



# The Byword



17th May 2024

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Dear Parents & Carers,

## Key Dates

- Wednesday 22nd May: Spanish Day
- Monday 17th - 21st June: Be healthy Week
- Monday 17th June: EID
- Thursday 20th June: Class Group Photos
- Friday 21st June: Going to work Day
- Friday 28th June: Summer Fair
- Monday 8th July: Meet the teacher day
- Thursday 11th July: Pupil Reports & Parent Celebration Day
- Tuesday 23rd July: Last Day of School. **1:30pm Finish**

It has been a busy week at Bygrove! We are all incredibly proud of our Year 6 children who have been nothing but positive, resilient & compassionate to others throughout the KS2 SATs this week. They are a brilliant class of children with so many interests, skills & attributes that go beyond academic learning. We know that they will continue to grow & flourish at secondary school & we can't wait to hear about the next stage in their journeys. Year 6, we are really proud of you!

There lots of exciting things to look forward to next week. Year 5 will be venturing off to Gorsefield for a day of outdoor learning as well as going to meet an author on Thursday. Our youngest learners are also off to Bartlett Park for a picnic on Friday.

Today the children enjoyed ice lollies in the sunshine as we had 100% attendance in Reception to Year 6 yesterday. The amazing news is that it was 100% attendance again today so we are looking forward to our treat on Monday! Well done everyone!

Best wishes & see you on Monday,

Fiona

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We invest in people Platinum



# After School Clubs: spaces are available!

To sign up, please log on to your ParentPay accounts. Each club space is offered on a first come, first served basis.

Please contact the school office for help with ParentPay.

Mondays			
Club House	Nursery - Year 6	3:45 - 5:30	All welcome
Music Production	Years 2 - Year 6	3:45 - 4:45	12 spaces remaining
Football Club	Reception - Year 3	3:45 - 4:45	14 spaces remaining
Tuesdays			
Club House	Nursery - Year 6	3:45 - 5:30	All welcome
Football Club	Years 3 - Year 6	3:45 - 4:45	2 spaces remaining
Wednesdays			
Club House	Nursery - Year 6	3:45 - 5:30	All welcome
Basketball Club	Year 3 - Year 6	3:45 - 4:45	13 spaces remaining
Thursdays			
Club House	Nursery - Year 6	3:45 - 5:30	All welcome
Multi-Sports Club	Years 3 - Year 6	3:45 - 4:45	12 spaces remaining
Cooking Club ( <b>£20 per term</b> )	Years 1 - Year 6	3:45 - 5:00	5 spaces remaining
Fridays			
Club House	Nursery - Year 6	3:45 - 5:30	All welcome
Archery Club	Years 3 - Year 6	3:45 - 4:45	14 spaces remaining

## Stars of the week



Y1: Zabir

Y2: Safreen & Maymuna

Y3: Ahiyan

Y4: Mohammad

Y5: Saleh

## Attendance

Y1 & Y6 : 100%

Well done Y1 & Y6!

## After School Clubs - Spring 2024

Ad-Hoc Club House sessions and Breakfast Club will also be starting from Monday 15th April 2024. Each club costs **£17.50 for the term**. The price for the Cooking Club is **£20.00** due to the sessions being longer and the additional resources required. Breakfast Club will cost **£1.00 per day** and Ad-Hoc Club House sessions will cost **£1.50 per day**.

# Headteacher Surgeries with Mr Langham at Langdon Park School

(For parents of children going to LPS)

