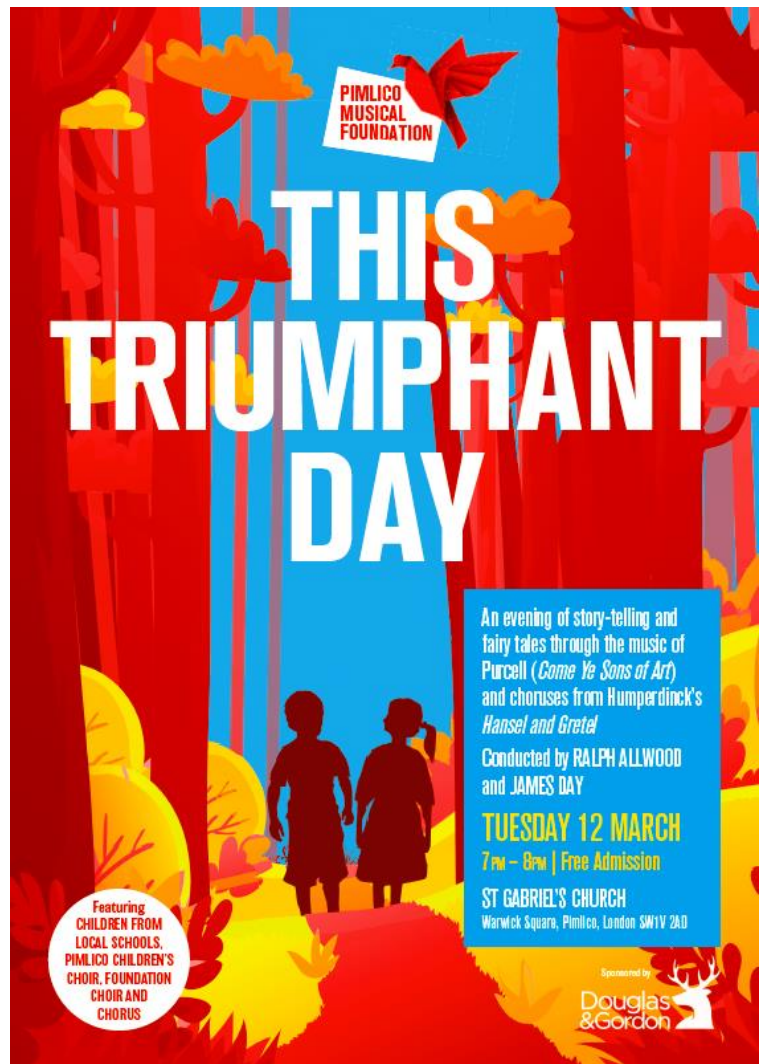


### This week:

Tomorrow evening is the Pimlico Musical Foundations Spring Concert. Members of the Pimlico Musical Foundation Childrens choir and children in classes 4 and 5 will be performing in the concert tomorrow evening at St Gabriel's Church. This is always a lovely occasion and is a free concert - all are welcome to attend!

### Parents Evening

Parents' evenings are on Monday and Wednesday after school next week. Sign up sheets are in the corridor outside the computer room. Please do take this opportunity to catch up with your child's class teacher about how your child is doing. A crèche will be available in the computer room on parents' evenings. There will be no clubs next week, but we will still have after school care between 3.30 and 5pm. If you have concerns about your child, may I encourage you in the first instance to talk to your child's class teacher. If your concerns continue, please do talk to Mr Nunn, Mrs Wotherspoon, or myself. If your concerns are around another child, I would like to encourage parents to talk to a member of staff rather than approaching the child themselves.



### Attendance:

Overall attendance for the year is **94.62%**, we are slowly slipping, let's aim for that 96% target!

	01/03/2019	08/03/2019
Class 6	97.24	97.24
Class 5	91.73	90.88
Class 4	97.33	97
Class 3	93.45	90
Class 2	94.8	99.2
Class 1	92.5	96
Class R	96.19	94.29
Average	94.83	94.87

**Well done Class 2  
again!  
The winners this week  
with a fabulous 99.2%!**

**Awards:**

**Star of the week: Vanessa Class of the week: Class 6**

<b>Mentions</b>	Edwin and Maia	Sohamm and Angel	Hadya and Angelo	Salma and Adam	Bea-Grace and Bilaal	Seb and Jayden	Whole of Class 6
<b>Courtesy</b>	Janelle and Sanaavi	Modar and Rebecca	Frankie and Kerem	Noor and Rania	Elzain and Niko	Seb and Mahdi	Rania and Sonny
<b>Top Table</b>	Kerem and Bella						

**Dates for Your Diary.....**

Please do refer to these regularly as dates may change and new events will be added.

**Events for Parents**

**Every Thursday:** Family assembly – all parents/carers are welcome

**Every Tuesday afternoon this term 2.20 – 3.20:** MEND for Reception Parents

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March and Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March :** Parents evening

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April:** NSPCC workshop for parents

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April:** Open afternoon (opportunity to view your child's work in their classroom)

**Other events this half term:**

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>:** Yr 2 to library

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup>:** Yr 1 to Pizza express & Yr 3 to library

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup>** Yr4 trip to the Royal Academy

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>:** Yr 5 to library

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup>:** Yr 6 to library

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April:** Yr 4 to library

**Please do note the holiday dates below.** Any term time leave requests require parents/carers to fill in a term time leave request form available in the office and also requires a meeting with myself. Holidays in term time, **will not be authorised** and may result in the local authority issuing a penalty notice.

**ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-19**

**TERM 4**

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February** – children return

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April** – school finishes at 2.30pm

**TERM 5**

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April** – children return

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May** – school closed for May Bank Holiday

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May** – school finishes at 3.30pm

**TERM 6**

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June** – Children return

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June** – school closed for INSET

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July** – school finishes at 2.30pm

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Best wishes,  
Rebecca Anson  
Headteacher



I have read and noted the contents of this newsletter. Date: 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019  
(All signed newsletter slips are entered for the book prize draw in Thursday assemblies).

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_