



# Weekly Newsletter

## Summer Term 2

Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> July 2023



### A Message from our Headteacher

Dear Parents,

It has been a strange week and we have hardly seen you all! Thanks for your support and understanding regarding the teaching strikes.

#### Pre-Love Uniform Sale

On Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July please join us at our preloved uniform sale. We have many items in good condition both summer and winter uniform which you can purchase at the end of the day in the main playground. Grab a bargain for the next academic year!

#### EYFS sports day

On Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July we will be holding our EYFS Sports day. Please join us from 9.15 – 11.30am to celebrate and support your children with their sporting achievement.

#### Year 6 School Journey

On Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July our Year 6 pupils will be attending our annual residential to Marchant's Hill. We hope they will have a fantastic time and make special memories with their friends.

#### International Food Festival and Carnival

On Monday we will begin our annual art week preparing our masks/ headdresses, instruments, and banners in preparation for our school carnival. This year we will end our procession with an international food festival. Are you an aspiring chef or an amazing home cook? We are looking for a variety of dishes to share. If you would like to donate a dish, please let us know. We are seeking traditional food which represents the diverse community at Grange. Alternatively, if you would like to help on the day with decorations, running a stall please let us know. Look out for more information next week in your child's book bag.

This is a great way to help the school raise funds for creative events next year.

#### Music

Well done to our fantastic year 5 pupils in Neptune class. You cheered my day up on Monday with your brilliant playing. I know your parents were proud and had great fun dancing during your concert!

#### Books

As we start to tidy up and prepare the school for the summer, please can you have a look at home for any outstanding library or class books and return them as soon as possible.

I hope you have a great weekend and I will see you on Monday.

*Rebecca*

### Dates for the Diary

Monday, 10 <sup>th</sup> to Wednesday, 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 residential to Marchants Hill
Friday, 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 3 pupils outing to Celtic Harmony (Hertfordshire)
Monday, 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 performance to parents
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Reports sent to parents
Wednesday, 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Carnival of cultures and international food festival
Thursday, 20 <sup>th</sup> July	School awards assembly
Thursday, 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 graduation and prom
Friday, 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Last Day of term – school closes at 2.00pm



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# School Information

## Attendance & Punctuality Class Winners of The Week



School Year	Class	%
<b>Autumn Term</b>		
Attendance KS1 Winner	Mercury	88.0
Attendance KS2 Winner	Sky	88.2

KS1 Punctuality Winner	Venus	95.6
KS2 Punctuality Winner	Aurora	97.5

Rest of School

Class	Attendance %	Punctuality %
Venus	87.0	95.6
Mercury	88.0	94.0
Planet Earth	84.6	94.6
Jupiter	82.7	96.0
Saturn	81.9	96.7
Supernova	81.9	95.6
Galaxy	84.6	95.0
Neptune	85.4	95.7
Aurora	85.4	97.5
Sky	88.2	97.4



**Mathletics**



Winning Class: **Galaxy Class**  
School's total points: 10,090

## Attendance Ladder

How close is your child to 100%?

0 days off school	100%	Perfection
Equates to 2 days off school each year	99%	Excellent
Equates to 5 days off school each year	97%	Good
Equates to 10 days off school each year	95%	Slight Concern
Equates to 20 days off school each year	90%	Concerned
Equates to 30 days off school each year	85%	Very Concerned

House Winners  
Congratulations to the summer term winners.  
**Tim Peake** house!



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# Happy Birthday to You!

First Name	Class	Age
Ammar	Galaxy	9
Augustina	Neptune	10
Justina	Sky	10
Mohamed	Jupiter	8
An	Mercury	7

### Value of the Week

The value of the week this week was **hope**. Please take some time over the weekend to discuss this value with your children.