May 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 9.00am – 10.00

June 20<sup>th</sup> @ 9.00am – 10.00am

July 18<sup>th</sup> @ 9.00am – 10.00am

**All at Byron Street Reception**



## 80 BEACONS



### 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF D-DAY

REMEMBERING THE LARGEST NAVAL,  
AIR AND LAND OPERATION IN HISTORY



JOIN US FOR A COMMEMORATIVE LUNCH ON

### THURSDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2024

Battered Pollock Fillet with Chips

or

Cheese, Tomato & Basil Puff Squares  
with Chips

All with  
Peas & Baked Beans  
Coleslaw

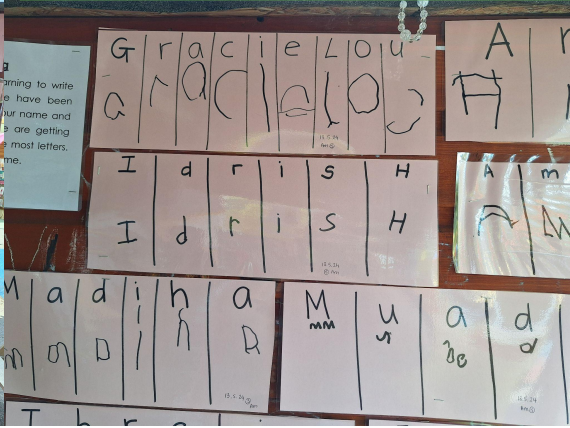
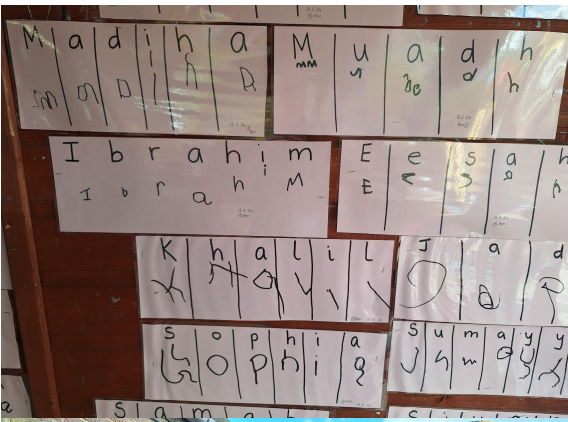
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Eton Mess





# Nursery

In Nursery, the children have been learning to mark make, form letters, recognise their name and write their name. They have also been learning the initial sound in their names. For example: M, M, Mary or L, L, Lara. Please continue to do these activities at home with your child.



