



100% of WDPS pupils find learning interesting and enjoyable,
according to our recent school survey.

Children awarded by Newham Council

Recently, Year 5 had the opportunity to attend a Remembrance day ceremony at Plashet park. They had the privilege of placing religious emblems in memory of all brave soldiers. As well as attending and taking part in the ceremony, two students, Saihaan and Aliyah, had the honour of reciting a poem chosen by our Head teacher, Mrs Maher. As Newham Council had invited us to this special event, that comes only once a year, we were awarded a certificate by the Community Neighborhood Senior Officer, Mr Andrew Richardson.

Alongside this wonderful achievement, Mr Andrew Richardson also gave us another certificate. This certificate was to celebrate the hard work of the school council members, along with Mrs Maher, in organising a non-uniform day in order to raise money for the Syrian Refugees. Within the school council meeting, the members had come to a decision to help raise money and support the Syrian Refugees. It was a great opportunity to work together with events organised by Newham Council and being rewarded for them too.



Brilliant Club—Inspiring us!

On Saturday 30th of January 2016, the 12 members of The Brilliant Club were escorted, by Mrs Maher, to their Graduation Ceremony which was held at King's College. All 12 Year 6 participants of the Scholars Programme were triumphant and passed their 1000 word essay which was about the concept of fairness. The essay was both challenging and easy as we had to follow a specific structure and had to exemplify our points, simultaneously, it was made easier because our previous sessions with our PHD tutor had helped us a lot. Overall, having the opportunity to take part in the Brilliant Club has been a great pleasure; the journey has been amazing and will always be remembered.



Egyptian Curse

Last week, two very special visitors came to our school, one explorer and one Egyptian Countess. Together, they put on a performance for Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6. The show engaged all the children throughout. At the start of the journey, the cursed explorer, sought help from WDPS children and then left the innocent children with the curse. At our school we learn a lot about the Egyptians; the performance was an adventure which encouraged all of us to Look, Listen, Lean and Link!



Year 2 get discovering at the Discovery Centre



Earlier this week, Year 2 visited the Discover Centre for a Story Telling session. There, they created their own fairy-tale. They also dressed up as different characters and explored the centre's play area, which was designed from the story 'We're going on a bear hunt.' Year 2 have also written and illustrated their own story book, which will be published soon, so look at for it in our school library!



Variety club shares tickets to watch 'Minions'

As previously, the Variety Club were once again kind enough to send our school many tickets; enough to take Year 1, Year 3, Year 4 and some Year 5 children to watch the Minions movie. The children visited the Odeon cinema in Leicester Square. All the children who went on the visit really enjoyed their time; for some, it was their first time in a cinema. Our children are very grateful for this opportunity and, because they know how to be polite, they have been very busy writing thank you letters to the Variety Club.



School Council



Recently, the school council members have been discussing World Book Day. In our school children are encouraged to dress up as a character from a book. This year world book day is on the 3rd of March. On that day, there will be many activities that children can take part in during the school day. As you can see there is not a long time left, so get thinking and making! There will also be a Bumper Book Quiz that is on the 23rd of March. Further information will be provided soon. As of now it's which book character costume you have to be thinking about!

Nursery's walk



Nursery children went for a walk around our area. They followed a map and saw lots and lots of different things. When the children got back to school they individually created their own maps of our local area and drew pictures of the things they saw and remembered. The children were very happy, some of them saw their houses, some saw their family members waving at them and some saw birds eating on roofs. The nursery children all really enjoyed their walk.



Quiz Question

What are the names of the three boys who visit the chocolate factory owned by Willy Wonka?



Dates for Your Diary

Monday 22nd February - Back to School
Thursday 24th March- School closed for children- Parents meetings
Friday 25th March- Friday 8th April- School closed for Spring break

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