


ALDERSBROOK NEWS

Friday 1st March 2024

A message from the School Captains



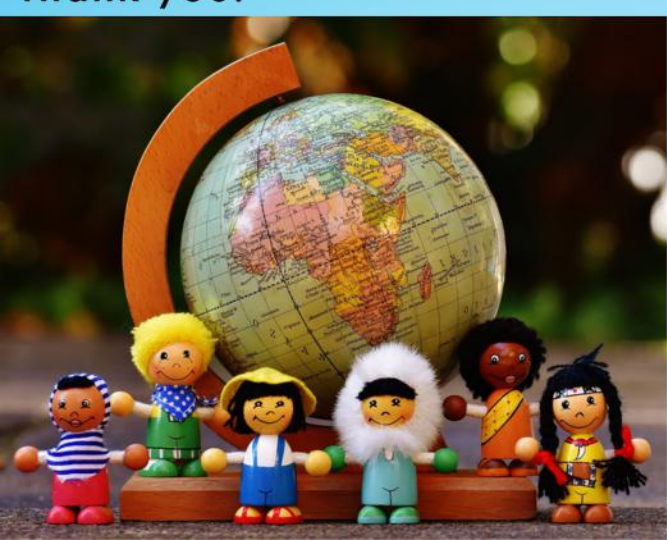
We want to recognise the many children at Aldersbrook who are always kind and respectful to each other, to adults and to their environment. Therefore we are introducing The Kindness Cup. Once every half term someone will receive the Kindness Cup in assembly and they will be able to proudly take it home. So we will be on the look out for kindness around the school, in the playground and in the way we talk and interact together. Could it be you?!?



Thank you so much for all the donations for playground toys - the KS1 pupils are enjoying playing with them.

We would still love to receive donations of small figures, dressing up clothes or material to play with and dolls house furniture.

Thank you.



Breakfast Club, CICI 1 & 2 and Enrichment Club bookings will **all** go live to parents on Monday 11 March at 7pm on Arbor.

More information will be shared closer to the time.

WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING AT ALDESBROOK...



Playing at lunchtime



Playing at lunchtime



Playing at lunchtime



Playing at lunchtime



A great Playleader and friend



Playing at lunchtime



Learning outside



Playing at lunchtime



Coding



Chatter boxes!

At Aldersbrook Primary, we are constantly striving to create an inclusive and supportive environment for all our students. With this in mind, I am thrilled to announce a change that I believe will greatly benefit our children's wellbeing and mental health. We have recently rebranded our worry boxes, and they are now called Chatter boxes! This new name reflects the broader range of reasons that children may want to use this resource. It's not just about sharing concerns anymore; it's about fostering open communication and providing a safe space for our students to talk, ask questions, seek advice, or simply have a friendly chat.

We understand that every child is unique and may have different needs when it comes to expressing themselves. By renaming our worry boxes as Chatter boxes, we hope to encourage children to approach them with a sense of curiosity, knowing that they can use this resource for various purposes. Whether they have a worry weighing on their minds or simply want to connect with someone, our Chatter boxes will be there for them.

As a school, we are committed to promoting positive mental health and emotional wellbeing. We want our children to feel supported, heard, and valued. By expanding the scope of our Chatter boxes, we aim to create more avenues for children to reach out and seek the support they need.

I encourage you to have a conversation with your child about this change and let them know that our Chatter boxes are always available to them. Remind them that it's okay to reach out, ask questions, or share their thoughts. Together, we can foster a culture of open communication and emotional support within our school community.



Want to discuss school dinners with the catering company ISS?

I have organised a date for ISS, who deliver our catering contract, to meet with parents so you can ask them questions, express opinions and share ideas. They are very open to having this meeting and I would welcome as many parents as possible to attend.

Date: 27th March

Time: 9.30am

Where: KS2 Hall



On Friday 15th March we will be celebrating Red Nose Day in school with a non-uniform day and, if you are able, a £2 donation.

Our Community Ambassadors will be on the gates in the morning to collect your donations!

Please note Red Noses will not be sold at school. Sainsburys usually have a good stock!

Aldersbrook Primary Cookbook!

The Community Ambassadors and I have begun to plan Aldersbrook's first ever school cookbook! It will celebrate our rich and diverse community and the recipes our pupils love to eat at home.

