



# Princess May News

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Friday 2 December 2022

Empathy  
Respect  
Determination



### A Message from the Headteacher

Dear parents and carers,

Thank you again to those of you that joined me on the latest school open morning and tour. It really was fantastic to be able to show you all of the great work that goes on inside the building on a daily basis. Again, I think it is more than fair to say that those who attended were impressed at the quality of teaching and the amazing team that we have here. We will be repeating the open morning event each term, so if you missed out this term, please keep an eye out for a date near February half-term. The next open morning will have a maths focus.

In other news, we are busily preparing for the upcoming winter fair. We are very keen to open the school to the whole community on this day, so please do spread the word. We have taken an advert out in the Hackney Gazette and promoted the fair on Twitter, so we are expecting it to be a busy and great festive end to the year. If you would like a stall at the fair, please email us at [admin@princessmay.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:admin@princessmay.hackney.sch.uk)

Children's assessments are now complete and we will be sharing the results with you at the end of term, once the leadership team have discussed each child's progress with class teachers.

Have a great weekend.

Mr Reynolds

Headteacher



#### Arab World Workshop

As part of our commitment to Intercultural Understanding, our school takes every opportunity to help children develop their knowledge of the world and this time, children were invited by the **British Council** to take part in an Arab World Workshop.

Our children had an opportunity to explore parts of the geography and peoples of the Arab World, a language lesson and learning for some Arabic calligraphy. The events were interactive and inclusive, and our children were encouraged to contribute and asked questions. Children had an amazing experience and were delighted to have taken part and as a result, they have developed their taste for learning more languages. Well done all!

Mrs. Hanley

#### OUR CAMPS WINTER CAMP 2022

19TH - 22ND DECEMBER @ 10AM - 2PM

Princess May Primary School will be hosting a holiday scheme. If you get FSM, you can attend for free or £20 per day. Scan the QR for more information. Apply for FSM here [Apply for free school meals | Hackney Education](#).



#### Star Writer

Congratulations to Kayani (Reception) who is this week's star writer.



#### Gold Certificates

This week we celebrated more exceptional achievements. *Well done to our children who achieved Gold. Please congratulate them on their achievement.*

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Libin Leena Roshni Florence	Nermin Kyran	Serkan Akkshith Diandre Rioko Muhammed Jason	Dina Pele	Abubakar Ayaz Sharifa Halima	Shian Summer	Alara Leah Phoebe Ismael Natalia Shirley Kianna Gyokan Berk Iacenia Josiane Bethlehem Ramla Yusuf Michael

#### Christmas Jumper Day

We will be wearing our Christmas Jumpers on **Wednesday 14 December** in support of **Save the Children**. Please donate £1 to the class teacher.



Winter Fair

Please donate items for the raffle or tombola. If you would like to sell items or food, please contact the school. There will be lots of exciting things to see and do.

**WEDNESDAY 14TH DECEMBER 2022**  
3:30PM-5:30PM

#### Makaton

Our sign next week is **'to keep safe'**. Click on the pic to view the sign in action!

**Why not try practice at home?**



#### Secret Agent Awards

We use the 'Agents' to reflect on our learning behaviours and develop a Growth Mindset. *Well done to this week's award winners. Please congratulate them on their achievement.*

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Islam	Stacey		Daiyan Halima	Yusra	Ikra Burhan

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