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**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2019**  
*Excellence with Compassion*

Dear Parents/Carers,

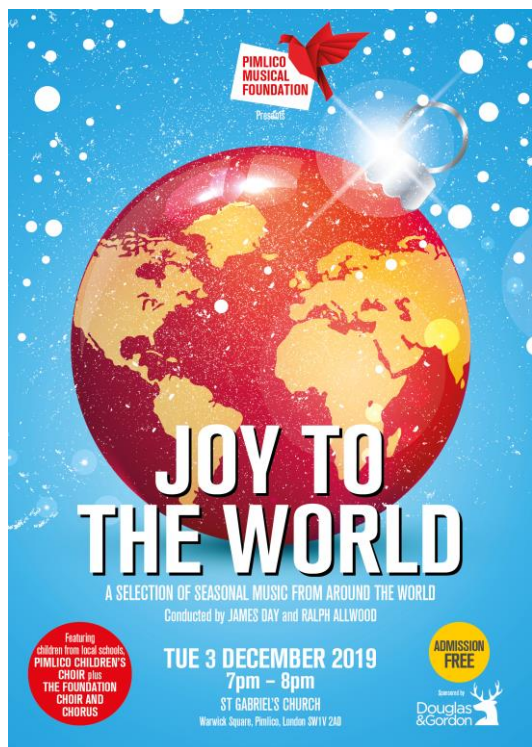
**Royal Parks Visitors:**

Classes 3,4,5 and 6 were treated to a visit from the Royal Parks last week. The children had fun learning all about the different invertebrates in our Royal Parks in London.



**Speak Out, Stay Safe!** The whole school was also visited by the NSPCC. Classes received individual workshops on the theme of *Speak out, stay safe*. NSPCC trained staff gave our children information about how to keep

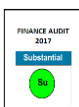
themselves safe from harm and from abuse and how to get help if they have any worries. We also received a certificate for the school!



**PMF Concert at St Gabriel's Church**

Members of Class 6 will be joining the Pimlico Musical Foundation Choir on Tuesday evening and will be performing a selection of season songs from around the world. Please do join us!

**Class 2 have an upcoming event they would like to advertise.....** In Class 2 we have been learning all about hedgehogs. We have made our own model hedgehog homes as well as placing a wooden hedgehog home in the school garden. The children have become fascinated with hedgehogs and have decided we should raise some money for the Wildlife Trust's adopt a



hedgehog charity. On Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December, from 3.20pm, class 2 will run a stall in the school playground selling cakes, biscuits and bracelets, all made by the children and all hedgehog themed! Come along and help us raise money for a great cause.

Thank you, Ms Page and Class 2.

**Don't forget we have changed our telephone number:**

If you dial our old number, you can no longer be put through to school and you will be now asked to redial our new telephone number.

0207 186 0080


**Attendance**

Our whole school attendance for the year is now below 96%. Let's try really hard to be in school and on time, to pull it back up to over the 96% mark. Congratulations Class 4; for the second week in a row - the best attendance last week with 97.67%

	01/11/2019	08/11/2019	15/11/2019	22/11/2019	29/11/2019
Class 6	91.2	91.48	94.07	94.07	86.67
Class 5	96.67	98.33	95	96	95
Class 4	95.83	98	96.33	94.67	97.67
Class 3	98.44	96.67	96.25	94.17	92.5
Class 2	94.38	94	93.81	91.43	84.29
Class 1	97.02	99.05	94.29	99.05	97.14
Class R	94	99.2	94.8	91.2	89.2
Average	95.36	96.72	95	94.38	92.02

**Our prayer this week follows on from our theme of Advent and the prophets.**

In this time of advent, when we think of the preparations for the coming of Jesus and the prophecies made long before Jesus was born, as it is written in the book of Matthew, help us to always remember, 'to treat others as we would want to be treated, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets'. Amen



**Awards - Star of the week: Jahvan Class of the week: Class 2**

<b>Mentions</b>	Maya and Jude	Jude and Edwin	Evelyn and Preston	Lina and Tahrim	Tanzim and Polina	Arb and Meniah	Max and Mahdi
<b>Courtesy</b>	Shanaiya and Noel	Indigo and Nada	Preston and Modar	Ava S and Kerem	Jacob and Ena	Binuke and Asvika	Mahdi and Mila
<b>Top Table</b>	Mohamad and Jazmine						

<b>December Dates:</b>
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> – Yr 6 to Westminster archives
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> – Nasal Flu vaccinations
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> – last week of clubs and last week of after school care
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> – Nativity (afternoon)
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> – no clubs and no after school care this week.
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> Christmas lunch and open afternoon
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> – last day of school – finish at 2.30pm

**Excellence with compassion**

*Clothe yourselves with compassion.*

*What ever you do, work at it with all your heart.*

Colossians 3 verses 12 and 23

Rebecca Anson  
Headteacher

Please return the slip below for your child to be entered into the 2<sup>nd</sup> December newsletter slips book raffle.



I have read and noted the contents of this newsletter. Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2019

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Class: \_\_\_\_\_