

# October Newsletter

Plaistow  
Primary School  
and Children's Centre



Dear Parents and Carers

As autumn approaches and the nights get darker, here is everything you will need to know for the month ahead.

## SCHOOL CLOSURES

Please note the following school closures:

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018** - INSET day

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2018 - Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018** - Half term

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2018** - INSET day

## DIARY DATES

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Governors Curriculum Committee - 5pm

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Governors Standards Committee - 6pm

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Metropolitan Police - safety workshops

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> Oct** - 5A @ Science Museum

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Metropolitan Police - safety workshops

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> Oct** - 5F @ Science Museum

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Governors Finance Committee - 5.30pm

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Geoffrey Museum in working with Y4

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> Oct** - RWI meeting for Nursery & Reception parents - 9.15am - 10.00am

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Y1 Art Workshops - all day @ Plaistow Primary

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Y3 Art Workshops - all day @ Plaistow Primary

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Black History Day

**Half Term Break - School Closed to pupils from Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018**

**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> Oct** - National Holocaust workshop - 6U @ Plaistow Primary

**Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> Oct** - National Holocaust workshop - 6D @ Plaistow Primary

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Y2 drumming workshop @PPS

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Y1 maths workshop for parents - 2.15-3.15pm

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Y2 maths workshop for parents - 2.15-3.15pm

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Y4 maths workshop for parents - 2.15-3.15pm

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Y3 maths workshop for parents - 2.15-3.15pm

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Governing Body meeting - 6pm

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> - Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Anti-Bullying Week

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Y5 maths workshop for parents - 2.15-3.15pm

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Anti-Bullying show - all pupils Y1-Y6

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov** - Y5 - Planetarium Dome @ PPS

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> Nov** - RS @ Stratford Theatre - Gruffalo show

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> Nov** - RZ @ Stratford Theatre - Gruffalo show

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> Dec** - 6U @ St Pauls Cathedral

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> Dec** - 6D @ St Pauls Cathedral

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> Dec** - British Values Day

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> Dec** - Christmas Concert - RZ & morning nursery - 9.30am

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> Dec** - Christmas Concert - RS & afternoon nursery - 2.45pm

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Dec** - Christmas Lunch

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> Dec** - Christmas Concert - KS1 - 9.30am

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec** - Christmas Concert - Y3 & Y4 - 9.30am

**Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec** - Christmas Concert - Y5 & Y6 - 2.30pm

**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Dec** - Christmas parties - from 1.30pm

**Christmas Break School Closed to pupils from Friday 21st December 2018 to Friday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

## PARENT EVENINGS

Please make a note on your calendar of our parent evenings. This is a time for you as a parent to discuss your child's progress with their class teacher and it is really important that you attend. We will be sending out letters with appointment times, all you need to do is return the slip with your preferred time.

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2019** - Parents Evening - 3.45pm to 6.45pm

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2019** - Parents Evening 3.45pm to 5.45pm

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2019** - Parents Evening 3.45pm to 6.45pm

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2019** - Parents Evening 3.45pm to 5.45pm

## CHILDREN'S CENTRE

### Family Fun Day

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018  
10:00am to 1:00pm

### Cinema Trip to Stratford Picture House

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October  
10:30am to 1:00pm

Kids Club: Film to be confirmed by the children centre, £2.00 pp and under one year old babies are free.

### Behaviour Workshop

1:30pm to 3:30pm  
26th November

Ideas and Strategies to help you manage when your child is struggling to achieve positive behaviours.

### Toilet Training

1:30pm to 3:30pm  
10th December

Ideas and Strategies to help you manage when your child is struggling to achieve toilet training.

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# KIDS ZONE

Can you solve the Sudoku?

The numbers 1-4 have to appear in each line and each column and in each set of four squares.

Easy - Level 1

	1	4	
	4	2	
	2	3	
	3	1	

Harder - level 2 - the numbers 1-6 have to appear in each line and each column

4					6
		6	4		
	2			1	
	6			4	
		2	3		
5					2

Did you know that Sudoku first appeared in 1892 in a French newspaper.

The word Sudoku comes from Japan and means 'single number'