

7th march 2025



# John Donne Primary School

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Dear parents and carers,

Well it feels like Spring has definitely sprung this week and we've all be enjoying the beautiful sunshine.

It has been great to see so many children dressed up for World Book Day today. Their costumes are so creative so thank you for your support with this. The children have been doing a variety of different activities today including a buddy reading session with a different class. It was so lovely to see younger and older children sharing books together.

Just a heads up that it is Red Nose Day on 21<sup>st</sup> March. We will be sending out more information very soon but put the date in your diary now.

Could I just remind everyone that when you are dropping off your children at school, could you please park your car before letting your children out of the car rather than letting them exit your vehicle in the road. This just means that traffic can move smoothly in the road and, ultimately, the children are safe. Thank you for your support and cooperation with this.

I hope you have a wonderful weekend enjoying the sunshine and we will see you bright and early on Monday morning.

Miss Rooney



This Weeks Class Attendance Winner

**Red Reception with 100%**

## Attendance

Our whole school attendance target is **97%**

Our overall attendance this week is **97.1%**

**Well done to the classes who achieved above whole school attendance!**

Class	Attendance	Late
Nursery	95.0%	2
Reception Red	100%	3
Reception Green	97.3%	0
Red 1	94.6%	1
Green 1	95.8%	1
Red 2	96.3%	0
Green 2	97.3%	1
Red 3	99.3%	0
Green 3	96.3%	5
Red 4	97.2%	1
Green 4	99.3%	2
Red 5	98.3%	0
Green 5	96.8%	2
Red 6	97.4%	1
Green 6	96.7%	0

Diamond Ticket Winners this week:



Sabastian R1, Nevaeh R1, Angel G1, Fredelyn G1, Elisha R2, Cheznae G2, Hannah R2, Hilikiah R3, Kara G3, Nathan G3, Rocsi R4, Hussain R4, Iqra G4, Ibrahim G4, Aston R5, Eleanor R5, Nevaeh G5, Jeveina G5, Eryk G6, Azaria G6, Praise R6, Maria R6,

Golden Ticket Winners this week:



Jermiah G1, Aziz G1, Azai R1, Ira R2, Ruby G2, Dora R2, Karol G2, Lilly R5, Logan R5, Joell R3, Richard, R3, Ryan G3, Chimamanda G3, Makai G4, Efe R4, Fathima R4, Akeem G5, Tasneem G5, Gloria R6, Dejaurn R6, Zinedine G6, Jayden G6

# Important Parent Information

## Dates for your Diary:

### Upcoming Dates:

#### March Dates

17/03/25	G6 Maritime Museum
21/03/25	Red Nose Day/Comic Relief
24/03/25	Y5– London Eye
27/03/25	Y1 Dulwich Picture Gallery
27/03/25	R3 Garden Museum
31/03/25	R6 Maritime Museum
01/04/25	R5 Class Assembly
02/04/25	R3 Class Assembly
03/04/25	John Donne's Got Talent

If your child is unwell or sick please call the office or register their sickness through Study bugs:



Term Dates		
Spring 2	Mon 24th Feb 25	Fri 4th April 25
Easter	7th Apr 25	21st Apr 25
Summer 1	Tues 22nd Apr 25	Fri 23rd May 25
Half Term	26th May 25	30th May 25
Summer 2	Mon 2nd June 25	Tues 22nd July 25 @ 2pm



Please make sure you follow us on Instagram and Twitter, @JDPSoffice. We will be posting live updates and pictures to show what is going on within your child's school day.



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We had an amazing day celebrating our love for books. Thank you to all children and Teachers that took part in dressing up and representing their favourite book.



# WORLD BOOK DAY



# Buddy Reading

Children took part in Buddy reading Sessions where older children spent time reading with their younger peers.



# World Book Day Competition

Congratulations to all competition  
Winners!



## Book Cover Competition KS2



Akeem

2

G5



Bella

1

G5



Fatimah-Zahra

3

G6



Ezra

2

R2



Ava

1

R1



Melissa

3

R2



## Book Cover Competition KS1



Eva

2

R1



Inayah

1

G4



Vanessa

3

G6



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21ST MARCH 2025

Children are welcomed to wear an item of **RED** clothing in exchange for **£1.**

Where you can buy Comic Relief/Red nose day merchandise:

- <https://www.comicrelief.com/rednoseday/>
- Your local Sainsburys Store
- Homesense ( Part of TK MAXX)
- Amazon Online



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# Stay & at play!



## John Donne Nursery

(For Nursery 25-26 Cohort)

Come and meet the team, see the environment and experience the provision.

