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## Kentish Town C of E Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

### Anti — Bullying Week

This week has been the official anti bullying week and we have talked with the children about what bullying is, why it happens and how they can manage situations if they see bullying or experience it themselves. The most important thing is to tell an adult in school or a parent or carer at home.

### Odd Socks Day—Friday 19th November

Children are encouraged to wear odd socks tomorrow in order to support the Anti — Bullying Alliance. Please pay £1 on parentpay. You can find out more about the anti-bullying alliance here: https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/anti-bullying-week/odd-socks-day. All funds raised will support anti-bullying initiatives. Thanks for your support.

### **Upcoming Dates**

Friday 26th November-Cedar, Sycamore, Chestnut and Beech - Hackney Empire

Friday 3rd December-Acorns, Oak, Ash and Willow - Pantomime in school

Thursday 9th December — Infant Nativity in school — 2pm

Thursday 9th December—Carols by Candlelight at St Benets Church — 6pm

Friday 10th December from 3pm—Christmas Fair — mostly outdoors

Monday 13th December - Christmas Parties in class (with Santa)

Tuesday 14th December-Christmas Lunch for all children and staff

Friday 17th December — Wider Opps Music Assembly at 9.45am

Friday 17th December — End of term —1.15pm.

### Black History Month — Proud To Be

Thank you very much to everyone who supported their children to complete a BHM project this year on the theme: Proud to Be.. From Marcus Rashford to Malorie Blackman via the Ivory Bangle Lady (a black Romano — British woman from York), each class chose a role model to write about. Many thanks to those parents and carers who joined us to look at the projects as well. Younger children made instruments and celebrated Carnival with music and food (plantain, ginger beer and patties) donated by parents and carers. Pictures have been uploaded to www.kentishtown.camden.sch.uk.

### **Cop26 Letters and Cards**

Thank you also to those children (and parents and carers) who drew pictures or wrote letters to the COP26 leaders demanding changes regarding pollution and climate change. The letters were collected and sent to the government department responsible for organising the conference. We are particularly proud of Isabel and Amity in Chestnut class for suggesting and leading on this project. They led assemblies, created presentations and encourage their peers to access Article 12 of the United Nations convention on the Rights of the Child: You have the right to give your opinion, and for adults to listen and take it seriously.

#### Parents' Evenings

You should have been sent an invitation to book a 10 minute meeting to discuss your child's progress this term. These meetings will be held in school on Monday and Tuesday 29th and 30th November. If your child has had an annual review this term then you will not be offered a meeting as you have already had a lengthy meeting regarding your child's progress. Please email the office: admin@kentishtown.camden.sch.uk if you would prefer a Zoom meeting.

Best wishes,

James Humphries - Headteacher





# Kentish Town Church of England Primary School

Are you looking for work and don't know where to start?

Are you interested in joining a workshop to discuss the key challenges facing parents/carers hoping to return to work?

Torriano, Brecknock, Kentish Town schools and Good Work Camden will be running a series of workshops over the coming months.

# Parent/Carer Workshop Torriano Primary School In the Gatehouse 25<sup>th</sup> November, 9.10am

## First Coffee Morning:

• The first workshop will find out what you need - what skills, training opportunities and support to help you to return to work

## Later workshops will explore:

- Finding Your Career Path—what opportunities are flexible and can work around your family?
- Creating a CV, brushing up on interview skills, writ-





- ing application forms and cover letters
- Meeting training providers, employers and childcare providers to discover what is on offer and what skills are needed for different roles.

This year Anti-Bullying Week 2021 will be taking place from Monday 15th to Friday 19th November. The theme for this year will be 'One Kind Word'.

"Kindness is more important today than it has ever been. The isolation of the last year has underlined how little acts of consideration can break down barriers and brighten the lives of the people around us. This is one of the reasons, that 'One Kind Word' has been chosen as the theme of Anti-Bullying Week taking place from 15 to 19 of November 2021." Anti-Bullying Alliance 2021.

At Kentish Town C of E Primary School our aim is to send a clear and positive message that bullying is neither acceptable nor inevitable. We will be looking at what the theme 'One Kind Word' actually means to us and how we as individuals can show kindness.

Here are just a few of the things that we will be working on: -Asking if someone is OK. -Saying you're sorry. -Saying hello.

The children will be learning that one kind word can provide a moment of hope, when the world around can feel like a really negative place. One kind word can change someone's day. Most importantly, it can break the cycle of bullying.

Marcia Freixeiro

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0<sup>th</sup> December

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10<sup>th</sup> December 3-5 p.m



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