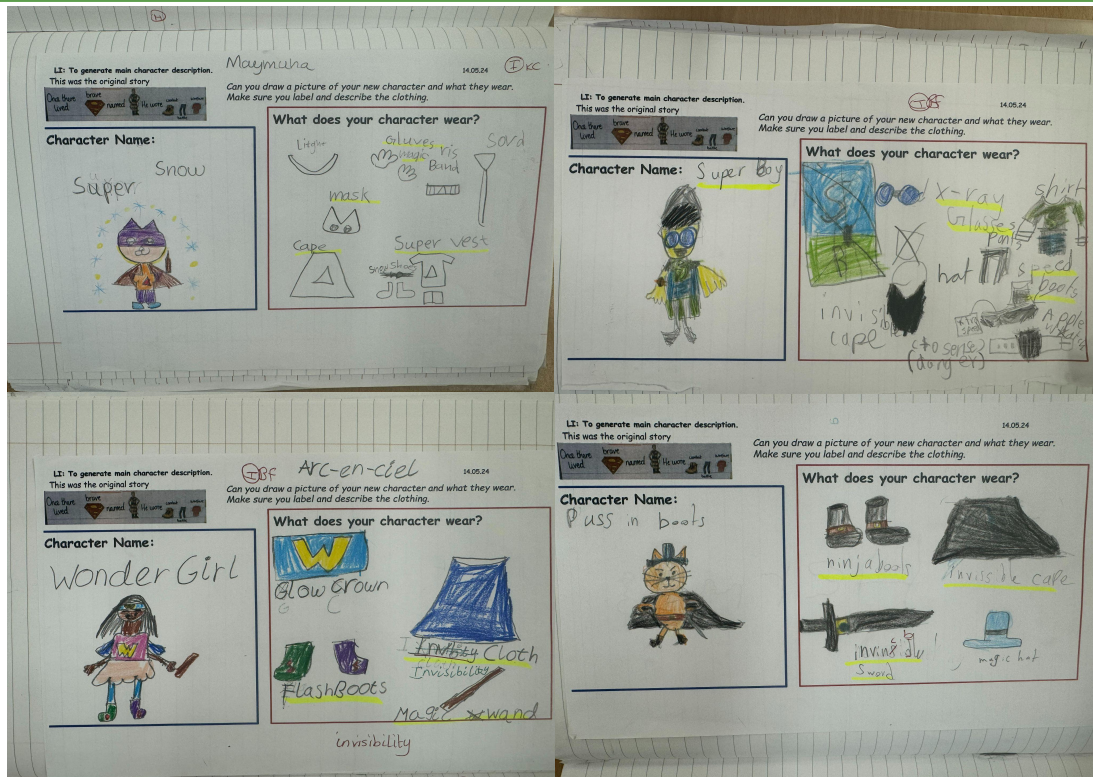
# Reception

Reception are excited to see that the caterpillar eggs have finally hatched. The children have been watching 5 caterpillars grow each day!



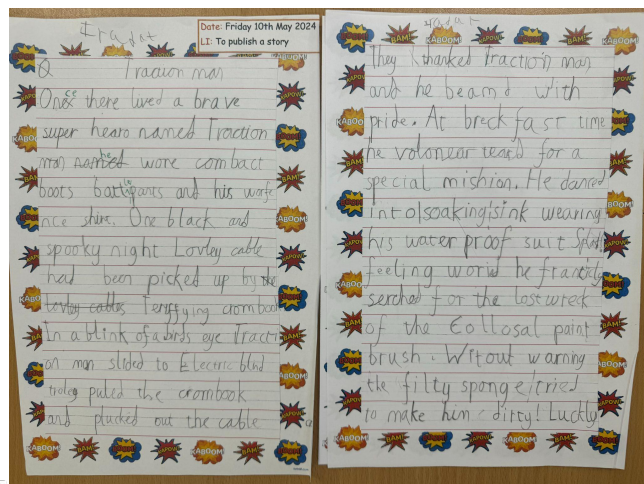
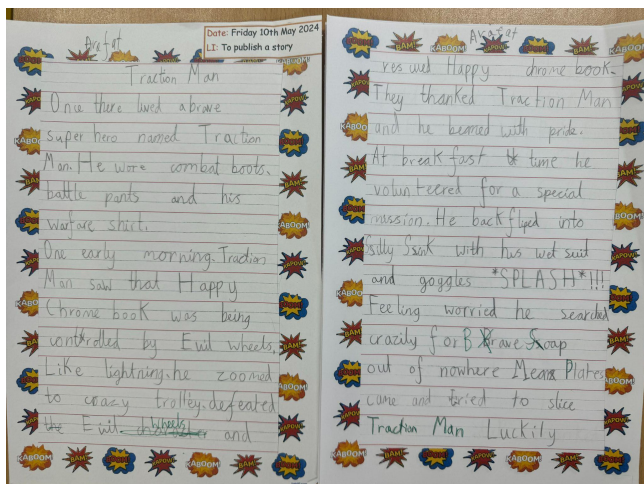
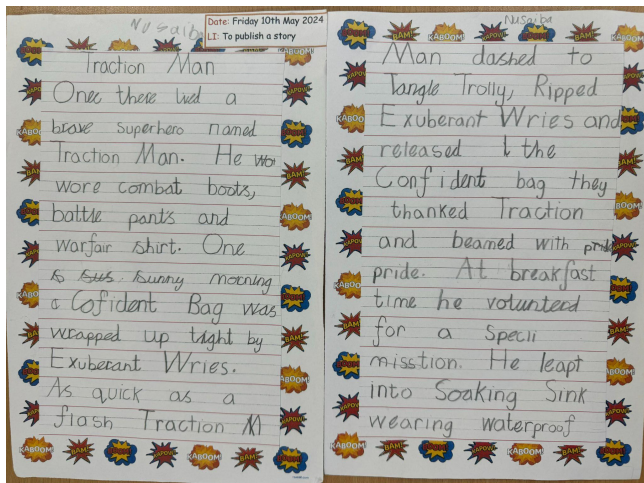
# Year 2

Having completed their writing unit on the adventures of Traction Man, Year 2 have been inspired to create their very own superheroes. Check out their illustrations and stay tuned to find out what adventures await them.



