



# Grange Primary School Newsletter

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FRIDAY 16TH JUNE, 2017

## Autumn Term

7th September-  
21st October

## Half Term (24th- 28th October)

31st October -  
21st December

## Spring Term

5th January -  
10th February

## Half Term (13th - 17th February)

20th February -  
31st March

## Summer Term

18th April - 26th  
May

## Half Term (29th May - 2nd June)

6th June - 21st  
July



Dear Grange families,

There has been all sorts going on in school this week, including Into University for Year 6, Islam day in RE, and visits to the White Cube for Y2.

As you know it has been a scorching week, and the children have coped really well with the hot weather. Please can we remind parents to provide their children with a sun hat, and to help them to apply sun cream on a morning before school. We would encourage children to bring water bottles which can be re-filled throughout the day, however any water bottles which are misused will be taken away.

Wishing you a very happy weekend in the sunshine.



Best wishes from the Grange Team.

At Grange we are starting a new initiative called the Young Interpreter Scheme in KS2.

The role of the Young Interpreters is to support the emotional health and well-being of new or current pupils with English as an Additional Language and their families. It is a high profile responsibility for which Mrs Rahman will provide training to the selected individuals.

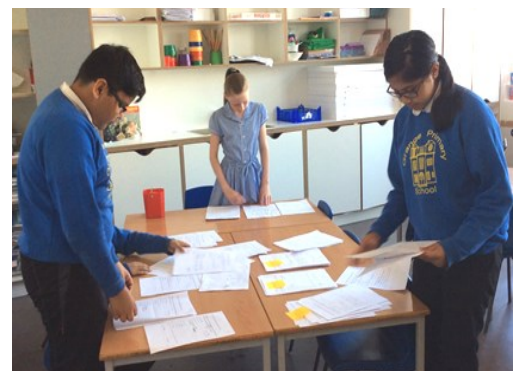


A lot of pupils 'applied' for the role of young interpreters and below are photos of our Year 6s helping with the interview and selection process!

Here is a list of the successful candidates:

Reenah (yr3)  
Brian (yr3)  
Kaiwande (yr4)  
Iqra (yr4)  
Fatima (yr4)  
Amilah (yr5)  
Lindsay (yr5)  
Mariem (yr5)

Congratulations to the above pupils!

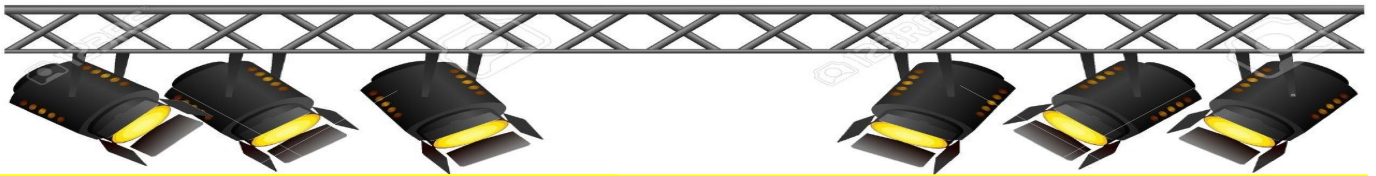


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### Star

This week in Star class, we have been learning a new dance routine. We have been experimenting with rhythm and different ways of moving.



### Moon

Moon class enjoyed RE day where children were learning about Islam. In Maths they were learning to count in 5s. We also continued with the topic of Mini beasts.

### Mercury

Mercury class made jellyfish in Design and Technology. We are learning all about the seaside and are currently making creatures that live in a rock pool.



### Planet Earth

On Thursday Planet Earth class were lucky enough to explore our local area, Bermondsey, which is our current topic. We went on a trip to the White Cube Gallery and got to see an exhibition by Larry Bell which really inspired us in our Art work, where we are studying shape and pattern in abstract art.



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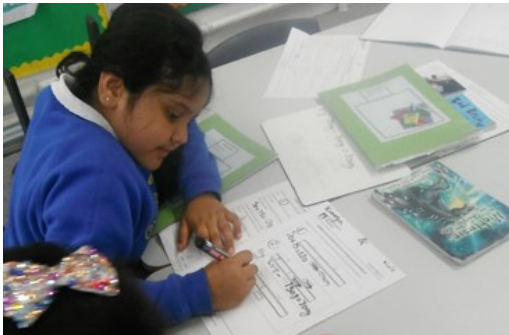
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### Mars

Tuesday was 'RE day' across the school and we were learning about Islam. Mars Class got to research the faith using the internet and books. They also interviewed Moshkura (helped by Nuur, Abdul, Jubayed and Aisha) about being a Muslim and thought of some excellent questions to find out more!



### Saturn

Saturn class have been focusing on Islam during R.E day, created our own stories using the book 'Voices in the Park' and discussed why the River Nile was so important in Ancient Egypt. Excellent work!



### Galaxy

This week for Islam Day we made prayer mats which Muslim people use for their daily pray.

### Upcoming Events

**Monday 19th June**

Football Training Y5/6  
(3.30-4.30pm)

**Tuesday 20th June**

Netball Club Y3/4  
(3.30-4.30pm)

**Wednesday 21st June**

Football Club KS2  
Multi Skills Club Y1/2  
Choir Club  
(All 3.30-4.30pm)

**Thursday 22nd June**

Girls Football Y5/6  
(3.30-4.30pm)

**Friday 23rd June**

Netball Club Y5/6  
(3.30-5pm)

### Supernova

Supernova did a fantastic job in their assembly this week, retelling the story of the Tin Forest in their own words. They spoke confidently and clearly and were very proud to share their brilliant writing. Well done Supernova!



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### Aurora

In Aurora we have been learning the properties of three dimensional shapes and have carried out many investigations to help us. In art we made some amazing firebirds using oil pastels.



### Pluto

Pluto class have continued to learn basketball. The children have consolidated their movement, ball control and catching skills. They are excited about learning more new skills and hope to continue making improvements.

### Neptune

Neptune Class enjoyed their first dance session of the year on Monday with a specialist dance tutor. They are very excited to be learning a new dance together over the next 5 weeks.



## ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

School Year 2016-17		%
<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Whole School</b>	95.0%
Key Stage 1 Winner	Planet Earth	99.1%
Key Stage 2 Winner	Pluto	99.5%
<b>Punctuality</b>	<b>Whole School</b>	96.9%
Key Stage 1 winner	Mars	99.1%
Key Stage 2 winner	Supernova	98.7%

Sky and Aurora Class have been busy thinking about their summer production of **Shrek!** The children have all been allocated roles, and we are now trying to learn all our lines and the songs. We hope you can all make it to the performance in July.



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