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A Message from our Deputy Headteacher

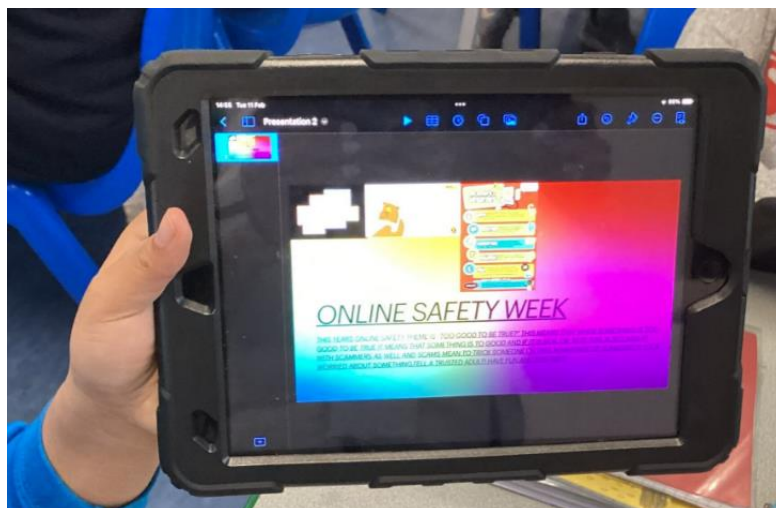
Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we held '**Internet Safety Day**' and completed some activities to explore this year's theme 'Too good to be true? Protecting yourself and others from scams online.'



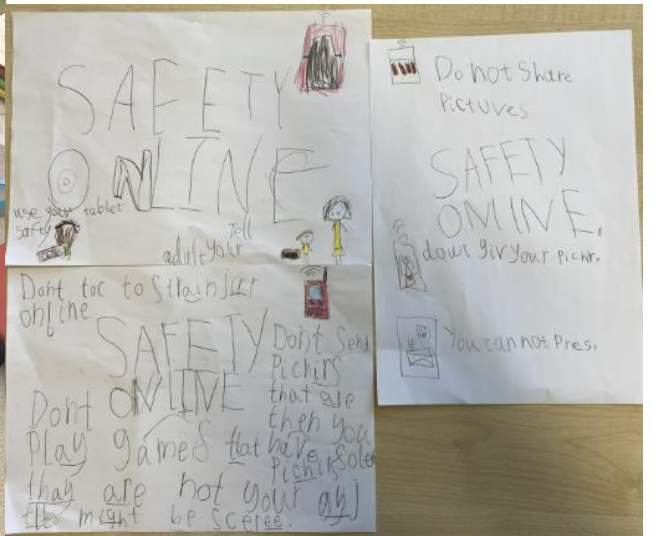
In **KS1**, children explored what 'personal details' are, including full name, date of birth and address. We discussed how they should never share these details and should always seek a trusted adult if they are ever asked to provide these details. We also looked at a range of 'pop ups' that might appear if they are playing games or searching on the internet. For example, for prizes that might seem 'too good to be true'.

In **KS2**, children delved deeper into what online scams children may come across. They were shown various scenarios and they discussed what they would do in each of the situations. Afterwards, they generated Internet Safety Guides. Some classes used the App Keynote to create presentations about how to protect themselves from online scams.





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Year 3 Trip to South East Hindu Association

Children had the opportunity to visit a Hindu place of worship and learn more about the Hindu religion and its practises. They learnt about Hindu deities Brahma, the creator, Vishnu, the preserver and Shiva, the destroyer.





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Dance with Year 2 and 3

This week was Year 2 and 3's last Dance session of the Term with Chantall from Pioneer Dance. They had great fun practicing and performing their dance routines!





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Design Technology with Year 3

In Design Technology, we have been learning about the structure of castles and their features. We have built our own castles. Take a look at our wonderful creations!





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Willow Class Learning

This week, Willow Class conducted an experiment for the last lesson of our unit on Materials. We were testing whether items were made with absorbent or non absorbent materials. The children placed the items into a tray of water and waited to see if the materials absorbed the water. Then the children recorded their answers in a results table in their books!





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London Bubble Theatre with Year 6

This Friday 14th February, London Bubble Theatre worked with Year 6 in a workshop and then performed their show 'Playing Safe'. The play discussed issues around serious youth violence and safety in the local community.





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Makaton Sign of the Week

Makaton is a language with speech, signs and symbols used to support people who have difficulty communicating. We teach it to all of our children and staff so that we can become even more inclusive as a school. This week our Makaton signs are "Miss/ Mr/ Mrs" and the letters A, B and C.



M



A



B



C



Stars of the Week



We would like to recognize the children who have been great examples of our School values and have shown a true commitment to their learning. Well done!

