Diversity and Anti- Racism Parent Forum 23/11/20

Welcome

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Agenda

- Timeline
- Update from Ife Thompson BLAMuk- The Grounded Project
- Rosabel Ng- Educational Psychologist
- Curriculum update
- Managing racist incidents



Summer 2020

- Purchased a diverse range of books for classes, the library and the CPD library
- Planned INSET
- Questionnaire to parents
- Autumn curriculum planning
- Planned parent forum
- Shared resources with community
- Ensure weekly newsletters are informative

Autumn 2020

- Sept: Staff training on racism and diversifying our curriculum-BLAMuk
- Sept: Set up a regular parent forum to openly discuss becoming an anti-racist school
- Oct: Celebrated Black History Month and each class focused on researching an historic BAME British person- Blue Plaque Showcase
- Oct: Show Racism the Red Card event
- Ongoing: Diversify our Autumn Term curriculum and our book corners

Autumn 2020

- Nov: Anti-bullying week/ World Children's Day
- Nov: Introduce the Rights Respecting School award- Big Picture in Dec
- Nov: Our black pupils in years 4 and 5 have been offered the opportunity to study African and Afro-Caribbean History through an afterschool club run by BLAMuk- The Grounded Project
- Nov: Clarify procedures for managing racist incidents and share with the community
- Nov: Share our timeline/ resources /book lists/curriculum
- Nov: Update on our partnership work with Trident Prep School in Zambia

Spring 2021

- Offer parent focus group
- Continue regular parent forums to openly discuss becoming an anti-racist school
- Diversify our Spring Term curriculum
- Continue to acquire books from BAME authors, with BAME characters.
- World Water Day Monday 22nd March
- Science week
- Tomorrow's World Show Case linked to rights and responsibilities and sustainable development goals
- Continue the Grounded Project
 - Staff training on managing racist incidents

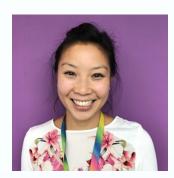
Summer 2021

- May: International Evening
- June 10th: World Empathy Day 2021
- June 22nd: Windrush Day
- Continue regular parent forum to openly discuss becoming an antiracist school
- Diversify our Summer Term curriculum
- Continue links with Trident Prep Zambia- connecting classrooms
- Continue Grounded Project- evaluate impact
- Review all policies with an anti-racist critique- do they promote equality?

The Grounded Project



Working with our Educational Psychologist



Dr Rosabel Ng

- EPs work with parents/carers, schools and the community
- We promote social justice and antiracist action
- Our anti-racism stance
- Voice, stories and experiences
- Parent Forum



Mondays 2- 5 Thursdays 9.30-12.30

Call.....07377 913538 or 07377 976518



How to help your child with learning

Managing routines at home

Call EP Connect to talk to one of the Lewisham Educational Psychologists. We can offer support to think about..

Other services that might be helpful to you

How you are feeling and managing... A listening ear

For Parents
For carers
For school staff

Emotional responses (e.g. managing change, fears and worries)

Do we have the language to discuss Black History?

<u>Diaspora</u>:

People settled far from their ancestral homelands.

Abolition:

The act of stopping something, e.g.the abolition of slavery.

<u>Civil rights</u>:

The rights of people to political and social freedom and equality.

Sub-Saharan Africa:

The African countries that lie below the Sahara Desert.

Empire:

A large number of countries ruled over by a single monarch.

Diversity:

The practice of including a range of people from different social and ethnic backgrounds.

<u>Indigenous</u>:

Ethnic groups who are the original or earliest known inhabitants of an area.

Colony:

A country or area under the control of another country.

<u>Discrimination</u>:

The unfair treatment of people especially based on their race, gender, age or disability.

Culture:

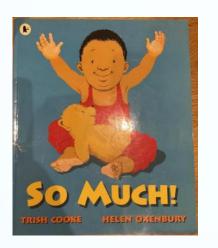
The ideas, customs and social behaviour of a particular group of people.

Racism:

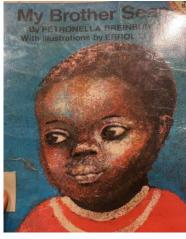
Someone behaving differently to another person based on the colour of their skin or their culture.

