



Learn together, grow together

Monday 28th April 2025



Dates for your diary

Wednesday 30 th April – Friday 2 nd May	Year 4 residential school journey
Monday 5 th May	Bank Holiday
Thursday 8 th May	VE Day – 80-year anniversary celebrations – (wear red, white and blue)
Monday 12 th May	Start of Year 6 SATs week
	Arundel Cricket Festival – meeting for parents 5pm
Monday 19 th May	Year 2 trip to Hobbledown
Tuesday 20 th May	Maths at the movies – London Southbank
Friday 23 rd May	Last day of the half term
Monday 2 nd June	School resumes
Wednesday 11 th June	Class photograph day
Wednesday 18 th June	Year 3 Siren to Greenwich Park
Tuesday 24 th June	Whole school football day
Wednesday 25 th June	Year 3 Chimera to Greenwich Park
Tuesday 1 st July	FS2 to Eltham Palace
Wednesday 9 th July	Sports Day at Harris Greenwich – Year 1-6
Wednesday 16 th July	Open house to parents/carers – 3.30pm to 5pm
Thursday 17 th July	Year 6 to Southend
Friday 18 th July	Last day of term

Year 6 SATs week

On Monday 12th May Year 6 will begin their SATs week. The children have been working so hard and they are ready to show what they can do in this final assessment at primary school.

Tests are scheduled from Monday 12th May to Thursday 15th May. The school will provide a breakfast on each of the four days and all Year 6 children are invited to come in to school at 8.30am to ensure the best possible start to the day.

Staff will be on hand in numbers to support and encourage the children so they feel confident and calm.

We are so, so proud of this wonderful year group. They have been true leaders this year and have set a great example to the younger children. We are confident that this is going to be a successful week for all of them.

Nesting Season

We are underway again with a nesting great tit and six eggs currently being safely incubated. Our great tit managed to successfully fledge seven chicks last year so fingers crossed we can add to that in 2025. Exciting!!

In Year 5 DT last term children were creating and building their own cable cars 🚠 - For Easter homework children were given the project to create/build their own o2 or cable car. Fantastic creations, well done Year 5.



Attendance

YR3 Chimera	96.5%
YR4 Medusa	95.7%
YR6 Perseus	95.4%
YR6 Andromeda	94.8%
YR5 Castalia	94.6%
YR5 Gaea	94.5%
YR3 Siren	94.0%
YR2 Helios	93.8%
YR1 Plutus	93.7%
YR2 Terpsichore	93.2%
YR4 Hera	92.6%
YR1 Acanthis	92.2%
FS2 Artemis	91.7%
FS2 Apollo	88.3%

**Whole school
average for this
week:
93.6%**

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WEEKLY STARS: for LEADERS IN CLASS

Ibuku Okuseinde, Kevin Lima Atunes, Beaux Finch, Daniel Babalola, Logan Armstrong, Milana Survillo, Sophie Barros-Fox, Stuart Burns, Emilie Range, Cameron Hill, Amelia Smith, Demi Okuseinde, Javid Akhundov, Rami Mohammed, Ronni Lincoln, Roydon Barci-Sinani, Finely Miskin, Gabriella Nitu, Lottie Myatt, Chris Fagbohun, Ashton Shinoda-Nguyen, Dinis Santos, Delilah Grace Atkins, Savannah Hunt-Brook, Kaliyah Hainsby-Guner, Kallie Creed, Christopher Janes, Dylan Sawyer, Lilo-Esmee Feitor Dent, Ada Osman, Archie Rayney, Delilah Biring-Dunn

Daily certificates to:

Darcey Bonds, Olivia-Mae Wood, Ayla Miles, Olasubomi Ibrinke, Casey McKenna, Maryam Koroma, Elodie Grace Jaroscuk, Omari Henry, Ada Osman, Archie Rayney, Nylah Foster, Theo Ballard, Ralphie-Jay Phipps, Nancy Wright, Sky Pryce, Kasey Carr, Charlie Wright, Logan Dixon, Yasna Zahedi, Ollie Truman, Isabelle Shilling, Brody Sawyer, Usama Khan Khan, Stanley Wilkins, Savannah Hunt-Brooks, Poppy Pace, Maisie Coombs, Joshua Okunola, Iris McFarlane, Teddy Burchell, Gabrielle Uchidiuno, Mayar Hadji, Harlee-Rose Fletcher, Keegan Blundell-Simmons, Mason Eatherton, Binkie-May Kirk, Tommy Turner, Rosie Willows, Maxine Oko Quaye Segbefia, Sara Sackan, Delilah Grace Atkins, Harvey Coshall, Haja Koroma, Cody McDermott, Aderola Akinye, Evie Adams Grant, Leo Norman, Zubeyda Abdilahi, Kanyin Babalola, Nell Brown, Isadora Mattia, Mariella Jeffreys, Emily Mahera, Ayden Yau, Rami Mohammed, Amelia Burrows, Khaleesi Hainsby-Guner, Mukhtar Ayinla, Azalea Lupu, Ellie Steel, Oliver Smakaj, Marcus Yau, Riley Blundell-Simmons, Johnny Harris, Elsie Anning, Rais Gambo, Elisa Mitrea, Yana Turtsanash, Yusuf Capar, Seyhan Rezaei, Madinah Diarrassouba, Ethan Ebuzoeme, Grace Jegede, Charlie Raven, Abdulmalik Mustapha, Ivian Blaskov, Rebecca Breban, Rayan Al Mousali, Ellie Sheen, Sienna Cahill, Tommy Harris, Demi Okuseinde, Lara Robinson, Mollie Vincent Gray, Isabella Turner, Joshua Kofoworola, Tyler Giltinane, Logan Armstrong, Kenya Green, Isaac O'Sullivan, Rayhane Gambo, Connor Sheen, Sophie Barros-Fox, Jack Allen, Rayhane Gambo, Kevin Lima-Atunes, Harmony Adams, Kayden McKenzie, Beaux Finch, Lexi Lake

