

# Academy Newsletter

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2022  
Spring Term  
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This week, we held two Free Range Assemblies led by Year 4 and Year 3. It was great to welcome parents and carers into the school and see all the wonderful work the children have been doing. All the children were very knowledgeable and I am sure they taught you all a thing or two. Next week, Year 5 and Year 6 will be sharing their learning, so do not forget to pop into the Gym at 9:00am on your child's assembly day.

Year 6 went on their first trip to the Horniman Museum. The children appeared to have a fantastic time and Mrs. Rodney commented how well behaved and knowledgeable the children were. Please take a look at the photographs later in the newsletter.

On Tuesday, we recognised International Women's day, which is a global celebration observed on 8th March every year. It is an opportunity to celebrate the social, economic, cultural and political achievements of women, as well as highlight those areas where action is still needed to bring about equality. We hope you all managed to celebrate the special women in your lives.

Finally, next week is Science week, so listen out for some of the fun activities the children will be doing in class.

Have a lovely weekend.



## Red Nose Day

Red nose day is back on **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March**. The House and Vice Captains have made the decision that everyone can come to school on this day wearing pyjamas or a onesie in exchange for donating **£1** or **£2** for Comic Relief on SchoolGateway.

**The House and Vice Captains will be selling red noses to the classes on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March for £1.50. If your child would like to buy one, please send them in with the correct money in a purse or envelope (unfortunately, we cannot give change). There may be further opportunities to buy them through the week; however, we do have a limited supply.**



## Seedlings Nursery

Places still available!

Please email the office for details and to secure your child's place





**Areya- Year 3**  
**Nathan – Year 3**  
**Elizabeth-Rose – Year 4**  
**Charlotte – Year 4**  
**Freya – Year 4**

## Swimming

As a result of the parent survey that was sent out, some parents were worried that their children have missed out on swimming lessons. Due to the pandemic, Year 5 was our last class whose swimming lessons were disrupted. We have made the decision to give this class swimming lessons for the majority of this year and will continue to offer swimming lessons in Year 5 for the following years. This means that no class will miss out on their swimming lessons whilst at the Academy.



## Silly Science Workshops



As part of our British Science Week celebrations, the Education Group will be visiting the Academy on Monday to put on a spectacular science show. We are asking for a contricution of £2 per child towards the cost of this show, which can be paid via SchoolGateway.



Nursery	Patsie
EYFS	Stanley
Year 1	Maya
Year 2	Jolicia
Year 3	Noah
Year 4	Charlotte
Year 5	James
Year 6	Ruby

## Absence

When reporting your child absent please state their symptoms so we can record their absence accurately.

**ABSENT**

## Chromebooks

Chromebooks are available to purchase throughout the spring term. All orders take around 4 working days to process.

All purchases can be made through School Gateway.

If you have any further questions regarding the purchasing of Chromebooks, please email

[admin@stpstp.co.uk](mailto:admin@stpstp.co.uk)





### Year 6 trip to the Horniman Museum

Children participated in a workshop to reinforce concepts learnt in their Science lessons on Evolution and Inheritance.





Year 3 – Free Range Assembly





Year 4 – Free Range Assembly





## Citizens Course

Children on the Sports and Young Citizen course this week had a visit from the Deputy Mayor of Bromley, Councillor Tony Owen. Councillor Owen chatted to the children about what constitutes good citizenship and told them all about his role as Deputy Mayor. There were some excellent answers to his questions, as well as some valuable learning about citizenship in general. So far, most of the worksheets being returned each week are of a very high standard. Next week it is the turn of the Police to visit the Academy.





## Stars

Look at the fun that the children have in our wraparound care –STARS. See the attached flyer for more information.



## Diary Dates

Please note the lists of dates below are subject to change and we encourage you to look each week for any changes.  
Amendments are in **Blue** and Cancellations are in **Red**.

### Spring Term 2022

Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	Year 5 Free Range Assembly 9:00am
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	Year 6 Free Range Assembly 9:00am - followed by SAT's meeting
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	Red Nose Day – Wear pyjamas or onesies
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2022	Year 2 Free Range Assembly 9:00am
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	Year 1 Free Range Assembly 9:00am – followed by Phonics meeting
Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022	Lower Key Stage 2 Easter Passion
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2022	Mass – Pupils only
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2022	Last day of term – Stars finish at 4.30pm

### Summer Term 2022

Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	First day of term
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May 2022	Bank Holiday
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Last day of half term - Stars finish at 4.30pm
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	May Replacement Bank Holiday for Queen's Jubilee
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2022	Half Term Break
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	First day of half term
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	Year 6 School Journey - Thriftwood
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2022	Last day of term - Stars finish at 4.30pm