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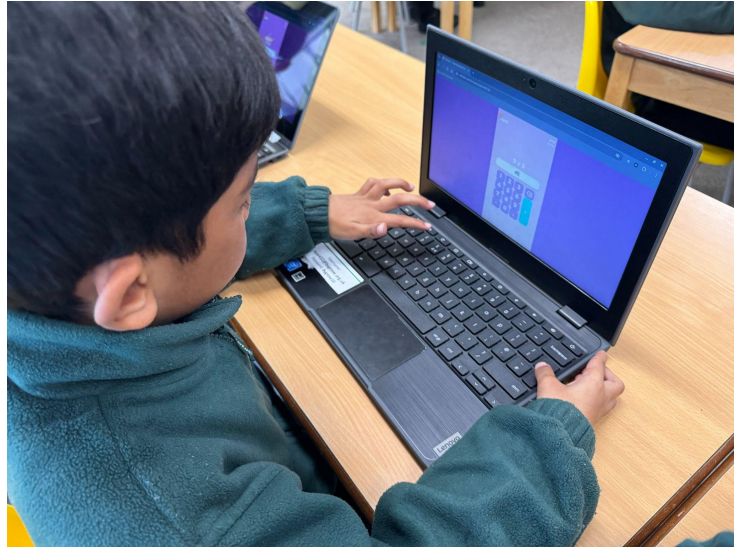
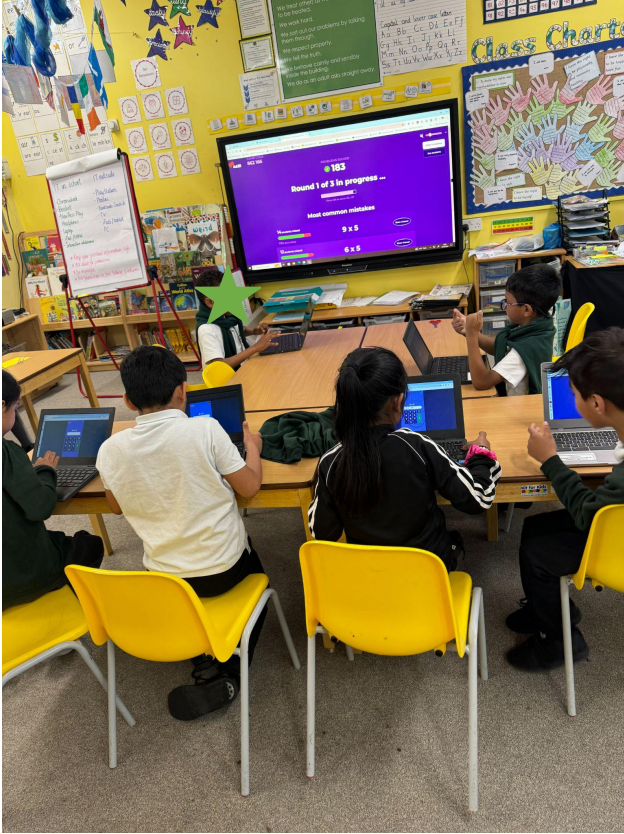
Year 2 have been using their creativity to innovate the story of Traction Man. They mapped their own ideas for the events and characters in the story. They then wrote some amazing adventures and battles for Traction Man in their stories.





