

Godwin Newsletter 11th October 2019

Head Teacher's Message

As you know, in supporting our children to become responsible global citizens we always focus on the small things which each of us can do which collectively make a huge difference. Visitors from Newham Council shared with us the alarming fact that 456 schools in London have illegal levels of air pollution due primarily to traffic fumes. Our children also heard that leaving the car engine running for only one minute produces enough harmful gasses to fill 150 balloons. As a school we are promoting healthy lifestyles and encouraging our children to walk, scoot or cycle rather than use the car for shorter journeys. Please discuss this with your child. This reinforces Article 24 of the UNCRC – all children have the right to a clean environment.

Next week, filming will be taking place by a videographer hired by the Council's highways team to produce a video to promote air quality and road safety. Vehicles' plate numbers and all faces will be blurred.

Hot Chocolate Afternoon

TODAY

3.20pm

Come along to the Friends of Godwin Hot Chocolate Afternoon to get a cup of delicious hot chocolate and a sweet treat to start the weekend!

All proceeds to school funds.



Parent/Carer Conferences

Wednesday 16th October & Thursday 17th October Please make sure you have booked your appointment to meet with your child's class teacher to discuss their learning this term.

Musical Instruments

Last chance to buy –
Violas - £30
Flutes - £30
Second-hand Guitars - £5
(sold as seen no returns).
Available from the school office.



Missing Coat

A Year 4 child has lost a grey winter coat – could all Year 4 parents/carers check at home in case your child has inadvertently brought home the wrong coat?

Can You Help?

We need empty (washed out)
2 litre plastic bottles and
dark coloured buttons for
our Remembrance Day
project.



Punctuality

Our best 'On Time' classes for week ending 30th September were: 3A, 4Y, 4K & 6Z with 0 late marks recorded each. Excellent effort!

Food Bank Appeal

Please remember to support our autumn collection for the Food Bank.
Tins and dry goods are the most appropriate donations and are gratefully received.
Thank you.



Half Term Holiday

The school will be closed for the Half Term Holiday from Monday 21^{st} – Friday 25^{th} October.



Achievement Awards

Many congratulations to the following children who received Achievement Awards in assembly today......

Esme - 3A, Denikel - 3B,
Adam - 3M, Isaac - 3T,
Kasparas - 4K, Kaela - 4S,
Shah Hussain - 4V,
Sylvester - 4Y, Lamis & Eve - 5J,
Jessie - 5K, Sammy - 5T,
Reon - 5W, Leila - 6S,
Emmanuel - 6W, Jazmin &
Dhillon - 6Z

Attendance

Our top class for attendance for week ending 30th September was: 4V with 100%. A fantastic effort!

