

## ROKEBY RECORDER

DARE TO BE THE BEST

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Rokeby's Year 8 Reading Champions visited Star Primary to listen to Year 2 pupils read. The aim of the visit was to develop the confidence of our Reading Champions and to support the younger pupils' literacy development.

Without exception, all of our students did Rokeby proud; they were fantastic ambassadors and role models.

It was lovely to watch Abass (8Y) greet his slightly shy reading partner with a high five. She immediately warmed up and read happily to him. Sergi (8B) encouraged his partner by telling her she had a beautiful reading voice and Jimmy (8E) demonstrated real maturity and patience in helping his pupil to practice his phonics.

Helping younger students learn made me feel very happy - Sameer -

Helping to improve their learning and explaining things was fun! - Sergi -

I liked seeing how confident and passionate the children were about reading - Jimmy -

I was surprised at how well 6 years can read! - Suhail -





Congratulations to our newly appointed Student Leaders, Aaryan Islam and Zubair Ahmed.

I'm looking forward to working with fellow students and to leading Rokeby forward after a really difficult couple of years - Aaryan, Student Leader

I'm looking forward to establishing new activities post COVID - Zubair, Deputy Student Leader



















Congratulations to Rokeby's Year 10 football team who opened their Essex football cup challenge with a stunning victory over Walthamstow Academy (10-0!). Great teamwork boys!



Congratulations to Gideon in Year 10 who has been selected to represent **Newham District U15 football team**. His first game will be against Basildon where he will be playing centre midfield. Good luck Gideon; we wish you all the best!











## VACCINE REMINDER

A reminder that the flu vaccine will be taking place in school on Wednesday 17th November. You should have received a letter and two consent forms last week. Please note that even if you do **not** wish for your son to have the vaccine, you still need to complete both forms indicating your refusal.

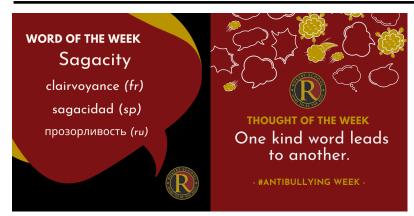


## WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW ABOUT.... SNAPCHAT

Snapchat is a photo and video sharing app which allows users to chat with friends via text and audio. Below is a guide on how to ensure your son is using the app safely. Our website also includes links to a range of gaming and online safety guides for parents.

Click on the links below for further information.

A Parent's Guide to Snapchat | Online Safety Advice





Can you crack Mr Fox's Maths puzzle this week? Click <a href="here">here</a> for the puzzle. Take your answers to Mr Fox on Monday morning for an achievement point and prize!