

End of term highlights, activities, and upcoming events

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Culture week

Find out how pupils showed appreciation for different cultures

Celebration day

A day of fun and celebration

Football tournament

Teamwork, sportsmanship, and lots of fun.



Cultural week

For Cultural Week, we designed a fun and pressure-free plan for our tutor groups to work with and enjoy.

Each tutor group was assigned a country from around the world and the competition was based around language, food, and film.

Every class was given a stanza from the poem, 'Still I Rise' to learn in a different language and a budget to cook dishes that are associated with the language they studied.

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Student Council's first newsletter

The end of year Student Council project this year was to create a newsletter by pupils for pupils.

The new 'E-Mag' displays highlights from each tutor group from throughout the year.

An Alumni Mentor from TCES East London, Maison, has been working with the Student Council at NWL to design the E-Mag and coordinate between the Student Council and TCES' Marketing Department to get it produced.

Sports day

For our sports day this year, we held our football tournament in the facilities at Wormwood Scrubs.

Pupils were selected into teams and played against each other throughout the day, in the end each team were victorious.

We are so proud of the excellent behaviour displayed by our pupils throughout the day - teamwork, sportsmanship and fun.



Upcoming graduation

A global pandemic and subsequent lockdowns have not stopped our pupils' hard work and determination to succeed.

We'd like to congratulate pupils who will be graduating from TCES North West London on 22 July.

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Celebration day

For our Celebration Day this year, pupils took part in various activities focusing our values. This included teamwork construction such as building a community in Lego or constructing a Ferris wheel in Meccano - supporting each other to do their best. Our primary pupils took part in challenges like egg and spoon race, sack race and three-legged races.

Throughout the day each class enjoyed a scavenger hunt in the community where they had to locate a list of items in record time. Picasso and Sibande classes were victorious in this event.

The day ended with a lovely prizegiving ceremony, where Mr Keaney and Papa G presented our pupils with their awards.

The Team Player Award was jointly won by Owen Golden-Boyle and Tony East. Our Student Council awarded Shownikki Clement-Peters 'Staff Member of the Year'.

New term

We hope you have a wonderful summer break. For your information - these are the back to school and term dates.

Virtual summer camp

As part of our summer programme, all TCES pupils have access to a range of virtual summer camps to engage and entertain you over the summer break.

Camps includes music, nature, sports, planets in space and building their own city.

No matter what they are interested in, there is a camp for everyone.

Visit the pupils information section on our website for more information:
www.tces.org.uk



Back to school

Pupil induction day:
6 September

Second half of term:
1 November to 21 December

First day of half term:
7 September - 21 October

INSET day:
17 December 2021

INSET Day:
22 October

Christmas holiday:
22 December

Half term holiday:
25 October to 29 October

2020/21 end of academic year message to Parents/Carers



As another academic year comes to an end, it is time to reflect on what has been an extraordinary year!

Despite the unprecedented challenges brought about by the pandemic, I am so proud of the way our amazing pupils have adapted to different ways of learning. We have seen first-hand, how COVID-19 has affected our pupils. Our brilliant school staff were able to set up immediate distance learning to make sure pupils received all the support they needed during lockdowns.

As government restrictions change and the long-term impact is shrouded with uncertainty, one thing that is certain, is our commitment to support our pupils and their families in the best way we can. This includes building on our group processes - a key ingredient to our therapeutic education approach.

The highlights in this newsletter show that, although it has not been easy, pupils have worked hard and achieved so much under difficult circumstances. Our amazingly talented pupils will continue to shine and grow, and we will continue to be challenged and find new ways to support them.

I wish everyone an enjoyable and safe summer.

Thomas Keaney