*"Never give up on what you really want to do. The person with big dreams is more powerful than one with all the facts" unknown*

### Makaton Word of the Week

Along with our word of the week, our children will now be learning some sign language. We have many pupils at Grange that are non-verbal and one of the ways in which we communicate with them is to use sign language. We want all our children to be able to communicate with each other so felt that teaching our children to sign would help this. Please help us to learn together by practising this with your child at home.



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### Word of the Week

The word of the week this week is "gruesome". Please spend some time discussing this word with your child.

### Shinobi Word of the Day

**Word of the Day: gruesome**  
Pronunciation / Syllables  
Word Class (adjective)  
(grue-some)

**Definition:**  
 Something that is gruesome is extremely unpleasant and shocking.

**The state of Mrs Knott's desk was gruesome.**

<b>Synonym:</b>	<b>Antonym:</b>	<b>Prefix / Suffix:</b>	<b>Rhyme:</b>	<b>Link Word:</b>
hideous	pleasant	-ely	twosome	movie
fearful		-ness		experience





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## Class Gallery

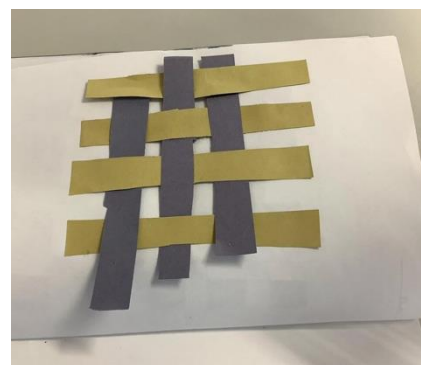
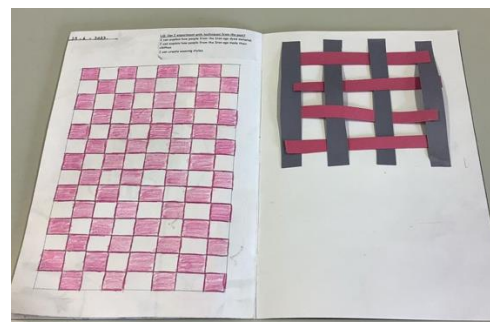
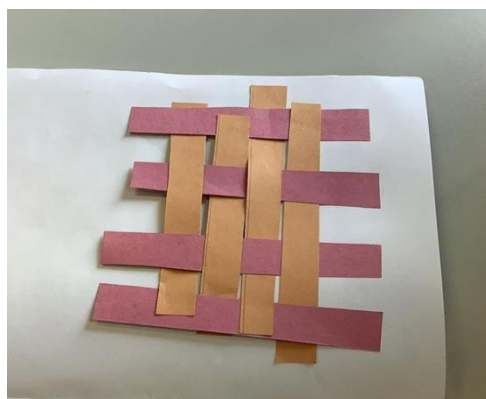
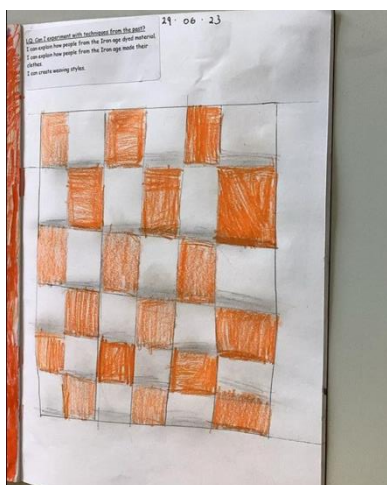
### Year 1

Year 1 have been busy this week learning about the layers in the rainforest. They created a collage to share the information they have found out!



### Year 4

Year 4 have learnt the skill of weaving. They have begun by testing this with paper and creating sketches.





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## Rewards

### Early Years & Years 1 & 2

Core Value: **Hope**

#### EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2

Class:	Name:	Reason for Award:
Venus	Max	Always being optimistic with his phonics and pushing himself to learn more.
Mercury	Issa	For always having a positive, hopeful attitude towards his learning and always having a go.
Planet Earth	Hosna	For always having a positive attitude and trying her best with all aspects of her learning.