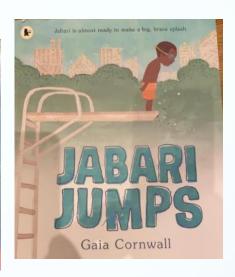
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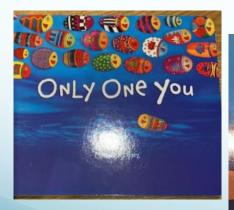
Let's Explore

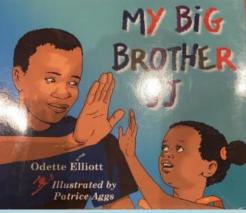


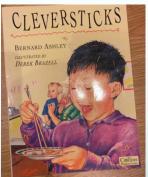


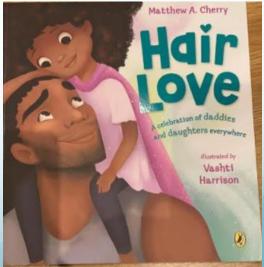












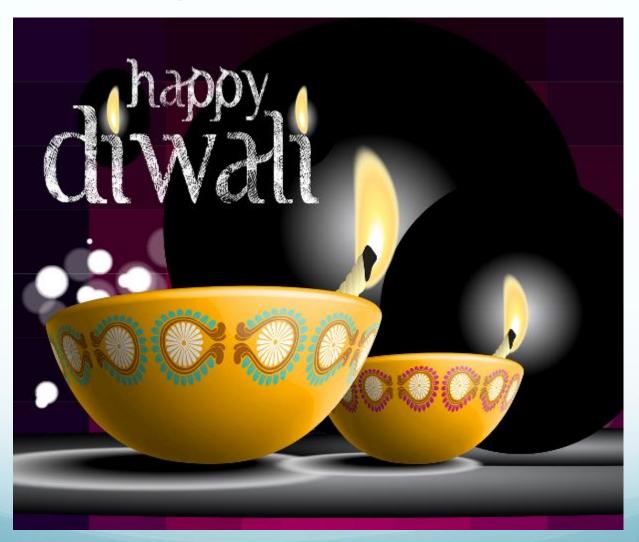
Black superheroes







Celebrations

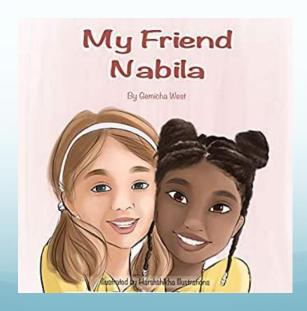


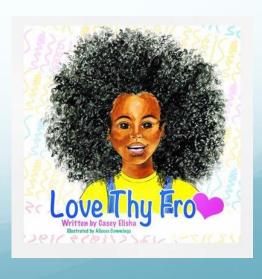
Year 1 and 2

All Aboard Spectacular Skyline

- Author visits (Year 1- Gemicha West 'My Friend Nabila')
- Author Visit (Year 1 and 2- Casey Elisha)

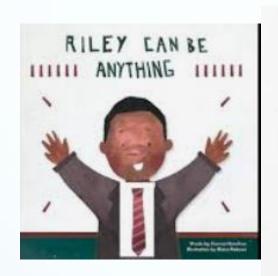


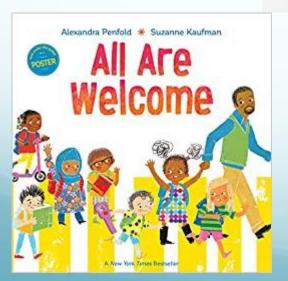




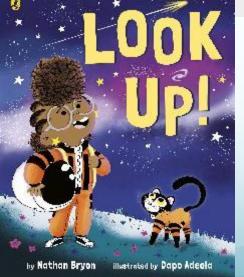


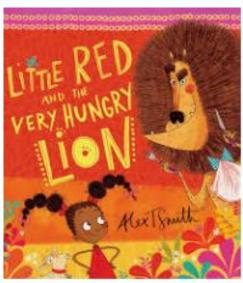
KS1 story time

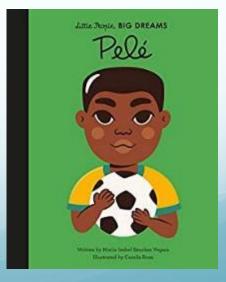






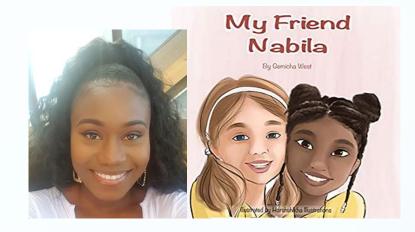






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 Author visit - Gemicha West 'My Friend Nabila'



- History Were there black people in Roman Britain? What was their role in society? Children explored these questions using clips from David Olusoga's series 'Black and British'.
- This inspired their blue plaque project.



