



3rd – 7th February 2020

Principal's Welcome

As-salamu alaykum (peace be with you)

Dear Parents,

We are now half way through the school year, I can't believe how quickly the time has passed!

You will be pleased to know that new enrichments will be taking place after the half-term holiday in both sites. Please make sure that if your child is in Years 5 and 6, the enrichment booklets are returned promptly to the school office. Children in years 1-4 will be told which enrichment their class will be taking part in during the coming week.

Lost property

We have lots of lost property, especially at the New City College site. Lost property will be available at the end of the day in the playground if your child has lost part of their uniform. At the end of the week, any lost property that has not been collected will be given to charity, so please take the time to check.

Please make sure your child's name is written on their uniform so that it can be returned easily.

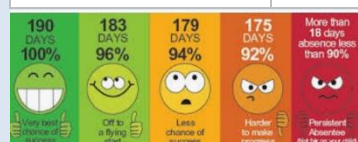
February

- 10th – Year 6 trip to the Natural History Museum
- 12th – Year 2 writing workshop UTC
- 13th – Al Farsi Assembly
- 14th – Ibn Al Awwaam Class Assembly
- 14th – Year 1 Phonics Workshop NCC 9am
- 14th - Alive 'n' Kicking Workshop
- 17th – Random Acts of Kindness Day
- 21st - Alive 'n' Kicking Workshop
- 24th – Internet Safety Workshops
- 26th – Internet Safety Workshops
- 26th – Ibn Zayd trip to theatre
- 27th – Ibn Abbas trip to theatre
- 28th – Ibn Ali Assembly

Attendance

Bint Muhammad	99%	★	Ibn Malik	97%	
Ibn Umar	93%		Ibn Jabal	98.5%	★
Ibn Zubeyr	96.5%		Barakah	98.8%	★
Ibn Salamah	95%		Al Farsi	96.6%	
Ibn Thaabit	93%		Ibn Masood	96%	
Bint Qays	98%	★	Ibn Al Awwaam	87%	
Bint Abee Bakr	94%		Ibn Amr	95%	
Ibn Abbas	97%		Ibn Abee Talib	98%	★
Ibn Zayd	95%		Ibn Haarithah	96.5%	
Ibn Ali	96.9%		Ibn Umayr	98%	★
Ibn Sa'd	94%		★ 6 gold stars this week! ★		

Well done to Bint Muhammad for having 99% attendance – fantastic!



Our target is 98% at Olive Hackney – try to make sure your child comes to school each day.



Best conduct this week



Sumayyah Patel
Ilyas Ishfaq
Safiyah Saif
Maryam Budi
Farheen Nafeesa Ahmed
Aaliya Abdulle
Yasir Said
Sara Hirad
Salahuddin Ayub
Aasiya Salahuddin-Khan

Hamdi Abdi
Owais Berbaché
Mehmet Macit
Aisha Abdulle
Ruqiya Mohamed
Abdullqadir Ahmed
Muhammad Ehsan Rawat
Abdullah Qaiser



Beautiful behaviour seen by these children – well done!

Stars of the Week



Fatima Saleh
Saliha Sayed
Muadh Yusuf
Faris Kearns
Whole class
Ahmed Ahmed
Amina Birhane
Nazir Farouk Mohammed
Naiyla Abood
Umair Rawat

Mohammed Ba Faqas
Shamhaad Mohamud
Nafisa Mulla
Umaymah Patel
Imran Abdullahi
Abdullah Katongole
Zerrin Kabiri
Abdurrahman Patel



This Week's News



Year 5 and 6 children took part in Hackney Cross Country run – they did really well and are climbing up the score board!



Our children took part in their first ever Debate Mate competition where they debated with three other primary schools.



The children have made amazing Mayan hieroglyphics in their art work.



We completed lots of work about Mental Health Week this week. The children learnt lots of strategies to cope with their emotions.



Picture News

at Home

10th February 2020

What's going on this week?



Nike Vaporfly trainers, which have revolutionised running allowing runners to break world marathon records, have been given the green light by World Athletics. In a long-awaited ruling the World Athletics, who are the sport's governing body, confirmed that Nike Vaporflys, which cost £240 and can improve marathon times by one-to-two minutes in elite athletes, are legally allowable despite many in the sport accusing the shoes of providing a huge advantage for runners.

Things to talk about at home...

- 🍌 Do you feel better taking part in sport in some clothes or shoes more than others? Which ones?
- 🍌 Do you think the Nike trainers should be banned if they are proven to make people run faster?
- 🍌 If the Nike trainers are banned for professional athletes for making things unfair, should they be banned for everyone else too? Why?

British Values

10th-16th February

Rule of Law

In sporting competitions, it's important that things are fair for all competitors. The people in charge will check things like the clothes and shoes people wear, to make sure the event is equal for all.



This week, our school council children really thought about the different ways in which other children have helped their communities around the world by tackling issues that matter to them. They were inspired by children from Africa, Mexico and the UK and realised that they could also make positive changes to their communities through the smallest of things, such as writing to important people, fundraising and asking for donations.

Next week, we will be taking a look at different issues that the children might want to tackle and lead in school. Watch this space!