Class	Writer of the week	Reason
Venus	Federico	For writing good comparison sentences about the Amazon rainforest and London.
Mercury	Suleman	For his brilliant sentence writing during RE.
Planet Earth	Bushra	For trying hard to improve her presentation and write a greater amount.

Class	Mathematician of the week:	Reason:
Venus	Ubaydah	For trying really hard counting from 50 to 100 in 10s and 1s.
Mercury	Lake	For being able to count in 10's to 100 with confidence.
Planet Earth	Azion	Excellent effort when learning about data handling.

#### EYFS to Year 2

Class:	Reader of the week:	Reason for Award
Venus	Stacy	For really trying hard at blending his words.
Mercury	Zoya	For her improved effort in reading.
Planet Earth	Muhammed	For reading regularly to an adult.



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# Rewards

## Years 3 to 6

Core Value: **Hope**  
**Years 3 to 6**

Class:	Name:	Reason for Award:
Jupiter	Daniella	For always working so hard in all subjects!
Supernova	Sana	For always aiming high in her learning!
Galaxy	Isata	For always believing in herself and taking on a challenge!
Neptune	Derek	For working hard to be more considerate of others feelings.
Aurora	Katherine	For practicing incredibly hard for the year 6 performance.
Sky	Asiah	For continuing to work towards being a good role model.

Class	Writer of the week	Reason
Jupiter	Yusra	For excellent dialogues between two characters!
Supernova	Saima	For a lovely start to her travel brochure to a beach village!
Galaxy	Aisha	For great use of persuasive language in her leaflet.
Neptune	Ayaan	For completing great handwriting during his Science experiment.
Aurora	Liam	For writing with much better accuracy.
Sky	Daniela	For always having fabulous presentation in all that she does.

Class	Mathematician of the week:	Reason
Jupiter	Stephen	For trying so hard to learn his Multiplication tables!
Supernova	Denis	For great independent work on statistics this week!
Galaxy	Erick	For great effort in learning about statistics this week.
Neptune	Zainab	For not giving up.



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Aurora	Nikola	For his consistent hard work throughout the year.
Sky	Muhammed	For working hard to understand area and perimeter.

### Reader of the week: Years 3 to 6

Class:	Name:	Reason for Award:
Jupiter	Madeline	For always reading at home!
Supernova	Emily	For great participation in reading sessions this week!
Galaxy	Safiatou	For great effort in her Reading lessons.
Neptune	Toye	For always bringing in his reading record signed.
Aurora	Rayane	For reading with great confidence
Sky	Anissa	For always completing her reading record.





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## GRANGE PRIMARY SCHOOL

### SUMMER HOLIDAY ACTIVITY CAMP - Yr1 to Yr 6



Have fun in the holidays at the Activity Camp running from 9.30am to 3.15pm each day,  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July to Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July &  
Monday 31<sup>st</sup> July to Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August at Grange. Cost £10 per day.

Children can attend for some or all of the days! It's easy to sign up, go to Parentmail to book and pay for the dates you would like your child to attend. If you need help signing-up, please pop in to the office and speak to a member of staff.



Summer Camp is being run at Grange Primary School  
by The PE and School Sports Network (PESSN) who will  
undertake all the activities.  
Appropriate PE/sports kit and a packed lunch will be required.



# Parent/ Carer Information and Support



## Summer Activities In Southwark

### ART IN THE PARK

SCAN ME



A SERIES OF NATURE INSPIRED ART WORKSHOPS IN OUR STUDIO IN BURRESS PARK AND THE OUTDOOR SPACE SURROUNDING IT. THERE WILL BE TWO AT ACTIVITIES AT EVERY SESSION WHICH IS SUITABLE FOR BOTH ADULTS AND CHILDREN FOR MORE INFO PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL US.

