



## WISDOM

Our whole school theme this half-term is wisdom. We will be asking ourselves the question ‘What makes someone wise?’ and delving into the importance of experience, knowledge, judgement, foresight and sensible, considered thinking and decision-making.

## LEARNING ABOUT BUDDHISM

Y4 visited the West London Buddhist Centre to learn about the beliefs behind the Buddhist faith. They learnt about mindfulness and the benefits of meditation and had a thoroughly enlightening experience.



## Y5 AT SHAKESPEARE'S GLOBE

On Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November, Year 5 went on a trip to The Globe Theatre. This linked with our new English unit ‘A Midsummer Night’s Dream’. The children had a guided tour of the theatre and stood on the stage and said famous lines from Shakespeare’s plays. Then they had a drama workshop where they took part in scenes from A Midsummer Night’s

Dream. It was a brilliant day and the children’s behaviour was outstanding.



## UNIFORM

We ask parents to check if your child has brought home any articles of uniform or any other items which do not belong to them by checking the name on the label. Please return these to the school as soon as possible. Thank you in advance.

## FIRE STATION

Both Reception classes had a wonderful time visiting the fire station over the past two weeks. They enjoyed learning all about the job of a firefighter and got some real hands on experience!





#### SCOOTERS AND BIKES

Please note that scooters & bikes left in the bike parking area of the playground are left at the risk of the owner. There have been occasional incidents of scooters going missing and not being returned and we therefore advise that any item left there should be locked for extra security. Thank you in advance,.

#### LITTER

Recently, we have been made aware of a growing litter problem in the streets around our school. Residents have reported an increase in the number of sweet wrappers, crisp packets etc, particularly during term time. We will remind our pupils of the importance of being a good citizen and not dropping litter and would appreciate it if parents could reinforce this message if necessary. We also hope that this message is being delivered to pupils in other local schools in the area. Thank you in advance.

Year to date Class Attendance	
<b>BUSS</b>	<b>95.82</b>
<b>CARPENTER</b>	<b>95.19</b>
<b>CAXTON</b>	<b>96.65</b>
<b>DARWIN</b>	<b>96.04</b>
<b>DICKENS</b>	<b>95.86</b>
<b>FARADAY</b>	<b>97.67</b>
<b>FRY</b>	<b>95.99</b>
<b>JENNER</b>	<b>96.63</b>
<b>JOHNSON</b>	<b>96.69</b>
<b>NEWTON</b>	<b>96.83</b>
<b>PANKHURST</b>	<b>97.39</b>
<b>SEACOLE</b>	<b>97.17</b>
<b>SHACKLETON</b>	<b>94.71</b>
<b>WILBERFORCE</b>	<b>93.92</b>
<b>WOLLSTONECRAFT</b>	<b>92.95</b>

#### *Upcoming*

- 13<sup>th</sup> Nov Anti-bullying week begins*
- 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> Nov Y6 Pinhole camera project*
- 20<sup>th</sup> Nov Shakespeare Schools rehearsal*
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov Y5/6 Football Festival*
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov Reception trip to Lyric Theatre*