



Newsletter



Dear Parents / Carers

Guten Tag! Today, teachers and staff from Rainham Mark Grammar School came to Riverside to deliver an assembly, followed by some language sessions in classes with our children. Everyone really enjoyed this and it was great to see our Trust schools working together in this way.

This week, we have revisited with all children the need to keep themselves safe by being careful about who they speak to and interact with. While most 'strangers' we encounter will be well-intentioned, some could pose a risk. Children need to understand the importance of being cautious around unfamiliar adults and should know how to recognise and respond to potentially dangerous situations. They also need to know how to identify safe adults who can help them when needed, for example – if I get lost in a shopping centre, I could approach a security guard or a member of staff in a shop. Please do emphasise this important understanding with your children when you are out and about in the community.

The weather has been much warmer recently, so please do ensure your child has a water bottle and sun hat in school. Children can also bring sunscreen if you think they will need to top this up during the day, but please ensure this is named and your child knows how to apply it themselves.

Next Friday is Sports Day: 9:30—11am for FS and KS1, and 1:30—3pm for KS2. Please remember children should come to school in their PE kit on the day. We look forward to seeing you there!

Finally, we are always happy to meet with parents to discuss any worries or concerns, but we do ask that you make an appointment if your conversation requires more time. Teachers need to be with their classes in the mornings so they are ready to start the day. Thank you for your understanding.

We hope everyone has a good weekend.

Mrs Robson
Headteacher

Term 6 24-25

Friday 13th June

Attendance

**The classes with
the best
attendance this
week are:**

Squirrels (Y2)

Woodpeckers (Y1)

Puffins (Y2)



Upcoming Events:

**19.6.25—Woodpeckers
Class Assembly at 8:55am**

**20.6.25—Sports Day
(FS/KS1 AM and KS2 PM)**

**23 and 24.6.25— teacher
meetings for new
Reception parents**

24.6.25—Year 6 Jobs Fair

**26.6.25—Puffins Class
Assembly at 8:55am**

PROUD MOMENT...

Well done to Kestrels class for their assembly this week, in which they told us all about their learning throughout Year 5, including Biomes and Creepy Claws. They even created their own song which was really catchy and enjoyed by all!



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This week we are celebrating....

Sarah - Owls

Friday 15 June 2020

WALP Write a letter using persuasive language.

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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to you to request the accommodation of Samuel Jones and his distraught family. They latterly arrived seeking aid and housing. Samuel Jones's father is dead due to debris and a series of gun shots. **This left the family helpless as medical bills slowly washed over them.**

fantastic use of vocabulary!
This family is facing serious devastation (as well as many others) and is entitled to governmental assist. **Imagine if you were in this traumatising experience, how would you feel? Were I to be in your position, I would immediately help Mr and Mrs Jones family and get them to safety.**

Well done! These uninvolved civilians do not deserve to be evicted; they have no home in their war-torn country. Their wellbeing matters, so we need to take action. **Please address this inhumane situation.**

Yours sincerely,

Sarah