



East Sheen Primary School

Newsletter 25th November 2022



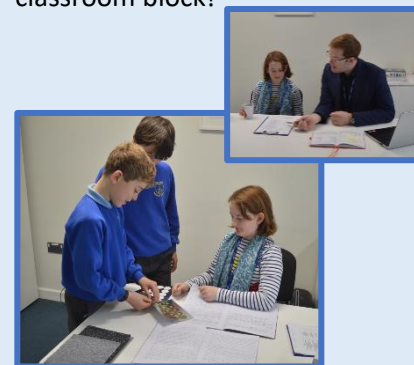
World War II Day – Year 4



This week, Year 4 enjoyed their WWII workshop. Throughout the day, children participated in a range of educational activities and had a chance to explore genuine WWII artefacts as well as real period clothing. Amongst many activities, they used 'bomb disposal devices' to test their steady hand skills and the highlight for many children was the stretcher race; 2 teams raced against each other to help evacuate the 'wounded soldiers'. It was a fantastic day!

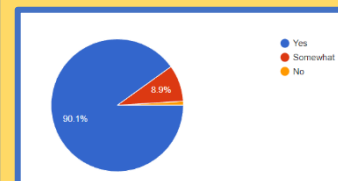
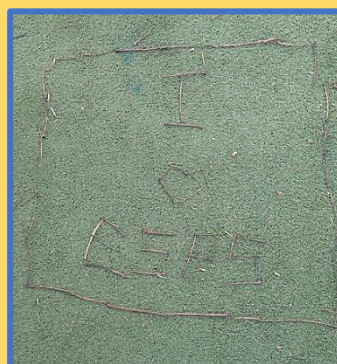
Headteacher for the Day

It was a pleasure to have A from Year 6 as the headteacher for the day on Tuesday. She hosted assembly, gave out awards and chose the flooring for the new classroom block!



Parent Consultations

It was wonderful to see so many parents and carers at parent consultations last week. We hope that you found it useful to meet with your child's teacher and see their workbooks the preceding weekend.



In the feedback survey, 97% of parents found the booking process easy and 99% of parents felt well or somewhat informed about their child's current attainment. 70% of parents preferred face-to-face meetings and 27% preferred having a choice on online or face-to-face meetings. Some comments raised the limitations of the school's internet connection for holding online meetings, which we will look at with our IT provider. While some comments felt that meetings were short, the fifteen-minute windows offered are comparable or greater than other local schools and already require 450 minutes of teacher meeting time. We remind parents that we are always happy to arrange follow up meetings via info@eastsheen.richmond.sch.uk.

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

School target: 97%

Last week's total: 96.14%

Classes above target: 8

RD	94.645	1C	98.89	2A	95.81	3C	98.89	4H	94.23	5B	95.65	6D	100
RL	93.33	1D	96.90	2B	91.33	3CS	95.38	4K	98.46	5FH	97.14	6T	93.21
RS	97.78	1DP	97.86	2D	94.33	3G	94.81	4M	95.60	5S	96.52	6V	98.67



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Safeguarding

Help – The school is an important safety hub in the community and we work with a range of local services and charities to help children and families in need. If you are struggling, please contact the school to see what support can be offered. For example, we are able to link families with food support from various charities.

Online Safety – Children continue to be taught online safety in classrooms, but parents wanting to support online safety at home may find [this link](#) useful. You can also scan the QR code below to reach our variety of parent help guides for specific apps, devices and games.

Attendance – Please keep an eye out for the attendance bulletin that will be sent next week. It highlights some key points about attendance and its importance in safeguarding children's academic, emotional and social wellbeing.



Green Zone: Air Quality

The school is committed to ensuring high air quality throughout the school buildings and playgrounds. The green wall and screening, as well as our live and monthly monitoring of air quality shows that air quality remains good around school. You can find more about the school's air quality work at [this link](#)

