



East Sheen Primary School Newsletter 7th October 2022



Award Winners

Well done to C in Year 4 who wins the Helping Hands Award this week. C is helpful to all members of the community. A great ambassador with visitors, new staff and pupils.

V in Year 3 has impressed his teachers with his commitment to swimming and wins the Sports Star Award.



Green Awareness

All entrants in the green poetry competition received a 'respect token' for their amazing, creative and thoughtful contributions. Well done to the four competition winners, whose inspirational words were read by the Green Team in assembly.



Other children have been inspired to continue to look after our local environment. Please ensure any litter picking is done safely and hygienically.



Black History 365

This week saw the start of Black History Month, where a focus on education of black history is explored. This year the borough has launched its Black History 365 initiative to ensure the curriculum in schools reflects all members of the school community, something our school celebrates continually (see our '[Diversity](#)' page on the school website).

We have also published the first 'Diversity Songbank' video, which can also be viewed on the website. New submissions are welcome for the next installment.



More information on Black History Month can be found [here](#), or in this [short video](#).

Jeans for Genes Day

Thank you to everyone who donated and took part in the Jeans for Genes Day, which raised £374.59.

PTA

A reminder that the PTA AGM will take place in the hall at 7pm on Monday 10th October.



Attendance and absence - please continue to help us reach 97%.

School target: 97%

Last week's total: 96.18%

Classes above target: 9

RD	98.15	1C	97.69	2A	96.75	3C	95.19	4H	98.85	5B	95.00	6D	97.00
RL	94.67	1D	92.41	2B	97.33	3CS	94.81	4K	95.38	5FH	95.24	6T	96.79
RS	92.14	1DP	98.21	2D	98.67	3G	99.23	4M	98.46	5S	93.04	6V	94.33



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Great Learning

We continue to see excellent learning in classrooms, with children building on their previous learning to make great progress.

The curriculum is carefully planned and sequenced to ensure children make connections and have opportunities to recall and develop their knowledge and skills in all subjects.



Mayor's Christmas Card Competition

To find out about the Mayor's competition, please visit [Richmond Mayor's Competition Page](#). The closing date is Friday 11th November.

Safeguarding

The school is committed to safeguarding its pupils. If you have any concerns, remember that our door is always open and all school staff are trained to deal with safeguarding concerns.

Rugby

It was great to see so many children get involved in the Rosslyn Park Rugby event last week. The children represented the school very well.