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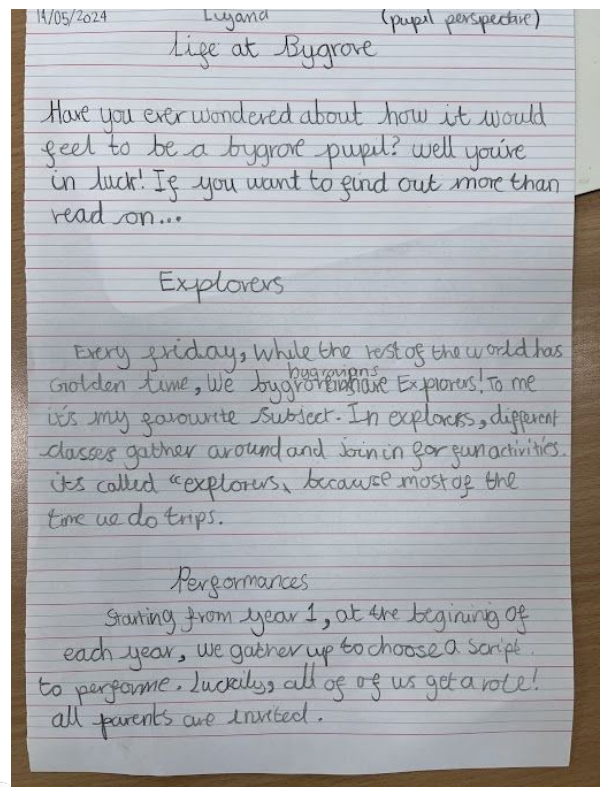
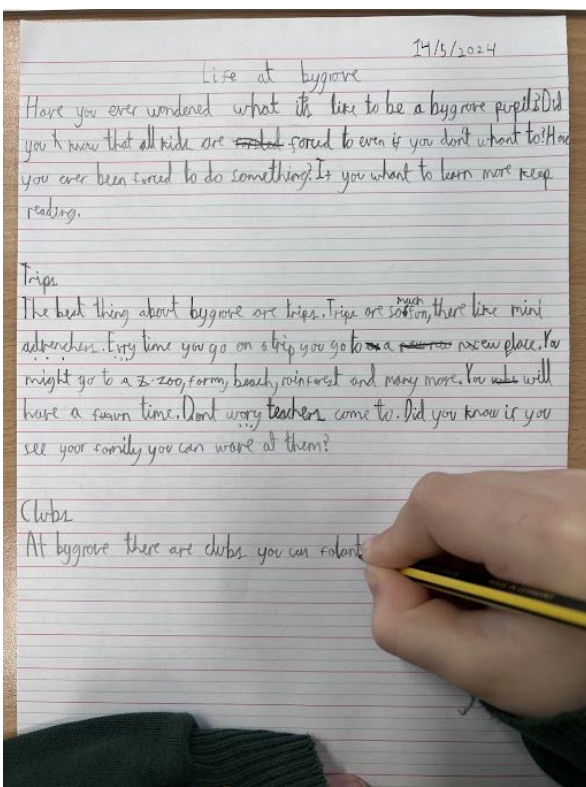
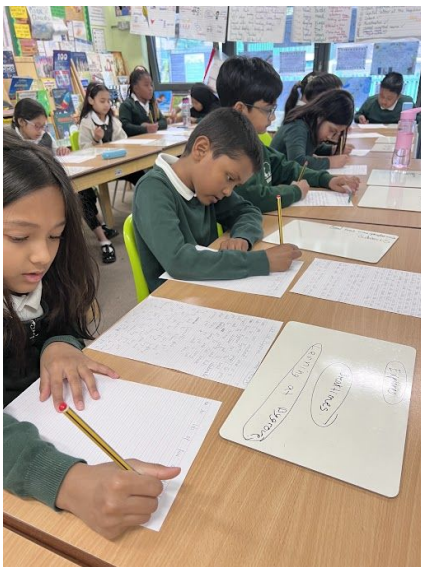
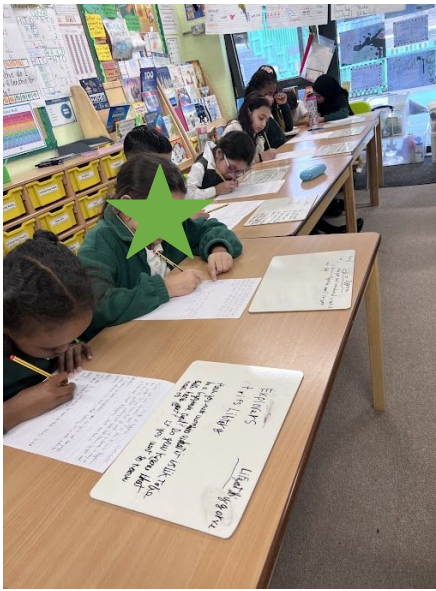
Year 2 have been working on their fluency of the 2, 5 and 10 times tables. They've been using the excellent 99 maths site to compete against each other and spot patterns within the times tables. Keep it up Year 2!





