

# Mayflower Weekly News

Spring Term 2

Friday 17th March 2023



## A Warm Welcome



At assembly this morning, we were talking about



Spanish. We have a Spanish focus at our school this term and you will see from our tweets the rich learning taking place across school to promote Spanish. Did you know that Spanish is the official language in 21 countries and is spoken in even more countries, so it is a very useful language to learn. Spanish has at least 3 million native speakers in 44 countries, making it the fourth most widely spoken language behind English (112 countries), French



(60) and Arabic (57).

We are asking children to greet each other in Spanish, 'buenos días' - 'good morning', 'adios' - 'goodbye'.



No matter what language we are using, it is an important life skill to greet each other warmly. Let's see if we can all do this in a loud clear voice, with eye contact and a smile. It really does start everyone's day off well. We don't want anyone to feel invisible!



**buenos días**  
good morning



**adiós**  
good-bye

Learners of the Week	
Boyce Class	Aizah
Kusama Class	Aleena
Riley Class	Akifah
Hockney Class	Zaynah
Himid Class	Two next week
Hokusai Class	Ayana
Haring Class	Abiodun
Rousseau Class	Aneeka
O'Keeffe Class	Arisa
Ofili Class	Yaqub
Ray Class	Shayan
Matisse Class	Keyan A

	Weekly Class Attendance
Boyce Class	96.92
Kusama Class	92.00
Riley Class	92.80
Hockney Class	91.67
Himid Class	96.00
Hokusai Class	94.40
Haring Class	96.67
Rousseau Class	98.00
O'Keeffe Class	85.60
Ofili Class	92.00
Ray Class	90.42
Matisse Class	90.00
Hepworth Class	87.20
Klee Class	90.00
Kapoor Class	91.70

Whole School Attendance  92%

Top school in Tower Hamlets with 97.06 % in 2021. Every day counts!

**Times Tables Rock Star Champions**

- 1 Tausif Khan Himid 4,920 coins
- 2 Likhil Varidireddy Rousseau 3,596 coins
- 3 Talha Musa Haring 3,402 coins

# Parents' News

**Family sessions** led by Shanaz our school social worker, have now moved due to Ramadan (which starts next week ) the new dates are:

Thursday 4th May

Thursday 11th May

Thursday 18th May

Sponson hall at 9.00 am

We will send reminders closer to the dates

**Attendance**—We have having a big attendance drive at Mayflower . At this mornings assembly we shared the attendance prize which will take place in May is a class trip to Kidzania. Attendance is low across the school at the moment and we are really trying to improve this. With just 2 weeks left before the Easter holiday we really want this to improve.

**Public Meeting**—If parents would like to more know about why teachers in the NEU have been taking industrial action, you can join this online meeting.

Calling all Tower Hamlets parents and carers

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## PUBLIC MEETING

In 2023/24 Tower Hamlets schools are set to lose **£13.7 million.**

That is **£359 per pupil.** Source: schoolcuts.org.uk

Come to our meeting to hear how cuts are affecting your child's education.

### Tuesday 28th March

6:30pm via Zoom

[http://bit.ly/TH\\_28March](http://bit.ly/TH_28March)  
Meeting ID: 847 7902 5781  
Passcode: 28323



Meeting called by Tower Hamlets NEU and NAHT



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