



Newsletter

Friday 23rd January 2026

What has been happening this week?

This week one of our Year 6 classes visited The Garden Museum in Southwark as part of their learning on climate change. The children had a fabulous time and found it really informative! Thank you for the parents that supported the visit. Escher Class are very excited to attend the Museum on Monday and are hoping it stays dry for them!

This week a group of children visited The Houses of Parliament for a guided tour. The children learned about democracy, governance and the political system. They also explored various parts of Westminster Palace including The Lord's Chamber where they saw the Sovereign's Throne and Westminster Hall (the oldest part of The Houses of Parliament - 1000 years old). The children entered Westminster Palace through the Sovereign's Entrance which is exclusively used by the Monarch.



In assembly this week...

This week the children were introduced to the musician Stevie Wonder and how he overcame his disability to become a talented pianist and singer. The children enjoyed listening to some of his music and learning about how the song 'Happy Birthday' came about, through the Civil Rights movement.

Young Artists' Summer Show

We have registered Brindishe Manor, once again, for the Royal Academy of Arts, Young Artists' Summer Show again for 2026.

Over the years we had over 40 submissions and we have been lucky to have artwork selected for the online exhibition! If your child produces a piece of art for the competition at home, you can upload it on to the website by simply uploading a photograph. Submission date closes on 4th March 2026 at 5pm. Click here :[Royal Academy](#) or see the website news for links to how to submit.

Call for entries

An exciting opportunity for students aged 4–18, who are living and studying in the UK, to exhibit their artwork on site or online at the Royal Academy of Arts.

Open for submissions
5 January–4 March 2026

Find out more and enter
[royac/youngartists](#)
@royalacademyarts

Young Artists' Summer Show 2026

The World In Our School

Thursday 29th January, 5pm to 6.30pm.

Let's celebrate the world in our school!

Why not come along and meet other families, enjoy some food and see some objects from around the world.

Why not bring along a *dish to share or some cultural objects or clothing for us to learn about.

*No nuts and please clearly list all ingredients included.

Brindishe Manor PSFA
Charity number 1117178

Contact details

Could we please ask all our families to check their personal details on Arbor, including phone numbers and emergency contact details. It is essential that we have a few emergency contacts that we can call should we need to.

If you are moving house or relocating, we need to know as soon as possible so we can make sure that we have your new address and the child/ren's new school name.

If you attend breakfast or after school club, please let Claire Dawson, our Tea Club manager know so that your place and payments can be addressed accordingly.

Key dates for the Spring Term

Friday 6th February
 Monday 9th February
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 16th - 20th February
 Tuesday 24th February
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 Thursday 5th March
 11th - 13th March
 Monday 16th March

Number Day
 DT week
 Mental Health week
 HALF TERM WEEK NO SCHOOL
 Open classroom at 3:30pm
 Open Day for perspective Nursery children 4
 World Book Day
 Year 4 residential to Juniper Hall
 Neurodiversity week



Number Day

is back for 2026!

Friday 6th February

WE NEED YOU!

Do you use numbers in your job?

Would you be willing to talk to children in our school about what you do?

This year, we really want children to see how Maths can be used in the real world and enable them to make links between what we do at school and their futures.

Whether you work with numbers in an obvious way (bank, shop etc.) or whether it is less obvious and more obscure (hairdresser, vet, nurse, dog walker, baker etc.), we want to hear from you!

It would be wonderful to have a variety of jobs so the children can understand that Maths can support them in life.



Overall school attendance this week:	95.%	
Top 5 classes with attendance over 95%:	Rashford	99%
A huge well done to Rashford and Escher 99% attendance this week	Escher	99%
		98%
		98%
		98%
Top classes with all children in on time	Adeola, Kusuma, Rashford, Thunberg Huge well done to them all 😊	



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YOUR NEXT HOLIDAY CLUB...

Location: Brindishe Manor School, SE13 5LS

Dates: Mon 16th Feb - Thu 19th Feb 2026

Ages: 4-14 years

Price: From £35.99 per day



🎭 Unleash Your Creativity this Half-Term at our Performing Arts Camp! Our camp is perfect for all ages, offering drama, dance, and music activities. Each day is packed with exciting workshops – from acting and singing to dance routines and mini performances. Every day brings a new creative challenge, a chance to shine on stage!

For more details about the programme, please contact Ebony at:
eclinton-evans@premier-education.com

TIME	MONDAY 16 TH FEB	TUESDAY 17TH FEB	WEDNESDAY 18TH FEB	THURSDAY 19 TH FEB
CAMP WELCOME + ICEBREAKER + TABLE TOP GAMES (8:30-9:30AM)				
SESSION 1	DRAMA - LION KING	RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS	DRAMA - ALADDIN	DRAMA OLIVER
BREAK (10:30-10:50AM)				
SESSION 2	AFRICAN DANCE & DRUMS WORKSHOP	ACRO DANCE CHEERLEADING	BOLLYWOOD + KATHAK DANCE WORKSHOP	GYMNASICS
LUNCH (12-1PM) + PERFORMANCES (1-1:30PM)				
SESSION 3	SAFARI CANVAS PAINTING ARTS & CRAFTS	MEXICAN TACO PARTY	DIWALI LANTERNS ARTS & CRAFTS	MAKE YOUR OWN BUBBLE TEA
SNACK (2:30-3PM)				
SESSION 4	AFRICAN SAFARI HUT CUPCAKE	CREATE YOUR OWN MOSAIC TILE COASTER	MAKE YOUR OWN FRUIT KEBAB	DANCE & SONG
CAMP WRAP UP + TABLE TOP GAMES (5-5:30PM)				

*The timetable shown is an example and may be adjusted. A range of sports alternatives will also be available throughout the day