Please submit your family's favourite recipe using the form on this newsletter (see below) and return to the office by Friday 15th March (Red Nose Day!). The Community Ambassadors will help me select 20 recipes which will be published in the book.

We want to read everything from your Nan's best lemon drizzle cake, to your dad's Kashk-o Bademjan. Maybe your family love making naan for gosht or fruit kebabs when it's mango season.

We also need your help to make the book!

- Could you take photos of the families and food?
- Do you know a publisher that could print our book?
- Are you a dab hand at book design or writing copy?!

Please complete the form below and we'd love to hear from you.

<https://forms.gle/XSmEzuTZCMjCFdbw8>

Thank you so much,

Mrs McDermott and the Community Ambassadors



Pupil name(s):

Class(es):

Name of your dish:

Please tick:

Starter

Dessert

Main

Snack

Please tell us why this dish is important to your family. Does it remind you of someone special or an important place?

What **ingredients** will people need to create your dish?

Write **instructions** people will need to follow to create your dish:

Draw an **illustration** of your dish:

Please feel free to come to either the KS1 or/and the KS2 Maths workshop. It does not matter the age of your child. You might even want to come to both of them!

KS1 MATHS

Parent Workshop

Hosted by: Miss Crouch & Mrs Hart (KS1 Phase Leader)

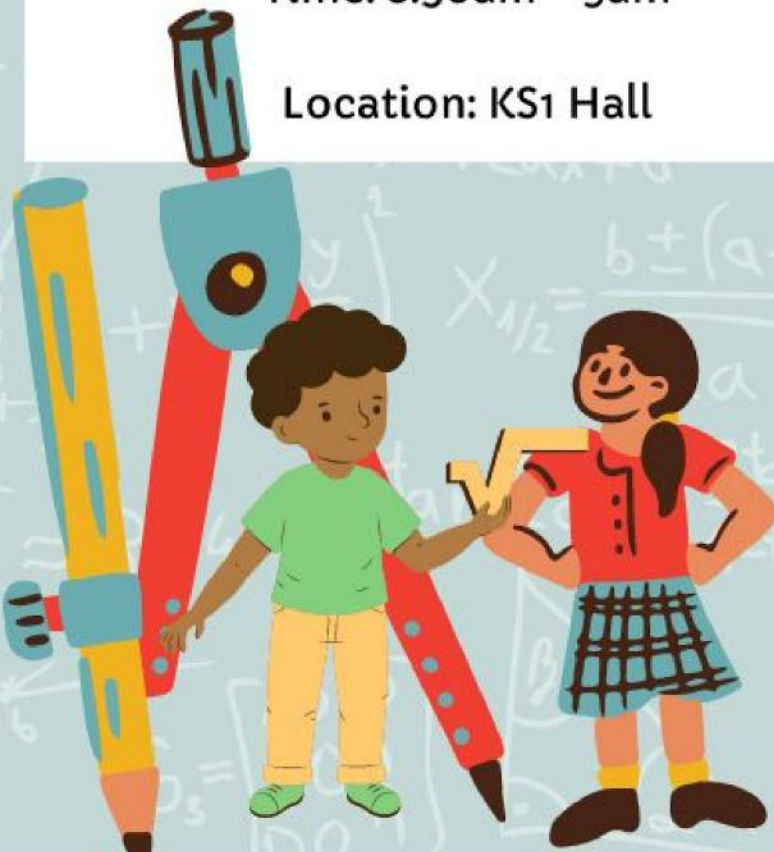
Date: Tuesday 19th March

Time: 8:30am - 9am

Location: KS1 Hall



Supporting your
child with the
concrete, pictorial
and abstract
approach in Maths



KS2 MATHS

Parent Workshop

Hosted by: Mrs Mahmood (Maths Lead) &
Mr Griffin (UKS2 Phase Leader)

Date: Thursday 21st March

Time: 8:30am - 9am

Location: KS1 Hall



Supporting your
child with the
formal written
methods



What can you find on our website?