### Available Dates:

- Tuesday 18th March
- Wednesday 19th March
- Thursday 20th March
- Tuesday 25th March
- Wednesday 26th March
- Thursday 27th March



An invitation link will be sent to Parents who have applied for a nursery position already via e-mail.



If you need further information or you would like to be added to the list of invitees, please contact the school office.

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'The Children's Book Project gift books that children have grown out of to families with very few books of their own. Find your nearest drop off point on their website'

community  
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# joymungous

the feeling of gifting your pre-loved books



Children's **Book** Project



# Outside of School Events and Activities

This Easter, the council is funding free holiday clubs for children and young people aged 4 – 16 years receiving benefits-related free school meals. There are 18 locations to choose from and this year's programme runs from Monday 7<sup>th</sup> April to Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2025.

Each programme will provide:

- free, nutritious and tasty food everyday
- fun physical activity sessions
- a wide range of other exciting activities to suit different ages and personalities
- opportunities to learn more about food and nutrition for children and their families

A map of all our funded holiday clubs is available at the link below:

<https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/0/edit?mid=1h31P83VEsJREtdiwBlpJtfTsH625ymo&usp=sharing>

Spaces are limited, so please to book a place using the letter and flyer attached and by [sharing this promotional video](#).

Parents of eligible children can book a place at [www.eequ.org/southwarkfoodandfun](http://www.eequ.org/southwarkfoodandfun).

If families wish to book a place at Damilola Taylor Centre, please ensure they sign up via the following link: <https://forms.office.com/e/QA1v8L0x6n>.



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 ★ PICKLEBALL

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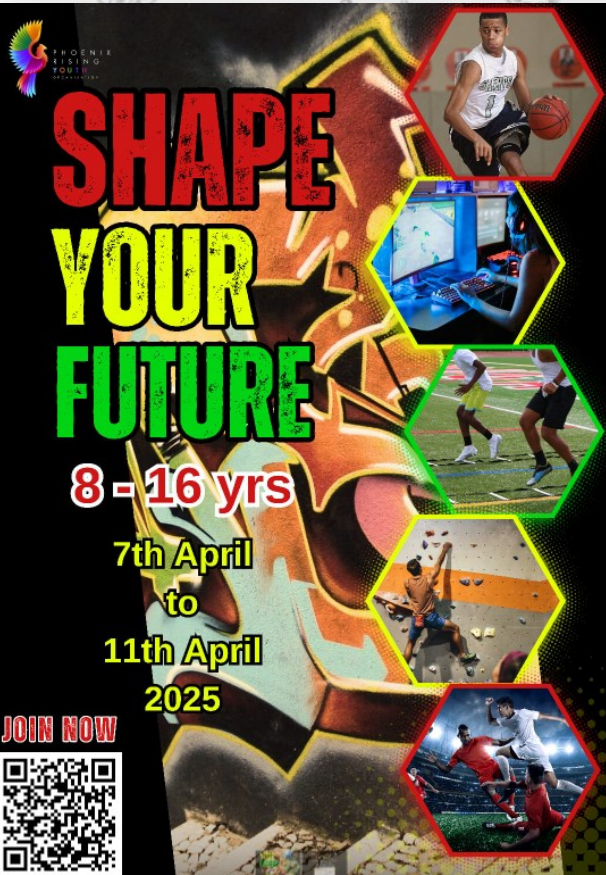


## SHAPE YOUR FUTURE

8-16 yrs

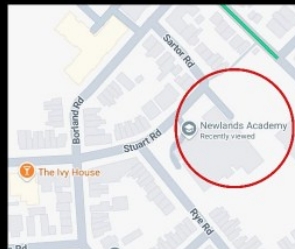
7th April to 11th April 2025

JOIN NOW


### Activities for the week

- Go Ape - Tree Top adventure plus
- Meta Gaming Arena
- Indoor wall climbing
- Football / Basketball & Games
- Vauxhall city farm
- Arts & crafts / Cooking



- 07710258329
- [www.phoenixrisingyouthorganisation.co.uk](http://www.phoenixrisingyouthorganisation.co.uk)
- Newlands Academy SE15 3AZ

Southwark

## AUTISM ACCEPTANCE COFFEE MORNING

We are excited to invite parents and families of Autistic children to our upcoming coffee morning to celebrate World Autism Acceptance Month.

### Event Highlights

Free tea, coffee and biscuits!

Meet the Autism Support Team

Connect with other parents of Autistic children

Find out what local services are available to you and your child

Get advice from a range of professionals

Get ideas for how best to support and advocate for your child

### Register your interest



Please let us know that you will be attending by filling in the short form available via the QR or by following this link: <https://forms.office.com/e/JDzJrBLpKc>

See you there!



9:30-11:30am

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