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In year 5 we have started a new Music topic exploring Jazz music We started the unit with a key question.....What does Music 🎵 means to year 5?

Some of the amazing responses...

'I love music it is my future, my reality and when I have music, I feel I can be my true self.' Elisa

'Music means a lot to me because it makes me feel happy and in my safe place.' Daisy

'Music means calming, vibing, relaxing and to sink into my imagination.' Harley

'In my opinion, music is something that can relax me and motivate me and maybe something I relate to or something really interesting with a story behind it.' Yana

'My place to escape.' Rais

'Music means a lot to me. Music makes me calm and relaxed, sometimes when I listen to music it brings me to a different world.' Chizaram

'It means to me that it can give me happy memories and you can sing when you are upset which can help you a lot. It also makes me feel alive and where my house is packed it is like my own safe space and security.' Emilie



Welcome to the Summer Term

We very much hope that all our families had a restful and happy Easter break. It has been wonderful to welcome the children back for the summer term. You may have spotted some new playground equipment including a sandpit and some water play. Mr Lawrence has ordered some resources to go with them and we will hopefully have them in action this week as the weather warms up.

We will be welcoming two new members of staff to Middle Park from today. **Jessica Johnson** has completed her teacher training and is joining us as the class teacher of Year 4 Medusa. Jessica is a previous pupil of the school and completed several teaching placements at Middle Park. We are so excited to be welcoming her back. We will also be joined by aspiring teacher, **Charlotte Williams**, who will join the staff as an Associate Teacher based in Year 5 Gaea.

80th Anniversary of VE Day

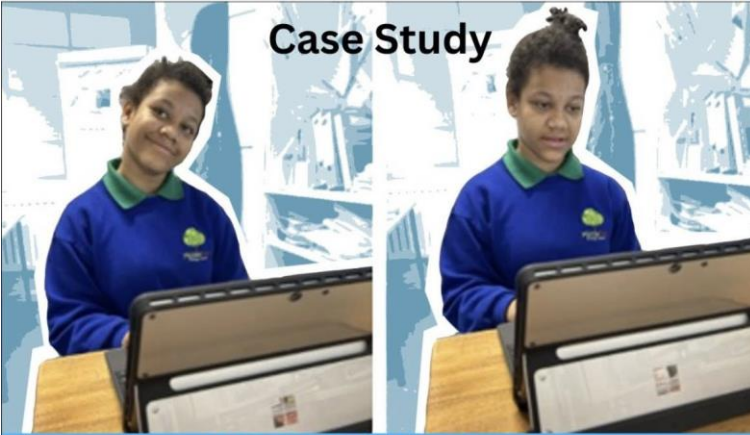
On Thursday 8th May, we will be marking the 80th anniversary of VE day in school. This will be a non-uniform day and children are invited to wear red, white and blue or to wear brownie/guide/cub/scout uniforms if they wish to. We ask parents/carers to send in a £1 donation that we will send to the Royal British Legion, a charity that supports veterans and their families. There will be a special lunch provided and children will be thinking about the significance of this day in classes.



Sewing Club

Our Sewing Club
🧵 created individual
stuffed owls 🦉 with a
blanket stitch.
Great job kids!

Case Study



**Progress and Achievements
Using Assistive Technology**

“I love my computer, it helps with my learning, especially my writing – it lets me see if I have spelt something wrong. My typing has got faster, and I can get my ideas down quicker. I have got to learn new things with my device and with Miss Wright helping me.”

Student of the Month

Congratulations to CENMAC's 'Student of the Month' who has been recognised for her progress using assistive technology, her determination and her independence. We're very proud of you Loveth.

CELEBRATING SUCCESS AND PLANNING AHEAD

Loveth's journey is a testament to her resilience, strengths, and dedication. Her achievements in academics, sports, and personal development are remarkable, especially given the challenges she faces. Assistive technology has played a transformative role in her progress, enabling her to overcome obstacles and realize her potential. With ongoing support and encouragement, Loveth is well on her way to achieving even greater success in the future.

Butterflies in FS2

Just before the Easter holidays, FS2 Apollo looked after five caterpillars that turned into beautiful butterflies. The class were so gentle with them and excited to see them hatch. We're hoping we'll see them fluttering around the playground! 🦋