

# Thomas Fairchild News

MONDAY 29TH APRIL

## Headteacher's Message

Dear Families,

It's been a chilly start to the summer term, but it looks like the weather will be slowly warming up for us this week. We have had a busy start to summer term already as classes have launched our exciting identity and belonging project. We were inspired by Lemn Sissay to celebrate our individuality by exploring the meaning of our names and the roles we play in our various communities that we are a part of. Children have really engaged with this and have started to put together creative displays on this theme which we look forward to sharing with you.

We have also enjoyed our first community event of the term on Friday, which was a great success! I wanted to thank everyone for their kind contributions and food donations that made the event possible. Keep a look out for upcoming events and celebrations this term.

## Summer 1 Upcoming Events

- Wednesday 1st May: EYFS Come Learn with Me
- Thursday 2nd May: Years 3 and 4 Come Dine with me
- Wednesday 8th May: Year 1 Come Learn with Me
- Friday 10th May: Year 5 Reading Tea



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- survey code 04530

Survey for parents

## TENDER RE:SET project

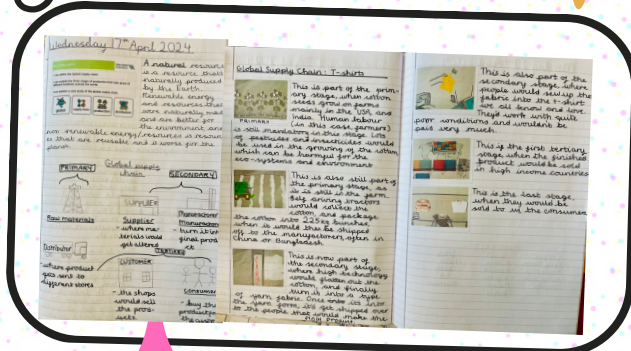
RESET is our Healthy Relationships whole school approach, and they are supporting us to deliver relationship sessions throughout the school. They will also be supporting families with more information on how to support their children to have healthy relationships with themselves and each other.

To identify next steps for us please complete this questionnaire.

## We Are Geographers!

It has been amazing to see all year groups making a bright start to their new Geography topics. In addition, each year group will be taking part in an educational trip or visit linked to either their Geography or Science topic (listed in brackets):

- Year 1 - River Lea walk (United Kingdom)
- Year 2 - Dalston Curve Garden (Weather)
- Year 3 - Thames walk (Rivers)
- Year 4 - Heritage talk (Nth & Sth America)
- Year 5 - Ridley Road Market (Trade)
- Year 6 - Charles Darwin's house (Evolution & Inheritance)



## After School Activities

- Multi sports (Monday - Thursday)
- Drama Club (Tuesday)
- Art Club (Wednesday)
- Tag rugby (Thursday)
- Hackney half training (Friday)

## KITCHEN UPDATE

We have been very excited to launch our new menus this term and children have been really enjoying the food on offer. We look forward to sharing our lunch offer with parents in our upcoming Come Dine With Me events this term. Next dates are below:

- Years 3 & 4: Thursday 2nd May, 12.15pm
  - Years 5 & 6: Thursday 23rd May, 12.30pm
  - Nursery and Reception: Thursday 13th June, 11.45am
  - Years 1 & 2: Thursday 4th July, 12.00pm
- This Thursday also sees the launch of my chef's special, which will be lemon and thyme chicken with jollof rice!
- Ms Davies, Kitchen Manager

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