



ST GEORGE'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

October Newsletter 2023

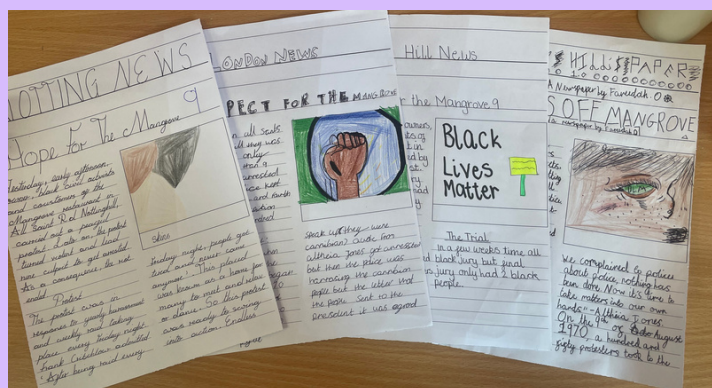
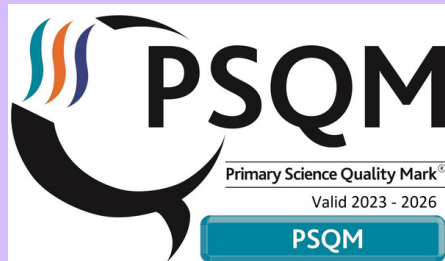
A MESSAGE FROM MS HALES

It has been a fabulous start to the school year. Thank you for your ongoing support. The children have settled in well and are all busy learning, supporting each other and working hard. Over this half-term we have had many things to celebrate, to name but a few:

- our fabulous Ofsted report.
- an amazing residential trip to Magdalen Farm for Year 4.
- Ms Bougeard's hard work in getting the fabulous work we complete in art recognised and achieving the 'Artsmark' for the school.
- Miss Turner's work to renew our Primary Science Quality Mark.
- we are also now a recognised Southwark Music School and we continue to hold our 'Healthy Schools London - Silver Award' and our RHS gardening award.
- we also recently hosted 28 student teacher's from the Institute of Education, who were blown away by the fantastic work that the children, staff and community have been doing. One student wrote to the children 'I want to say a massive thank you to the children at St George's. You have been amazing, you welcomed us and more importantly taught us so much about gardening. You are a credit to yourselves and the school'
- the amazing work completed for 'Black History Month'. Thank you in advance to all those parents who were able to come to our exhibition.

If I don't see you tomorrow, have a wonderful half-term holiday and we will see you on 30th October. Best wishes, Ms Hales

Can you help? We need to spread the word about our fabulous school. If any parents are able to put some leaflets through a few doors, please come and see Ms. Hales.



UPCOMING EVENTS:

- 23rd - 27th Oct - Half-term holiday.**
Monday 30th Oct - School reopens.
Tuesday 31st Oct - Deadline for Secondary School applications.
Friday 3rd Nov - School Photos.
Monday 6th Nov - Flu- Vaccinations for children
Tuesday 7th Nov - Clubs start (letters will be sent after half-term)
Wednesday 8th Nov - Parents Evening (3.30-6)
Thursday 9th Nov - Parents Evening (3.30-5)
WB 13th Nov - Anti-bullying week
WB 20th Nov - Neuro-diversity week
Mon 18th Dec - Nativity Performance 2pm
Tues 19th Dec - Nativity Performance 2pm
Weds 20th Dec - Last day of term and church service 9:30

SCHOOL COUNCIL:



Congratulations to these children who have been nominated by their classmates to represent them on our School Council; Pokuah, Roman, Lucas, Jonathan, Yohanna, Micah, Promise, Magali, Osato, Osas, Goodness, Dylan. We will welcome Reception members after Christmas too!

So far this year we have been working with 'Healthy Zones' to make sure our school lunches are as healthy as possible.

ECO-WARRIORS:



Congratulations to these children for becoming Eco-Warriors: Orly, Noah, Abdul, Graciella, Badu, Rachel, Sita, Trayvon, Milania, David, Maison, Kylie. We will welcome Reception members after Christmas.

So far this year we have been working on auditing our impact on the environment. We also met the student gardeners and discussed our roles with them!

PTA:

Welcome to our new member of the PTA Gemma (Rachel's mum). A big thank you to Sueanne for her hard work and commitment while a member of the PTA. Please watch out for details of when our next meeting will be. We are always looking for new members to support our fundraising efforts for the school! Could you help us organise our Christmas event?

OTHER BUSINESS:

The Trinity College Centre (attached to St. George's Church) would like to welcome Biko Mason who has taken on the role of the Community Engagement Manager. Biko's role consists of working with local residents and local organisations to create a place where diverse groups in our community are welcome to come together.

Biko Says "I am very proud to have been given the opportunity to become a part of an active and diverse community. I'm looking forward to finding out what the needs of the local residents are and working to facilitate those needs within the centre".

If you would like to contact Biko please email community@trinitycollegecentre.org