SATURDAY'S 2-4PM

### One Hub THINGS TO DO

SCAN ME

FIND ACTIVITIES ACROSS SOUTHWARK FOR YOUNG PEOPLE



LITTLE FISH THEATRE



SCAN ME

OUR PROGRAMME FOR CHILDREN AGED 4-11 YEARS, USES THEATRE TO DEVELOP THEIR CREATIVE VOICES AND SHARE THEIR STORIES. WE DELIVER:

SPEECH BUBBLES: DRAMA FOR COMMUNICATION INTERVENTION  
HOLIDAY AND HALF TERM PROJECTS  
PLAYING SAFE: A SERIOUS YOUTH VIOLENCE PREVENTION PROJECT FOR YEAR 4  
RESPONSE COMMISSIONED PROJECTS



SCAN ME



Volunteer  
Police  
Cadets

#### BE A CADET

DEVELOP YOUR VOLUNTEERING AND PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH THE VPC. HAVE FUN, EXCITING EXPERIENCES AND LEARN ABOUT POLICING.

FAQ'S



SCAN ME



#### HEALTHY EATING

SOUTHWARK'S FOOD AND FUN HOLIDAY PROGRAMME 2023

FIND OUT ABOUT OUR SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITY AND FOOD PROGRAMME FOR CHILDREN AGED FOUR TO 16 ON BENEFITS RELATED FREE SCHOOL MEALS, AND HOW TO SIGN UP.



SCAN ME





**MORE INFORMATION FOR TRANSITIONING TO SECONDARY SCHOOL.**

**ANNA FREUD**

**MOVING UP/ THE TRANSITION  
TO SECONDARY SCHOOL**



**ANNA FREUD**

**SUPPORTING CHILDREN'S  
TRANSITION TO SECONDARY  
SCHOOL: GUIDANCE FOR  
PARENTS AND CARERS**



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**YOUNG MINDS**

**SUPPORTING SCHOOL  
TRANSITIONS**





## Family Advice and Guidance

Free confidential advice and support for you and your family over the phone. To book a slot, please call Nadene on 07776 990 819.

(Telephone Service Mon - Fri, 9.00am - 5.00pm)

## Referrals

Family Support referrals must be completed by an Early Help professional, email [earlyhelp@southwark.gov.uk](mailto:earlyhelp@southwark.gov.uk)

To discuss the referral process, please email Elena Salazar:  
[Elena.Salazar@1stplace.uk.com](mailto:Elena.Salazar@1stplace.uk.com)

## Rose VOUCHERS for fruit & veg

The Rose Vouchers for Fruit & Veg Project gives vouchers to buy fruit and veg locally to families on low incomes or with no recourse to public funds (NRPF), who have children under 5 years old. to find out more go to [www.1stplace.uk.com/rosevouchers](http://www.1stplace.uk.com/rosevouchers)



Find 50 low or no cost family activities in the free 50 Things app.

Download from Google Play or Apple Store.



## 1st Place Summer Timetable

24th July - 1st September 2023

**Packed full of activities for you and your little ones!**

**1st Place Children & Parents' Centre**  
12 Chumleigh St  
Burgess Park  
SE5 0RN

**Victory Children & Family Centre**  
Elba Place  
SE17 1PT

E-mail: [BBWCF@1stplace.uk.com](mailto:BBWCF@1stplace.uk.com) Phone: 020 7740 8070

[www.1stplace.uk.com](http://www.1stplace.uk.com)

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Southwark Children and Family Centres  
Borough Bankside and Walworth



