









SCHOOL AMBASSADORS NEWSLETTER

By Pupils, For Pupils!

Sports Leaders

What is a 'Sports Leader'?

Sports Leaders run lunchtime games and activities in the playground for Year 1, 2, 3 and 5 children. The initiative involves children in group games; ensures playtimes are fun, enjoyable and inclusive; develop skills in responsibility and leadership.

Our effect on the playground...

Sports leaders have a positive impact on the school playground at break and lunch times. We supervise & create fun, enjoyable and inclusive activities. Also, we help to reduce the number of injuries which are sustained during unstructured activities.

Digital Leaders

As technology evolves, our school has acquired lots of resources to help pupils' learning. In order to help with the maintenance of the school's digital equipment, as well as propose ideas about new equipment, 2 digital leaders have been established per class since the Autumn term. They are responsible for digital equipment, and also contribute with ideas and research, to improve our technology resources and learning. This year a group of digital leaders together with Mr Nick and Mr Bond visited BETT 2022, an international exhibition for technology and education. The digital leaders gathered information about new technologies in education as well as hardware, and will be sharing their ideas with the rest of the school soon.

Librarians

Now that our library has opened up to everyone, every day, we decided we needed some help. So Mrs Overton and Mrs Alasko decided to train some of our avid readers from Years 4, 5 and 6 to become librarians. The pupils chosen have always been keen readers who regularly attend the library and often volunteered to help Mrs Overton and Mrs Alasko. Find out why and how they support you in our school library here

Gardening

Our Green Ambassadors help Ms Gilani with sustainability in school, turning off computers, screens and lights. In the garden the children help with composting and using the seeds of plants and fruit to replant for future crops.

Our children learn about seasonality, the life cycle of plants and get to grow and taste new herbs, fruit and vegetables.

The roof garden and greenhouse are a sensory delight full of textures, scents and flavours! Pupils learn to understand and nurture their environment and experience the fruits of their work.

School Council

The School Council have been working hard on trying to make our school community more sustainable and reduce waste. The councillors were alarmed by Newham's waste production and wrote to Morrisons Supermarket asking they donate a reusable water bottle for all Keir Hardie pupils. As a result waste has reduced at our school and we have banned all single use bottles at Keir Hardie! The School Council has also supported vulnerable families both in and beyond our community by organising food and money donations for AAA and the Ukraine-Russian war victims.

Work Week

During Work Week the children have the opportunity to learn about the world of work through workshops and visitors from different professions. Pupils learn that with hard work, determination and resilience they can aspire to be anything. We challenge stereotypes by showing the children that a profession can be done by anyone, regardless of their faith, race, age or sex. Children learn about money and budgeting, have opportunities to create products and deliver presentations and ideas to their peers and professionals. We want children to be equipped with the knowledge needed to thrive in the real world.