Reception	Ivanka for being positive and happy when she is asked to do her learning. Romeo for volunteering to do independent work every day and for having a great work ethic.
Willow	Enoch for working really hard to write independently in his non fiction leaflet this week. I am so proud of how hard you are working! Zayan for coming to school so bravely with a big smile on his face! Well done Zayan for being so brave!
Elder	Toby for working hard to (catch up) and understand subtraction with re-grouping. Great work, Toby! Shyanna for working hard to improve the neatness and fluency of her handwriting. Keep going, Shyanna!
Beech	Aithana for settling into Year 3 at DKH and for already showing so much enthusiasm, dedication, and a positive attitude towards your learning. We are excited for the journey ahead! Eqra for your outstanding perseverance and determination in overcoming challenges. We are so proud of the effort and commitment you give to every task and the excitement you show.
Cedar	Urian for brilliantly teaching the whole class how to draw trees. Ioan for his 100% focus and determination when completing his Pompeii newspaper report.
Hazel	Seyram and Dylan for good composition work using the GarageBand program at Alleyns this week.
Maple	Joel for his exceptional hard work and efforts with his homework! Mosiah for exhibiting fantastic behaviour this term.
Oak	Owen S for showing such great confidence in class and for excellent learning. Z'Niyah for her fantastic writing and for always being an excellent example to her peers.



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Dates for your Diary

14/02/2025	Last day of Term. Children finish at 3:30
15/02/2025-23/02/2025	School closed for Half Term Holidays
24/02/2025	First Day back of School
27/02/2025	Swimming Starts for Cedar Class
4/03/2025	Half of Year 5 (Hazel Class) to attend Millwall Football Lunch Time Taster Session 12:30-1:30
6/03/2025	World Book Day
10/03/2025	British Science Week and STEAM Week begins
11/03/2025	Half of Year 5 (Hazel Class) to attend Millwall Football Lunch Time Taster Session 12:30-1:30

Attendance

Caterpillar	88.2%	Willow	95.8%
Elder	91.8%	Beech	93.9%
Cedar	93.5%	Hazel	96.8%
Maple	98.1%	Oak	96.1%



Breakfast and Afterschool Club



Come and join us for our Breakfast and Afterschool Clubs!

Breakfast club will start at 7.45am- This will include breakfast of cereal or toast and will cost £5.00 per day

After School club- Light snack and sports activities and games and will cost:

1 Hour £6.00

2 Hour £12.00

Full session (2 1/2 hours) £15.00

Snacks will only be offered to children staying over 1 hour.

We are able to offer a discount to families that wish to book a full week after school club and this is charged at £65.00 per week.

Wraparound Care (ASC) will not be suitable for Nursey pupils (5 years old+).



Please see Carrie in the Office for more information!

Club Donations

We would really welcome donations of games and jigsaws for our clubs! Please drop any off to the Office!



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UNDER 8s & 9s GIRLS OPEN TRAINING SESSIONS

ATHENLAY FOOTBALL CLUB ARE LOOKING FOR GIRLS
IN YEARS 3 AND 4 TO JOIN A NEW U9 GIRLS TEAM.
NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED, JUST ENTHUSIASM!

FREE WEEKLY TRAINING SESSIONS
FOR INTERESTED GIRLS WILL START
ON TUESDAY AFTERNOONS
FROM 14TH JANUARY, 4.30-5.30PM.

ATHENLAY FOOTBALL CLUB, HOMESTALL ROAD, SE22 ONP



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FREE **HALF TERM**
ACTIVITIES FOR FAMILIES
with young people 10+
Camberwell & Old Kent road

MONDAY 17TH - THURSDAY 20TH FEBRUARY
10:00AM - 3:00PM

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:
MONEY MATTERS, GAMING, SPORTS,
CREATIVE WRITING, ARTS,
2D PRINTING AND HOT LUNCH

VENUE: THE LIVESY EXCHANGE
567 OLD KENT ROAD SE 1 5EW

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FREE **HALF TERM**
ACTIVITIES
FOR FAMILIES
with children 0-11 **Nunhead**

SATURDAY 15TH FEBRUARY : FREE FAMILY FRIENDLY MATINEE (SOUTHBANK UNIVERSITY)

MONDAY 17TH - WEDNESDAY 19TH FEBRUARY
ARTS, CRAFTS, MUSIC GAMES, SPORTS AND HOT FOOD
TIME: 10AM - 2PM

VENUE: THE GREEN COMMUNITY CENTRE
NUNHEAD GREEN SE 15 3QQ

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TIME: 10AM - 2PM

VENUE: THE LEWINGTON CENTRE
COMMUNITY CENTRE
9 EUGENIA ROAD ROTHERHITHE SE16 2RU

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Spring HT Camp - 17th – 21th February

Jaegar HC will be running our February Half Term Camp offering affordable and safe childcare in the community.

The Camp day is from 9am-4pm with an extended day to 5pm.

We are Ofsted registered, therefore Childcare Vouchers can be used and a **10% sibling** discount and **30%** discount for Pupil Premium children/Related Benefits, are available.

Here is a link to our booking page [HERE](#).

If parents/carers require further details, they can email me at info@jaegarhc.co.uk





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Dog Kennel Hill Adventure Playground

February Half-Term

DKHAP is a free playground for 8 – 12 year olds
Under 8s are welcome if accompanied by a grown-up.

We are open 11am – 6pm

17th – 21st February

Join us!



Mural creating
Clay Pot crafting
Bag making
DJ Sessions
Knitting for beginners



Archery
Football
Roller-skating

plus all the usual free style adventurous play!

Wednesday 19th
Graffiti Workshop
with Urban Artist Academy



Get in touch: info@dkhap.org.uk
Find Us: Dog Kennel Hill, SE22 8AA, next to Sainsburys