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>Chatter Box (drop-in)</b> Victory Children & Family Centre <b>10 am - 11.30 am</b> <b>July 24th 31st</b> <b>August 7th 14th 21st</b> A session where we share advice and support on the development of your child's early speech and language skills.	<b>Healthy Movers (drop-in)</b> Victory Children & Family Centre <b>10 am - 11.30 am</b> <b>July 25th</b> <b>August 1st 8th 15th 22nd 29th</b> Join us for a lively Stay and Play focussing on getting moving including tips and ideas.	<b>SENsational (drop-in)</b> 1st Place Children & Parents' Centre <b>10 am - 11.30 am</b> <b>July 26th</b> <b>August 2nd 9th 16th 23rd 30th</b> See session description on Monday.	<b>Baby Stay &amp; Play (drop-in)</b> 1st Place Children and Parents' Centre <b>1:30 pm - 3 pm</b> <b>July 27th - 31st August</b> <b>27th July</b> Trough Painting... #3 Make your mark <b>3rd August</b> Rhymes and their value #6 Rhyme time <b>10th August</b> Explore bubbles #8 Bubbles <b>17th August</b> Stories & their value #10 Sharing books <b>24th August</b> Peekaboo #32 Where have I gone <b>31st August</b> Signs to support communication #39 Talking signs	<b>50 Things Stay &amp; Play (drop-in)</b> 1st Place Children and Parents' Centre. Sessions are linked to 50 Things To Do Before You're Five activities. <b>28th July</b> Trips on Buses take the bus The wheels on the bus # 28 <b>4th August</b> Visit a Playground outside 1st Place and play in fountains ( bring towels and change of clothes) #26 Splish Splash Splish <b>11th August</b> 1st Place 1 mile challenge (walk our 1 mile route in the park and get a certificate) #27 Little People Park Keeper <b>18th August</b> Sand castle competition at Bananas On The Beach. Prizes for best sandcastle. #5 Squidgy Sand
<b>SENsational (drop-in)</b> 1st Place Children & Parents' Centre <b>2 pm - 3:30 pm</b> <b>July 24th 31st</b> <b>August 7th 14th 21st</b> A session planned to support young children with additional and special educational needs. This session encourages the development of early attention and social communication skills through play. Our Centre is accessible with a beautiful beach area, calming sensory space and outdoor play area. This session particularly supports children with Autism, Global Developmental Delay, ADHD or any other additional need. Respite spaces are sometimes available, but these must be pre-booked. <b>For more information, please call Libby 07759523217.</b>	<b>Babytime (drop-in)</b> Victory Children & Family Centre <b>2 pm - 3:30 pm</b> <b>July 25th</b> <b>August 1st 8th 15th 22nd 29th</b> A session for young babies. On this informative session we offer tips and advice on your babies learning and development while your little one explores our cosy play area, and we will sing songs and rhymes together.	<b>Outings BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL</b> <b>Outings will be from 11 am - 4 pm.</b> For all outings we will meet at Victory Children and Family Centre. If you wish to meet us at the venue, this can be discussed when you book. We can offer support to travel but this is limited. <b>To book, contact Judy. 07760624136</b> <b><a href="mailto:Judy.Morris@1stplace.uk.com">Judy.Morris@1stplace.uk.com</a></b> <b>26th July</b> Princess Diana Playground <b>2nd August</b> Kew Gardens <b>9th August</b> Crystal Palace Park <b>16th August</b> Blackheath Park & Greenwich Park <b>23rd August</b> Ruskin Park <b>30th August</b> Mudchute Farm	<b>Rose Voucher Collections</b> 9:30 am - 12 pm & 1 pm - 3 pm Victory Children & Family Centre <b>Families Matter</b> DWP drop-in service <b>Wednesdays 10 am - 12 pm</b> 1st Place Children & Parents' Centre, 12 Chumleigh Street, SE5 0RN Advisors from the Department for Work & Pensions will be available to offer support and advice on a range of topics including benefits, upskilling & training, CV writing, job interviews, childcare once you're in work and more. <a href="http://www.southwark.gov.uk/familiesmatter">www.southwark.gov.uk/familiesmatter</a>	<b>25th August</b> Explore our mud area and make potions and mud pies. #17 Hocus Pocus potions <b>1st September</b> Picnic in the Park Bring a rug and a picnic, play in the park and join us in a big sing along to finish the session. # 30 Yummy picnic