# Year 3

Year 3 have turned into fantastic non-fiction authors! In our English lessons, we've been writing about 'What life is like at Bygrove.' We talked about the purpose of our writing, explored different styles (some of us are becoming quite the comedians), and remembered all the amazing opportunities we enjoy as Bygrove pupils. This has us really excited for our upcoming trip in a few weeks. We can't wait to share all about it with you!



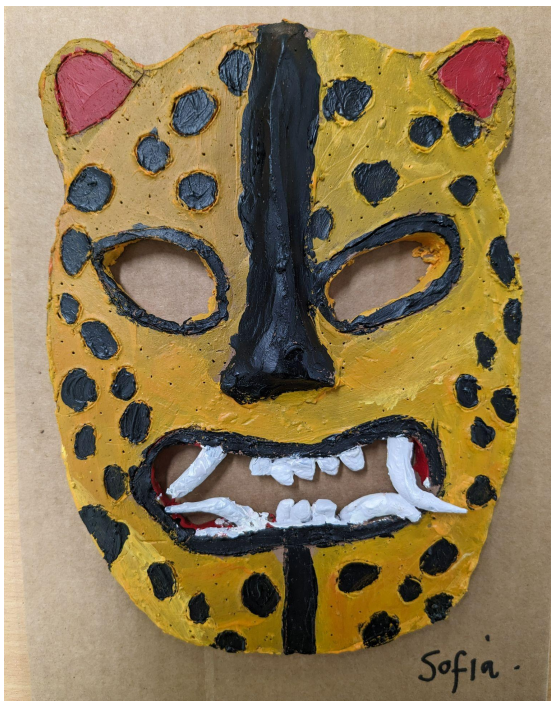


## Year 3

Just look at these beautifully painted masks. Inspired by Mayan culture, our Y3 artists mixed their own colours to create the glorious golds and bluey greens of jade that the Maya loved.

They've also incorporated the vibrant colours of rainforest flora & fauna.

Excellent work Y3!





# Children's activities with St. Margaret's House

Click on the photos to find out more on our website

## Half Term Activities:

### Free Crafting workshops: Crafterschool

Join Crafterschool this May Half Term for three days of engaging arts and crafts sessions. Suitable for children in School Year 1 to Year 5. Tickets: Free, booking is essential.

Time: 10am - 12pm

Dates: Tuesday 28th May, Thursday 30th May, Friday 31st May

Where: Tramshed Community Hub

Tickets: Free, booking is essential



### Performance: Welcome to the World

Come on an adventure with Little Wild Theatre as Mother Earth's children, Tide, Ariel and Blaze all take their first steps into the world.

