



Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Dear families,



### Young Voices

Last Monday, our school choir had the privilege of being part of the Young Voices concert at the O2 venue. We were part of a choir, which included around 8,000 school children. The children had been rehearsing for some time and performed for their families in what was the most incredible experience. They also got to sing with a number of well-known performers, including MC Grammar, Tommy Blaize and Souparnika Nair, as well as seeing the dance act 'Urban Strides'. The children had a wonderful time and their families were



incredibly proud of them, as were we. A huge well done to all those who took part and a massive thank you to our families that supported us.

### Year 2 trip to Tower of London

Year 2 had a fabulous time at the Tower of London. They explored the historic castle and they saw battlements, jewels, armour, ravens, arrow slits and many more castle features. They made sure to represent Lonesome well by being sensible, when they were on public transport and walking around the castle grounds. It was a great day for them all!



### Chinese New Year



The children in our Early Years had a very special time on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January celebrating The Lunar New Year. They learned all about the story of the zodiac animals, ate some specially made noodles and dumplings, did some dragon dancing and made some very special lanterns. They were also joined by their families and they all had a really special time celebrating this important festival.



## Ocean Friendly School Award

The children in Key Stage 2 took part in a special virtual assembly last week, as they learned all about the importance of our part in keeping our oceans clean. Stephen joined us via video link and spoke to the children all about how important our oceans were to us and the dangers that we humans present to the conservation of our oceans. The children were able to

## Attendance

We are thrilled to share some improving attendance data with you this week, We have seen an improvement in the attendance across the school and we want to see next week as being even better.

Please do remember that if your child is in school every day this week, they will be invited to a very special movie night on **Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February**. The children have been very excited about the prospect of joining us at this event so please do make sure that you are bringing them in every day so they get the opportunity to join us.

## Pizza Parties

It has been nice to see that we have had some different classes win our Pizza Parties with Roots winning this week and Milne winning last week. Well done to the improved attendance in these classes!



Class	Percentage %
Einstein AM	88%
Einstein FT	86%
Livingstone	91%
Donaldson	100%
Ennis	96%
Wonder	97%
Palin	94%
Lincoln	98%
Milne	91%
Mandela	97%
Pankhurst	92%
Wilberforce	96%
Roots	98%
Da Vinci	96%
Buble	95%
<b>Total</b>	<b>95%</b>



## Mathletics

The competition is really heating up now in terms of our Mathletics Champions and well done to all those classes who got in our top three.



Week 5 - 03/02	Wonder	Buble	Palin
	24,435 (avg 1,164)	23,872 (avg 1,038)	11,209 (avg 509)

## Junior Parkrun

Well done to Omayya (Mandela), Jayden (Livingstone), Edwin (Pankhurst) and Eliana (Ennis Class) for embracing the cold and enjoying their first Parkrun around Figges Marsh. Please do join the Lonesome team each Sunday at 9.00 am and collect a whole host of running bands for completing weekly distances. It is such fun!



junior parkrun

**Mrs Bull and Ms Revell**



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