



Year 3 Newsletter 34

Week ending: Friday, 14 June 2019

The Windrush Generation

This month, the school will be celebrating Windrush Day on Friday, 21 June. However, the official Windrush Day is on Saturday, 22 June.

It was 71 years ago on 22 June 1948 that the Empire Windrush arrived in Tilbury Docks in Essex. The Empire Windrush had left the Caribbean to travel thousands of miles across the Atlantic. This was the first time so many Caribbean people had come to live in Britain. Many more arrived in the following years.

Between 1948 and 1970, nearly half a million people moved from the Caribbean to Britain, which in 1948 faced severe labour shortages in the wake of the Second World War. The immigrants were later referred to as **The Windrush Generation**.

For this special event, we would like to encourage parents helping their daughters finding out interesting bits of information about this important episode in British History. For example, are any family or friends from the Windrush Generation? Have they any stories to share? What were the conditions like? What were their aspirations? Did they achieve them? Did they have friends in Britain that helped them settle in or were they abandoned on arrival? What difficulties did they face?

Perhaps if you don't know anyone from the Windrush Generation. Then you could conduct a little research with your daughter. A few good starting points are (1) www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/43793769, (2) windrushfoundation.com, and (3) www.bl.uk/windrush.

We look forward to hearing your daughter's story :)

Class photographs will be taken next Tuesday, 18 June. Please ensure that your daughter is wearing the correct and complete school uniform.



Windrush Celebration

Next Friday, 21 June, there will be a Carnival Parade and Caribbean Food Tasting in the playground from 2.40pm. Parents are encouraged to come along to watch the activities and taste the food.



Stars of the Week
3.1 Huda & Fatima

Weekly Attendance Percentages

3.1: 98.97%
3.2: 97.04%
Whole School: 96.68%



Reading Certificates

3.1 Eloise, Nerisa, Careece, Bana, Dhani, Jessica
3.2 Tianna, Sevim, Nooreh, Khadija

Day	Weekly Homework beginning Monday, 17/06/2019	Due
Monday, 17	Maths Practise test questions for retest this Friday.	21/06/19
Tuesday, 18	English 10 Minute Weekly Workouts Complete Summer Term, Workout 9 for next Tuesday	25/06/19
Wednesday, 19	Maths 10 Minute Weekly Workouts Complete Summer Term, Workout 9 for next Tuesday.	25/06/19
Thursday, 20	Spelling Learn Week 30 Spelling Words for test next Thursday.	27/06/19
Friday, 21	Computing PurpleMash 2Type: 20 minutes of touch typing.	