



Weekly Newsletter



Friday 14th September 2018

School CLUBS

After School Clubs start from the **17th September**. I am sure your children are excited about trying out a range of clubs and activities. Please ensure that you collect the children from clubs promptly at the end of the session time specified, and inform the school in advance if an alternative person is going to collect your child. If children are collected late, they may lose their place in the club.

We expect all children to behave appropriately and follow instructions given by club leaders. I am sure you will remind children of our expectations.

Music Fayre

We hope you enjoyed the music fayre this Friday; the happy faces of children trying out a range of instruments certainly showed that the children did.

If you are interested in your child attending a music based club, please complete the [interest letter](#) and return it to the school. You can get a copy of this letter from the office and on the school's website on the [Newsletters page](#).

Year 6 Secondary School Transition and Condoval Hall Trip 2019 Parent Meeting

On **Tuesday 18th September** at **3:30 pm** in the junior Hall.

Safeguarding at Rotherhithe

Keeping children safe is of utmost importance to us at Rotherhithe. We have recently updated our safeguarding policy. Please read it at <http://rotherhitheprimary.co.uk/safeguarding/>

River Hill Federation vision and Values

The Governors have met, and after much debate have set the new vision and values for the school and federation. They are as follows:

Vision

Within the River Hill Federation, we aspire to create a supportive environment for personal growth and where enquiring minds develop a passion for learning.

Our Values

Respect

Valuing and appreciating each other within a culture of equality.

Creativity

Maximising our various talents to fulfil our potential.

Courage

Taking considered risks in all we do, without fear overwhelming us.

Resilience

Dealing positively with challenges and change.

Ambition

Having high expectations for ourselves and others.

Empathy

Seeking to understand and support others.



Parent - Teacher Meetings

We hope you found the parent-teacher meetings held this week informative. We are passionate about your children's learning and we rely on you to help us ensure that they achieve their full potential.

Please read **with** and **to** your children every day, signing and returning your child's home school books. Make sure **homework** is completed and handed in on **Thursdays** and that children have the correct **P.E kit** for their lessons.



Dates for your Diaries!

14 th Sep	Year 6 open sessions National TA Day
17 th Sep	After school clubs begin
18 th Sep	Year 6 secondary school transition/Conover Hall trip meeting 3:30 pm
27 th Sep	School council elections
8 th Oct	Black History Month
15 th Oct	Fire Concert (In the light) choir
15 th -19 th Oct	Poetry Week
19 th Oct	Samba workshops
22nd – 26th Oct	Half Term
29th Oct	School closed for Inset Day
31 st Oct	Closing date for secondary school applications
Week starting	SEN Parent Meetings/ Maths Week
5 th Nov	
9 th Nov	Celidh Project Performance years 4 & 5
12 th Nov	Anti-bullying week
5 th Dec	KS1 (Years 1 & 2) Christmas Play
6 th Dec	Reception and Nursery Christmas performance
7 th Dec	KS2 (Year 3-6) Carol Concert
10 th Dec	Erasmus Trip – Group of teachers travel to Sweden
14 th Dec	Christmas Jumper day
17 th & 19 th Dec	Parents Evening
17 th Dec	KS1/EY Achievement Awards – 11:15 am in the junior hall

18 th Dec	KS2 Achievement Awards – 11:30 am
20 th Dec	Class parties
21 st Dec	100% attendance awards
School closes at 2pm for the Christmas Holidays.	

Key Stage 1 Assemblies Time: 11:15 am

Wednesday 3 rd October	Seal Class
Wednesday 10 th October	Seahorse Class
Wednesday 7 th November	Coral Class
Wednesday 14 th November	Octopus Class
Wednesday 21 st November	Whale Class

Key Stage 2 Assemblies Time 11:30 am

Thursday 20 th September	Calypso Class
Thursday 27 th September	Belfast Class
Thursday 4 th October	Endeavour Class
Thursday 11 th October	Cutty Sark Class
Thursday 18 th October	Kingfisher Class (please note date swap)
Thursday 1 st November	Discovery Class
Thursday 8 th November	Mayflower Class
Thursday 15 th November	Pearl Class
Thursday 22 nd November	Endurance Class
Thursday 6 th December	Kon Tiki Class

Attendance

The classes with the best attendance for this week



KS1: Seal Class 100%

KS2: Cutty Sark Class 99.2%

Well done and keep up the good work everyone!!

Please **do not** book holidays during term time. This negatively affects your children's education.