

Year 3 visit to the farm:

Derby visited Kentish Town City Farm on Wednesday and had a fun time exploring the farm. The children learned about animal classification, horticultural practises and all sorts of fantastically complicated countryside things! The children had the chance to get up close with the animals and we even had a chance to pet Ricky, a particularly friendly goat.



Year 4 visit M&S:

Today, pupils from Year 4 were invited to Marks and Spencer to attend a book reading of a new book that is to accompany the M&S Christmas advert. The book will be sold nationwide for £3 and all proceeds will be going to the NSPCC. We will share highlights and photos about this event in next Friday's newsletter! We are very lucky to be working closely with Paddington Partnership, who will be volunteering with us in January as part of a reading project.

Home Learning Workshops:

We want to thank all parents and carers who have attended our Home Learning Workshops. It was lovely to see the children sitting alongside their parents talking through and sharing all of the hard work that they have carried out in English thus far. It has been great to hear positive feedback from parents too.

We are excited to invite you in for the next session, where we will again share important information and then have pupils share the work they have been doing in maths! Dates to follow very soon.

Parents and carers who were unable to attend, will be sent a slip with the date for a catch-up session. Year 6 will hold their catch-up on Wednesday 15th November. The dates for all other year groups will commence from the week of the 20th.

Enterprise week:

Next week is enterprise week. Pupils across the whole academy will be engaging in business based activities. In Year 6, pupils will follow the stocks and shares of a particular company during morning meeting with their class teachers. All other pupils across primary will learn about a given entrepreneur each day. Mr. Landes, who is the Head of Business, will also be launching a competition for pupils to take part in.

Children in Need:

Next Friday we will be supporting Children in Need. Children in Need support small and large organisations which empower children and extend their life choices. They currently support 2,400 projects all across the UK! The projects they fund help children facing a range of disadvantages for example poverty and deprivation; children who have been the victims of abuse or neglect or disabled young people.

To help raise money, we invite all children in primary to dress in spotty clothes. We ask that they bring 50p or more to donate. The parent council will also be selling cakes before and after school on Friday 17th November.

Parent Coffee Mornings:

Week	Date	Topic	Led by
2	10 th November	KSA Middle School	Mr Mvula
3	17 th November	KSA Winter Fair	Louise Hall and Parent Council
4	24 th November	How do we report to parents?	Ms England
5	1 st December	KSA Expansion Q&A – Consultation update	Mr Haimendorf
6	8 th December	Primary Curriculum at KSA	Ms Griffith
7	15 th December	Secondary Curriculum at KSA	Ms Crompton

Winter Fair:

The Winter Fair takes place on Friday 1st December. Thank you to the Parent Council for all of their work on organising this! We look forward to welcoming as many of you as possible to this community event. Please see the attached flier for more details.



Have a great weekend!

Ms. Kumar,

Head of Juniors.