Times: 11.00 - 11.40am

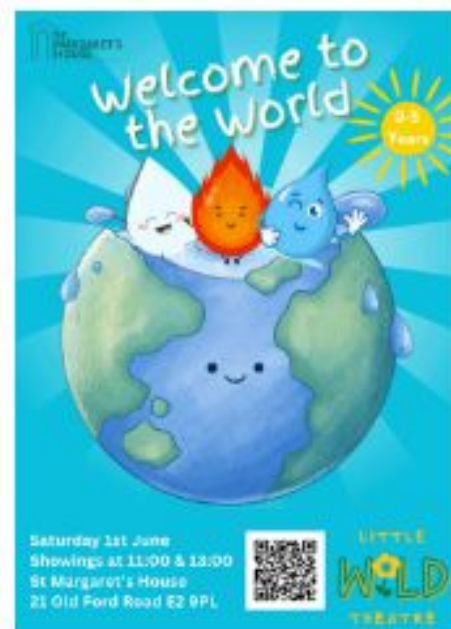
1.00 - 1.40pm

Date: Saturday 1st June

Age range: 0 - 5 years old

Where: The Mulberry Hall, St. Margaret's House, E2 9PL

Tickets: £5 / £7 / £9



## Term-time activity:

### Afterschool Games Club

Weekly Tuesday afterschool Games Club sessions children in school years 1-5 (younger children can attend with an adult)

Times: 3.30-4.30pm

Where: The Tramshed Community Hub, Digby Street, E2 0LS

FREE, sign-up is essential

Summer Term: Tuesday 23rd April - Tuesday 2nd July (no session Tuesday 28th May)



# POPLAR PANTHERS



## CRICKET

### SUMMER COMMUNITY SESSIONS

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FRIDAYS 7.00pm-8.00pm

17th May until 26th July 2024 (10 weeks)

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BARTLETT PARK, UPPER NORTH STREET, POPLAR, E14 6DZ

- All sessions are free to students from Poplar & Bromley-by-Bow Primary Schools
- Open to boys and girls
- Level 2 qualified & DBS checked coaches
- Opportunities to take part in competitive matches



## PLATFORM

Supporting young people to progress  
through and in cricket

Please contact Jahid Ahmed (Hub Supervisor) to confirm your place: 07872 947 882

[jahid.ahmed@thysf.org](mailto:jahid.ahmed@thysf.org)