KEY DATES

<https://www.aldersbrook.redbridge.sch.uk/calendar/?calid=1&pid=3&viewid=1>

PODCASTS

<https://www.aldersbrook.redbridge.sch.uk/page/?title=Aldersbrook+Podcast+Network&pid=202>

SAFEGUARDING THROUGH THE CURRICULUM

<https://www.aldersbrook.redbridge.sch.uk/page/?title=Safeguarding+through+our+curriculum&pid=200>

PUPIL PREMIUM

<https://www.aldersbrook.redbridge.sch.uk/page/?title=Pupil+Premium&pid=32>

WHAT WE ARE LEARNING

<https://www.aldersbrook.redbridge.sch.uk/page/?title=Year+Groups&pid=19>

PUPIL LEADERSHIP

<https://www.aldersbrook.redbridge.sch.uk/page/?title=Pupil+Leadership&pid=205>

FOREST SCHOOL

<https://www.aldersbrook.redbridge.sch.uk/page/?title=Forest+School&pid=69>

A big thank you to RSK Tyres & Wheels who
donated tyres for our children to play with
in the playground.

RSK Tyres & Wheels
507 High Road
Leytonstone
E11 4PG
0208 558 0012

Come and Join...

St Gabriel's Children's Choir



Join us on Sundays for our next series of fun sessions. Open to ages 6+ (£1 per rehearsal)

Rehearsal Dates: 10th (11.30-12pm) 17th & 24th March (11.30-12.15pm)

Performance - Easter Day Service - Sunday 31st March 10am

For more information or to book a place, call or email Fr Martyn:
07743 785884 stgabrielvicar@icloud.com



St Patrick's Day Ceilidh

in St Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook



Saturday 16th March 2024, 6-10.30pm

Live music and ceilidh calling by Pastiche Band
No experience necessary as all steps will be explained.
Special family friendly ceilidh between 6 and 7pm.

Bar by St Gabri-Ales
Delicious food available from the Deaf Chefs food truck

Tickets £15 adults / £5 children over 5 years
in aid of St Gabriel's Hall Refurbishment Fund

<https://st-gabriels-church.sumupstore.com/products>

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Are you looking after a child who is not your own?

- Is the child under 16 (or 18 if they have a disability)?
- Are you NOT the child's step parent, sibling, aunt, uncle or grandparent? This also includes host families to overseas students
- Do you plan to have the child with you for more than 28 days?
- This is called "private fostering" and we must be **LEGALLY** notified to ensure the child is safe.

Please contact Redbridge Children's Services:

020 8708 3885

CPAT.Referrals@redbridge.gov.uk

or visit: www.redbridge.gov.uk/private-fostering for more information

Aveti în grijă un copil care nu este al dvs.?

- Copilul are mai puțin de 16 ani (sau 18 ani dacă are un handicap)?
- NU sunteți părintele vitreg, fratele/sora, mătușă, unchiul sau bunica/bunica copilului? Sunt incluse și familiile gazdă ale studenților din străinătate
- Intenționați să găzduiți copilul la dvs. mai mult de 28 de zile?
- Acest lucru se numește „private fostering” (plasament privat) și trebuie să fim anunțați **LEGAL** pentru a ne asigura de siguranța copilului.

Vă rugăm să contactați Redbridge Children's Services (Serviciile pentru copii din Redbridge):
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آپ اپنی کی آپنا کر رکھ رہے ہیں جو آپ کا اپنا نہیں ہے؟

- بچہ 16 سال سے کم (یا اگر وہ معذوری کا شکار ہے تو 18 سال) سے کم عمر ہے؟
- آپ اپنی کی سہولت دہندگان، بھائی/بھائی، ماما، چاچا یا دادا-دادی نانا؟ اس میں بھی شامل ہیں انگریز اور غیر ملکی طلباء کے میزبان خاندان بھی شامل ہیں
- آپ اپنی کی بچہ 28 دن سے زیادہ کے لیے آپ کے پاس رکھنے کا ارادہ ہے؟
- اسے "نجی رضاعت" کہتے ہیں اور بچے کے محفوظ ہونے کو یقینی بنانے کے لیے ہمیں اس کی اطلاع دینا لازم ہے۔

براہ کرم ریڈ برج سروسز برائے اطفال سے رابطہ کریں

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ملاحظہ کریں

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- کیا آپ بچے کے سوتیلے والد/والدہ، بھائی/بھائی، اٹلی، انگلی یا دادا/دادی نہیں ہیں؟
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