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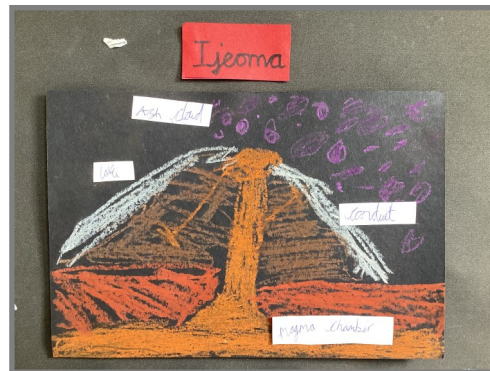
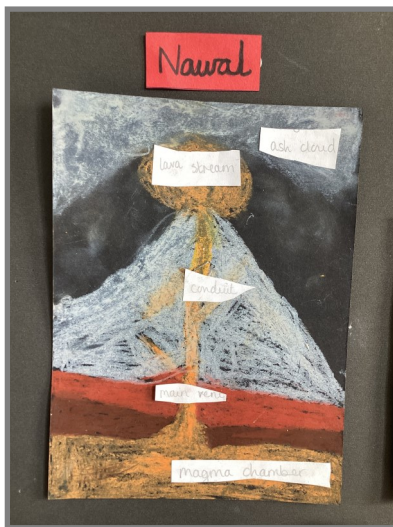
Thank you for taking the time to read this weekly newsletter. We hope you will find its contents useful.

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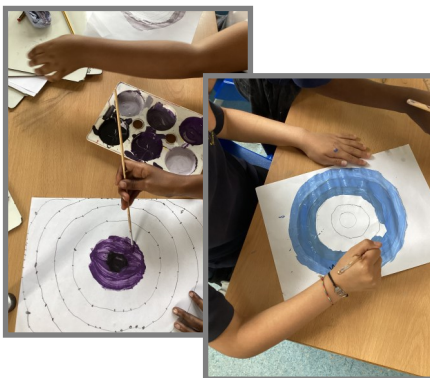
Friday 20th May 2022

Active Planets in Years 3 and 4

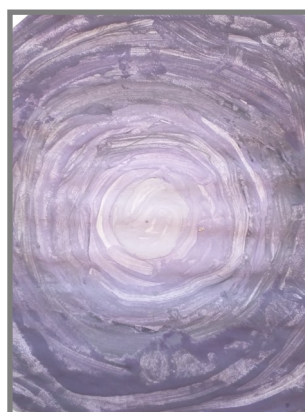
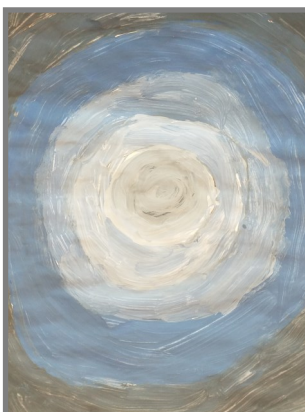
Years 3 and 4 have been creating some amazing work as part of their Active Planet topic. They have been studying volcanoes, earthquakes, tornadoes and tsunamis.



They used chalk to create these labelled volcanoes.



The children were also inspired by earthquake epicentres and mixed paints to make different shades of a particular colour. Their paintings also made them think of typhoons and whirlpools!



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Half term

Mon 30th May

Fri 3rd June

Congratulations



Lee



We are so proud of Lee, who has just been elected local councillor for London Fields. Huge congratulations!



STARS OF THE WEEK



Indigo
Lilac
Silver
Crimson
Yellow
Gold
Green
Pink
Purple
Orange
Brown
Red
Blue

Zayne
Maravilha
Raul
Nassima
Ritaj
Omar
All children
Lovelie
Henry
Danait
Kayla
Zayn
Erica

Well done superstars!



Attendance and Punctuality

Year Group	Best Attendance	Most Improved Attendance	Best Punctuality
EYFS & KS1	Below 96%	Below 96%	Gold Class
KS2	Red Class	Below 96%	Brown Class Blue Class



Y2 SATs

A huge well done to all the children and staff in year 2 for all their hard work during this week's end of key stage 1 SATs. You're all super stars!



Free Swimming Lessons

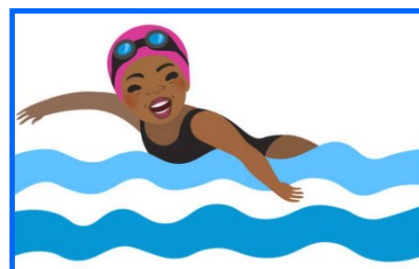
Throughout the school holidays, BETTER and Islington council are offering **FREE swimming lessons** to children that live or go to school in Islington, aged between 4-16 years of age.

These lessons are available to children who have not yet attained the key stage 2 swimming outcomes, which are:

- Swim competently confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25m
- Use a range of strokes effectively
- Perform safe self - rescue in different water based situations

The lessons start in May Half term. Lessons will run daily at:

- Archway Leisure Centre – 8.30am - 10.30am
- Cally Pool and Gym – 9.00 - 11.30am
- Highbury Leisure Centre – 9 - 11am
- Ironmonger Row Baths – 10am - 12pm



Sessions are available to book now and the **deadline for entries is 30th May**.

Please email to apply for places or to make further enquiries - Summer.lessons@gll.org or find out more by clicking here to access this leaflet: [Free Swimming Lessons](#)

Help On Your Doorstep

Help On Your Doorstep continues to be committed to supporting Islington residents to overcome disadvantage and achieve positive futures. Their services bring together individuals, communities, and partner services, in an attempt to improve health and wellbeing in neighbourhoods across Islington.

If you are finding it difficult to pay for essential supplies, you may be entitled to help. Other services include food delivery, food parcels, support with shopping and prescriptions.

If you need support or would like further information please click: [Help On Your Doorstep](#)

Or speak to Natalie in the playground who might be able to help you find information.



Steve the Super Hero

Our very own Pakeman super hero, Steve, responded to an emergency plea for help from the children in Lilac class. Their little teddy had fallen through a hole in the wooden fence and was stuck there sad and all alone. Thanks to **Super Steve** the teddy was soon rescued and then given a nice warm bubbly bath. Teddy is now back safely and happily with the nursery children. Well done Super Steve! You're our hero.



Arsenal visit School Council

School council are currently involved in an exciting 6 week sustainability project with Arsenal football club. Hopefully they will come up with some great ideas to help us on our road to improving sustainability at school and in the borough.