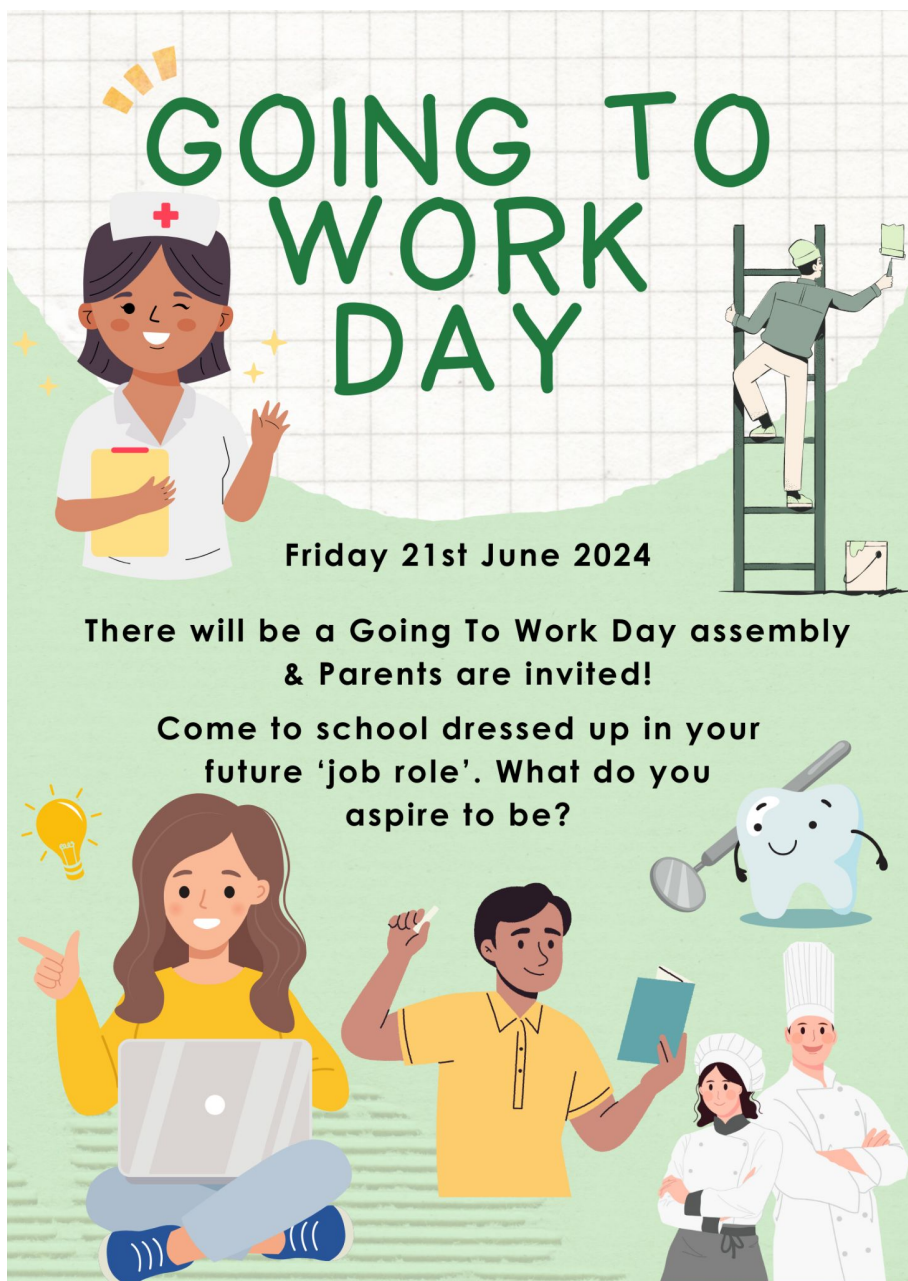


# Going to Work Day

Going to work day is on Friday 21st June 2024.

Children can come in dressed up in their future, dream 'job'.

If there are any parents who would like to come in the morning to speak to the children about their job & career, please let the office team know.



# BREAKFAST Club

From 7:45-8:45am  
£1 on ParentPay

## Breakfast club benefits:

- Positive start to the day
- Developing Independence
- Becomes part of their routine
- Improved behavior/results at School
- Allows children to have a healthy breakfast
- They socialise and make new friends

## Food we provide in Breakfast club:



Toast



Toastie



Fruit



Cereal



Milk



Juice



Porridge





# coffee

## Mornings



*Come along to our coffee mornings, where you can socialise with other parents and have some coffee and biscuits.*

**On:**  
**Friday 21st June**

**From 9:15am**





Queen Mary  
University of London

FREE family  
activities



# Festival of Communities

Living and learning together  
in Tower Hamlets



**Saturday 8 June**

**11.30am – 4.30pm**

Stepney Green Park

[qmul.ac.uk/festival](http://qmul.ac.uk/festival)



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events



MHS  
East London  
MIND Foundation Trust



citizensuk



[www.letta.org.uk](http://www.letta.org.uk)



# NURSERY

## Places Available!

Do you have or know someone with a child born between 1 September 2020 and 31 August 2021?

Apply now via [www.eadmissions.org.uk](http://www.eadmissions.org.uk)

They can start with us in September 2024



DID YOU  
KNOW?

We also offer places to rising 3-year-olds to start nursery a term after turning 3 years old!

Please contact the school office on 020 7538 4925 or email [admin@bygrove.org.uk](mailto:admin@bygrove.org.uk)

Click the link below for more information

[Nursery admissions 2024](#)

# Hall Hire

**Price: £55 per hour**  
**£50 deposit required at booking and only refundable after the event.**

**Availability: Most weekends and weekdays in the school holidays up until 10pm.**

**Car Park Space: 6 cars maximum.**

**8 double tables with benches attached and 40 chairs.**  
**Playground use up until 8pm.**

**No alcohol allowed.**

**Please let us know if you would like to hire out the hall for birthdays, Mehndi parties, family gatherings, Eid parties and other events.**

**Contact Christina Maynard to arrange a viewing via [admin@bygrove.org.uk](mailto:admin@bygrove.org.uk) or call 0207 538 4925**



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