

Black History Month

This week, to celebrate Black History Month, we had ACD-ARTS visit and take part in some fun and engaging activities with all the children. From hearing traditional Tanzanian stories to taking part in Ugandan dancing and drumming, the children had a great time dancing and singing and pretending to be animals from the jungle!



First Day after Half Term

Monday 6th November

Nasal Flu Vaccination

20th November 2023

Parents Evening

Tuesday 28th November &
Thursday 30th November

Reception 2024 Open Days

Thursday 30th November
2023 & Friday 5th January
2024

Last Day of Autumn Term

Wednesday 20th December
2023

First Day of Christmas Holidays

Thursday 21st
December 2023

Spring Term

Starts on Thursday 4th

Tollgate Boys Football Team

On Wednesday our Boys Football Team participated in a football tournament held at West Ham United Foundation. The team performed to the highest standard, ultimately coming home with the winners trophy. It was an exceptional team effort with the whole team performing admirably. Special mentions must go to Alex Nicorici, who scored a hat trick in the final to secure the trophy and Mr Cabadak whose management skills have allowed this team to flourish. Well done all!



Times Tables Rock Stars Weekly Winners

1. Hamza 3S

2. Mckenzie 3K

3. Jayden 3S

We encourage parents to ensure your children is using the maths platforms, Times Table Rock Stars and Numbots, that are available to you as it will really help them embed key maths skills.
Thank you!

Reception Trips to Local Park

Reception went on a lovely Autumn walk to Canning Town Recreational Park this week. They were asked to collect orange, brown, red and yellow leaves to create some fantastic Autumn collages. We learnt about how leaves die in the Autumn, change colour and fall to the ground. The children used their senses to describe them and the children thoroughly enjoyed listening to the leaves crunching under their feet as they walked through the park. They were also able to play on the park facilities and had a wonderful educational visit.



Year 1 Nutrition Visit

As part of our Black History Month celebrations our lovely Year 1 students had a visit from a group called 'Nutrition Kingz Exotic Fruits'. This visit gave the children an opportunity to taste fruit that originates in the Caribbean. The children had a fantastic day of tasting fruit, especially blood oranges and juicy mangoes.



Coding Club

A new after school club has started recently led by Mrs Bakova. It is a coding club where children are learning how to use codes to make games and create instructions. It has been very successful and we look forward to seeing how it grows.



Educational Visit

Recently we had a visitor from Ghana who came to see how Tollgate children learn and to share ideas on best practise. It was a very insightful day!

