

FROM ALPHA TO OMEGA



‘Life in all its fullness’

(JOHN 10:10)



Weekly newsletter
Friday 20th January 2022

Dear parents and carers,

Strike action

You will be aware from the news that the NEU teaching union has declared strike action because of a national dispute between the unions and the government over teacher pay and the funding of schools. The strike action is scheduled to take place on:

- Wednesday 1st February 2023
- Thursday 2nd March 2023
- Wednesday 15th March 2023
- Thursday 16th March 2023

Please see the letter emailed today to see how this will affect Emmanuel on Wednesday 1st February.

Year 6 assembly

Next week, we are looking forward to the Year 6 class assembly on Wednesday at 2.30pm. The back gate will open for parents at 2.25pm and thank you in advance to Y6 parents for organising the cake sale after school.

PFE clothes collection

A reminder the PFE are collecting unwanted clothes to raise money for the school until Tuesday 24th January. Please see their flyer below for more information and thank you to parents who have already dropped off their donation!

Attendance

Our school target for attendance is 96%. This week, well done to Year 2!

Class	Attendance
Nursery	95.2%
Reception	97.1%
Year 1	97.2%
Year 2	100%
Year 3	97.6%
Year 4	96.2%
Year 5	99%
Year 6	92.5%
School	97.1%

Wishing you and your family a lovely weekend,
Miss Burns and the Emmanuel team

School visionaries

Congratulations to these children for showing our school vision and values this week:
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Lulu and Sarah in Nursery
 Zachary and Oliver in Reception
 Kira and Zara in Year 1
 Maya and Xue Yi in Year 2
 Beltran and Ella in Year 3
 Ben K and Nichole in Year 4
 Kai and Oscar in Year 5
 Sophia C and Antonio in Year 6



Diary Dates

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
23	24	25	26	27
Year 6 CLC trip	PFE clothes collection	Year 6 Sharing Assembly to parents		
30	31	1	2	3
	AM – Y1 trip	Strike action – partial school closure		Year 3 Sharing Assembly to parents



18.01.23- 4H visit the
Camden Learning Centre



On Wednesday 18th January, 4H travelled to the Camden Learning Centre to participate in a Lego Coding Workshop. The children built a number of different Lego models and then learned how to use coding to make them move. Most importantly, the day included lots of fun!

February Half-Term



We are now taking bookings
for our February Half-Term
Holiday Playscheme.

Book your spot
today, scan the
QR code on
the right!



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Mental Health Support Team (MHST) Webinar Series for Parents/Carers of Primary School Children and Secondary School aged Young People

The MHST are pleased to offer parents/carers a series of workshops to support their children's well-being. There are 11 topics in total with workshops being offered from this point until the end of Spring term.

Each workshop will last up to 60 minutes and have an optional follow-up of 30 minutes for parents/carers to ask questions or discuss the topic further. Parents and carers can register for any of the above webinars through Eventbrite for free at:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/mhst-parent-and-carer-webinar-series-2022-2023-tickets-415252660887>

Or please scan the QR code using your mobile phone's camera:



The scheduled topics for the rest of this term and Spring term are as follows:

Webinar topic	Intended Parent Audience	Date	Time
Sibling Rivalry	Primary	Wednesday 25th January 2023	12pm – 13.00 Q and A: 13.00 to 13.30
Sleep	Primary & Secondary	Friday 3rd February	12pm – 13.00 Q and A: 13.00 to 13.30
Screen-time	Primary & Secondary	Friday 10th February	12pm – 13.00 Q and A: 13.00 to 13.30
Understanding adolescent development	Secondary	Friday 24th February	12pm – 13.00 Q and A: 13.00-13.30
Having therapeutic conversations with your child	Primary & Secondary	Friday 3rd March	12pm – 13.00 Q and A: 13.00-13.30
Supporting childhood worries	Primary & Secondary	Friday 10th March	12pm – 13.00 Q and A: 13.00-13.30
Anxiety in Adolescence	Secondary	Friday 17th March	12.00 to 13:00 Q and A 13:00 to 13.30

If you have any questions or suggestions, please get in touch with Lorraine Watkins, the school ELSA at wellbeing@emmanuel.camden.sch.uk or direct with the Camden MHST team - Tajwar Hussain, Senior School Practitioner/Parenting Support: Thussain2@tavi-port.nhs.uk



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PFE HAPPENINGS

THANKS FOR A GREAT EVENT!

More than 100 children joined us for Boss Baby last Friday. A big thank you to all the parents, carers, and staff who helped - a great time was had by all and we were able to add an additional £250 to our fundraising total for the academic year so far!



KEEP READING TO
LEARN WHAT'S
COMING UP NEXT!



PLEASE BRING US YOUR UNWANTED CLOTHES MONDAY AND TUESDAY!

We began our clothing collection today and will continue to accept good quality items suitable for reuse at drop-off and pickup next Monday, as well as at drop-off next Tuesday. As a reminder, we are accepting reusable clothing for all ages and genders - including coats, handbags/purses, socks, shoes, nightwear, swimwear, underwear/lingerie. We will also accept household linens such as towels, bedding, curtains, and soft toys. We cannot accept pillows, duvets, carpets, uniform (including school uniform), corporate clothing, textiles/fabric, bric-a-brac/hard items, or soiled/poor quality items. **Please use your home clear-out to help our school!**

COMING SOON: THE 2023 CHALLENGE

Those of you who had children at Emmanuel last year might remember our exciting 2022 Challenge. This entrepreneurial exercise was educational and fun for the kids. It was also a GREAT money-maker for our school, helping to fund activities and resources like Latin, brass instruments, and more.

We'll soon launch our second challenge - the 2023 Challenge, naturally! Watch this space for more information soon, and to learn what we're fundraising for this year.

CLEAR YOUR CUPBOARDS, HELP THE ENVIRONMENT, SUPPORT THE PFE

CLOTHING COLLECTION JANUARY 20 - 24

Did you do a big clean over the break? Following the success of last year's effort, we're again providing an opportunity to drop off some of your unwanted items.



What can you bring?

We are collecting **good quality items for re-use**, including mens', ladies' children's and babies' clothes, shoes, handbags, belts and accessories.

When can you bring it?

Pickup or drop-off Friday, 20 January and Monday 23, January; drop-off only Tuesday, 24 January.



The more our collection weighs,
the more our sponsor will pay!
We challenge you each to bring a bag!