Kofi recently broke his arm in a bicycle accident. Eating which group of foods could help his body

repair itself? Why?

PE – Autumn 1 Sporting Hero – Pele

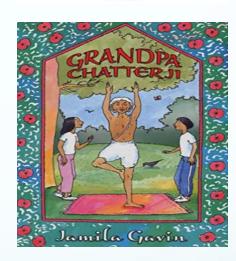
 Reading – In the Summer term, the whole class reading text is 'Grandpa Chatterji', which explores the cultural differences of two very different grandpas.

 Across the curriculum, diverse images of people have been included in everyday learning

<u>Sporting Hero</u> Year 3 - Autumn 1



Polo.





Maya loves fizzy drinks, but her parents only let her have them on special occasions. Why?

Tales of the Thames

History / Music – Who were the Windrush Generation?
 Who was Aldwyn Roberts (AKA the King of Calypso)







- PE Sports Hero
 - Arthur Ashe





The Vikings

Author Visit (Year 4 - Casey Elisha







PE – Sports Hero - Simone Biles



'Daily Explorer' – weekly reading.

These include a range of diverse people and themes.

Stormzy single released in schools

Should Stormzy be a role model for us all? His latest music video came out last week. The Superheroes animation is a salute to young people – and a celebration of the qualities that make you different from everybody else



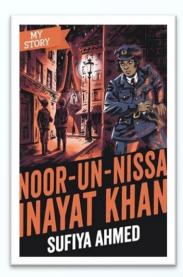


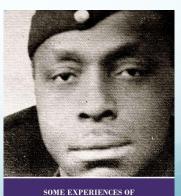
Year 5 and 6

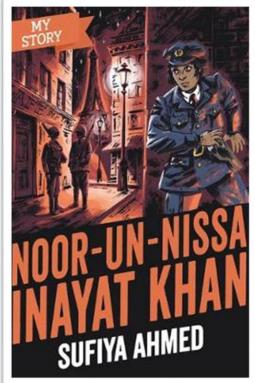
Vile Victorians and Medical Marvels

World War II

- Year 5 are planning to learn about Mary Seacole.
- They are also planning on broadening their exploration of medicines from around the world.
- Year 6 have been learning about Noor-Un-Nissa Inayat Khan. They were also lucky enough to virtually meet with the author Sufiya Ahmed.
- Year 6 are planning to learn about London's Black African community who helped support Britain whilst at war.
- They will learn about Ita Ekpenyon who tried to create a less prejudiced Britain.











Noor Inayat Khan GC

1914-1944

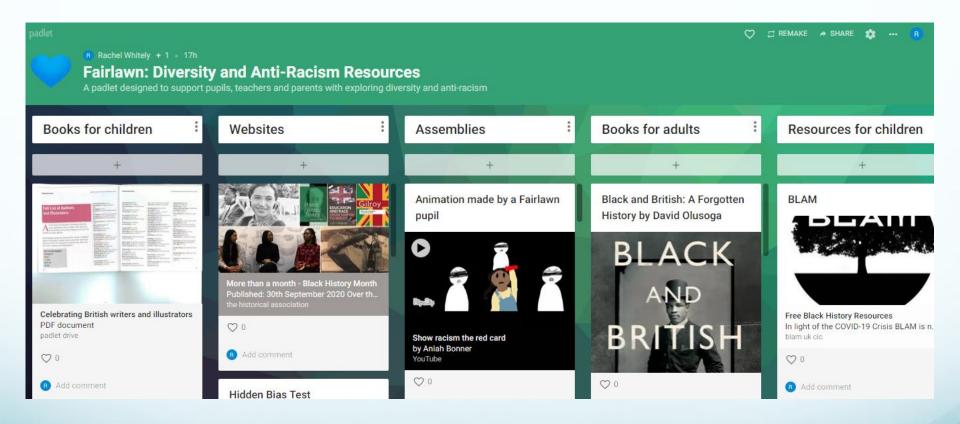
SOE agent and WAAF member

Radio operator and Churchill's spy. Captured by the Gestapo, she sacrificed her life in order to win the war.

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Managing Racist Incidents

- Racism is a form of bullying
- Institutional or Personal
- No incident should go unchallenged no matter how small- perception
- Inform
 - A member of SLT
 - Parent/carers of all parties involved
- Record
 - We have a log and we have a duty to report to the governors

Support

For the victim

- Listen
- Remain calm
- Accept their language
- Understand their courage
- Acknowledge feelings
- Confirm
- Reassure
- Protect

For the perpetrator

- Whole class teaching on issues
- Reflection for the individual
- Expected behaviour contracts
- Invite in experts

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