

### Dear Families,

We have had an exciting week filled with learning beyond the classroom! Our Year 2 pupils had a fantastic time visiting the Tower of London, while Year 4 explored the Science Museum, both trips designed to complement and embed their classroom learning.

On Monday, our children expressed themselves creatively as part of the launch of Mental Health Week, engaging in activities that promote well-being and self- awareness. We also celebrated Numbers Day with a variety of creative activities showcasing mathematical thinking and basic number skills.

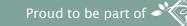
Thursday was particularly special as we welcomed students from LSEC, a higher education college. Our pupils thoroughly enjoyed sharing their learning experiences and demonstrating how our Universal Design for Learning (UDL) approach supports them in achieving success.

Looking ahead to next week, Year 1 pupils will embark on an exciting bus trip linked to their current learning around *The Naughty Bus* text. Additionally, we are looking forward to Pride Time, and we hope you can join us to engage with your child's current learning journey.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Ferla and the PWP Team

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Upcoming Events				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10 <sup>th</sup> Pride Time- Year 1 & Year 2 2:45pm- 3:15pm	11 <sup>th</sup> Pride Time- Year 3 & Year 4 2:45pm- 3:15pm	12 <sup>th</sup> Pride Time Year 5 & Year 6 2:45pm -3:15pm	13 <sup>th</sup> Last Day of Term Pride Time Reception 9-9:30 Nursery 8:30-9/ 12:30-1pm	



Elsie has been out and about all week- today she is snuggled up with her soft toys in this cold weather!

## ATTENDANCE

## Current Attendance- 93.3%

Nursery AM- 70% Poplar- 93.2% Bay- 92.8 % Box- 96% Ash- 92.1% Palm- 95.5% Holly- 94.6% Eucalyptus- 90% Nursery PM- 76.3% Lime- 91.7% H/Chestnut- 94.3% Bamboo- 93.1% Cypress- 95.9% Acacia- 94.8% Myrtle- 97.2% Willow - 97.7%

Green=met the minimum attendance rate



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### **FRIDAY 7TH FEBRUARY- ISSUE 19**





## SCHOOL VALUES

The new focus value this term is Collaboration.

EYFS- Reception have been working together to make their own versions of 'The Enormous Turnip'. They have been choosing their own enormous items and making story maps to retell the story.

KS1 - Year 2 have had a fantastic trip to the Tower of London this week, working together to keep each other safe as well as ask lots of exciting questions about the history of the castle.

KS2- Year 4 went on a trip to the Science Museum this week where they worked in groups to find different activities to take part in.

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**TO BOOK**, please scan the QR code, visit www.eatwellbexley.org.uk, call 020 8269 4887 or email eatwellbexley@gcda.org.uk





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### Teen Life Bexley - Support for parent/carers of children aged 10-16 with Autism

### Teen Life is a six-session programme for parents/carers of children aged 10 to 16 years on the autism spectrum.

Developed by the National Autistic Society, the Teen Life programme aims to empower parents and supporting professionals to understand more about how autism is experienced by teenagers.

### Teen Life Bexley - Enhanced Offer

Whilst Teen Life is a stand alone course for parent carers, in Bexley we are piloting an enhanced offer.

Bexley Voice (parent/carer forum) will be offering follow up sessions to parent carers on completion of the 6 week Teen Life Bexley course. Each group will be offered four monthly sessions at a time and location to best suit the group.

These facilitated sessions are designed to enable parent carers to:

- · continue to meet up to share experiences, worries and progress about their young people.
- receive, support and signposting, from Bexley Voice, to other local and national services which may be helpful.

We hope the follow up sessions will help parent carers to remember and strengthen what has been covered on the course and enable them to continue to support each other and connect with other parent carer support groups locally.

If you would like to take part in a course, email an expression of interest to hannah.kersey@bexley.gov.uk or visit <u>www.bexleynas.co.uk/teen-life-bexley</u> and complete the online form.

If you have any questions about the Teen Life course, please email tracy.mcdonald@bexley.gov.uk



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#### Topics covered include:

- understanding autism in teenagers
- self-esteem and spending time with other people
- stress and anxiety
- understanding your diagnosis and special interests
- puberty and independence
- education and planning for the future.

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