

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

- ◆ **24th-28th October— Half term**
- ◆ **3rd November— Parent coffee morning 9.10 onwards—Maths and problem solving**
- ◆ **4th November— short Fridays begin 1.30 finish**
- ◆ **11th November— Whole school trip to the Rio Cinema**
- ◆ **18th November— whole school trip to Adeni Synagogue**
- ◆ **28th November— Bring a mum/ significant female into school morning**
- ◆ **13th December— parents evening**
- ◆ **20th December— Chanukah Assembly/show – pm (format TBC)**
- ◆ **22nd December— end of term 1.30 finish**



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תורה עם דרך-אור

21st October 2022

26 Tishrei 5783

Parasha: Bereisheet

**Shabbat time: Starts Friday at 5.40pm and ends Saturday at 6.40pm**

Last week we welcomed the Olive school into our Sukkah. Rabbi Goldmeier and year 5 pupils shared their learning with our guests and it was a very warm and greatly appreciated session between the two schools. We took this opportunity to share our experiences with the media.



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The whole school spent time in the Sukkah and enjoyed their learning experience.



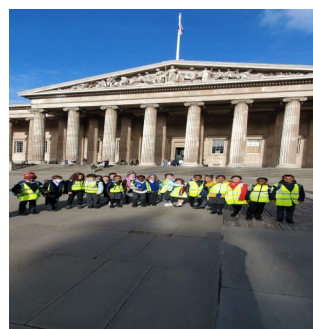
We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Roni Tabick on becoming our parent governor. Roni is experienced in this role.

Classes have been busy out and about both the local area and around London. We wanted to make the most of trips before the cold weather kicks in.

Year 1 and 2 were in the Museum of London. They have been working on the Great fire of London. They explored the Great Fire of London Gallery as well as London Before London.



Year 3 visited the British Museum.

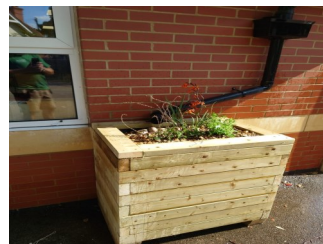


They have been learning about the Stone age and their footprints in History and how this links to life as we know it.

As you are all aware after-school clubs will be starting after half term. This time round we have introduced 'Archery Club' for our KS2 pupils. We thank you all and FOSM for the contribution of £350 towards the purchase of archery equipment. Our pupils will have the opportunity to trial something new.

We have just ordered our new stage and hopefully this will be delivered before our Chanukah assembly so we can perform on it. We didn't quite reach our target for this so may do some further fundraising bits to achieve this. A huge thank you to everyone who donated towards this. We are very excited for it to arrive in school.

And finally, you may have seen our new sustainable planters around the school playground. This is part of a grant we managed to get in relation to all our 'Eco' work. More to follow.



We wish you all a restful half term.

**Ms Metin and the Simon Marks team**