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## 15 November 2024

Hello Little London families,

We have had another super week remembering fallen heroes, war veterans and those still fighting for peace.

### **ATTENDANCE**

We continue to see improvements across school.

Please remember that we cannot provide ANY authorised attendance for routine doctors and dentists appointments unfortunately.

The attendance class winners for next week with extra break time go to Frida Khalo class *again* in Key Stage 2 and Dame Jane Goodall class in EY/KS1. Well done!

Year group	Class name	Attendance
Reception	Respectful Rabbits	91%
	Helpful Hedgehogs	81.9%
1	Oliver Jeffers	97%
	Mae Jemison	86.2%
2	Florence Nightingale	91.2%
	Dame Jane Goodall	<mark>97.1%</mark>
3	Gitanjali Rao	95.9%
	Usain Bolt	87.8%
4	Frida Khalo	<mark>96.7%</mark>
	Rob Burrow	91%
5	Lucy Bronze	91.1%
	Jonny Wilkinson	89.2%
6	Anne Frank	95%
	Chris Packham	91.3%

### **REMEMBRANCE WEEK**

This week the children were asked to write their own poetry for Remembrance, as we gave our thanks and praise for all those who have given their lives in aid of freedom. On Monday 11.11.24 we held a 2 minute silence in school. Please see a selection of the amazing entries on Dojo, we will create a display of these in school next week.

### **HEALTHY PACKED LUNCHES**

This half term we will be monitoring packed lunches to make sure all children have healthy options. In the planners there are suggestions for a good packed lunch, with fruit, snacks and a healthy sandwich ideally. We do not allow sweets and chocolate in lunchboxes as these are not healthy, crisps and chocolate daily, but do allow this on a Friday as a treat day!

## **RECEPTION MATHS WORKSHOP**

On Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November we are holding a workshop for Reception families at 9-10am for you to come and see how we teach maths and to support your child. Please come and join us!

### **CHILDREN IN NEED**

Today we allowed children (and staff!) to wear their spotty clothes in recognition of Children in Need and fundraising for those less fortunate. We are still counting up the donations but we know we have reaised over £250 for charity so thank you to everyone who has sent in a contribution. You can see a small selection of photos at the end of the newsletter and on Dojo!

## ANTI BULLYING WEEK

Next week we will be speaking to the children and learning about healthy relationships with our friends and in school. We will also be focussing on staying safe online as part of Anti Bullying week at LLA.

## PARKING AND DROP OFF OUTSIDE SCHOOL

Due to some near misses with vehicles and dropping off children at the front entrance, we will be using barriers this week to stop cars and taxi's from pulling into the entrance. Please also remember to use the pedestrian crossing over the main road and do not cross at the junction as this is not safe.

Have a lovely weekend!

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Year group	Class name	STAR AWARD	ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
	Friendly Foxes	Mand Z	
Reception	Respectful Rabbits	Sohrab D	Tilly-Sue L
	Helpful Hedgehogs	Zrng O	Mohammed H
1	Oliver Jeffers	Aws A	Lina E
	Mae Jemison	Hemen T	Hadja D
2	Florence Nightingale	Jerome AB	Pueras H
	Dame Jane Goodall	Beteal W	Aidan M
3	Gitanjali Rao	Whole Class!	Aydin S
	Usain Bolt	Shaden A	Yahuza U
4	Rob Burrow	Meral A	Arya K
	Frida Khalo	Hadiya M	Lena W
5	Jonny Wilkinson	Aryan T	Ruftabel W
	Lucy Bronze	Amy J	Jonathan A
6	Anne Frank	Sarin A	Hasan A
	Chris Packham	Faruk U	Міа Н

# **CHILDREN IN NEED PHOTOS:**







