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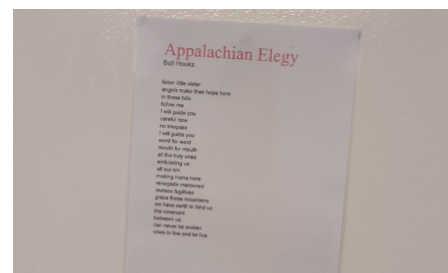
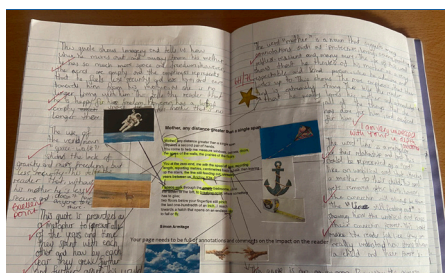
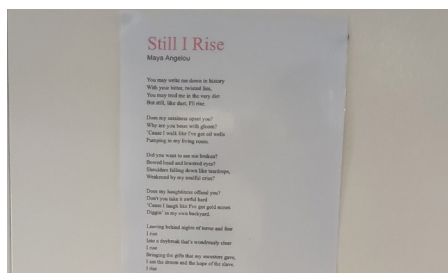
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POETRY WEEK 2023



Rokeby School marked World Poetry Day this week by showcasing staff-nominated favourite poems throughout the school for students to appreciate. The English Department also organized a competition, inviting students to nominate their preferred poems.

Furthermore, Ms. Hendrickson wishes to give a special commendation to 8x/En1 students who have been exploring GCSE Relationship Poetry with remarkable maturity and wisdom, exhibiting their insightful thoughts and ideas. Well done, boys!

YEAR 9'S DO SHAKESPEARE



Year 9 students were taken to see *The Tempest* at Shakespeare's Globe theatre.

The Globe Theatre extended a warm welcome to Rokeby students who indulged in an enthralling hour and a half of spectacular acting and music. According to the students, although some parts were hard to comprehend, the performance was outstanding, with the acting being described as "cold" which is slang for exceptional.

Our school's students exhibited outstanding behavior and represented the school with the utmost respect. Year 9 should feel immensely proud of themselves.



FIZZY DRINKS AND ENERGY DRINKS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN SCHOOL.



We are part of Newham Community Learning

Respect, Success, Passion for Learning, Personal Challenge & Harmony

Come and Join

Wednesday 29th March

Rokeby's Spring Concert

4-5pm in the Hall

All students, parents and staff welcome

“Our Creative Arts students are busy rehearsing and preparing for next week’s Spring Concert. Please come down to the hall at 4pm on Wednesday 29th March to enjoy an impressive display of Art, Music, Dance and Drama. All parents, carers, staff and students are welcome!”

REIN EASTER HAF 2023

PROGRAMME 11am-3pm 11-16 year olds

Monday 3rd April

Football, Egg Decorating, Master Chef, Cooking Workshop, Henna Tattoos, Chess, Board Games, Music Production, VR Games.

Tuesday 4th April

Rounders, Candle-Making, Litter Pick, Healthy Eating Workshop, Recipe Card Making, Chess, Board Games, African Drumming, VR Games.

Wednesday 5th April

Basketball, Bath-Bomb Making, Cooking Workshop, PS4 Tournament, Nail Art, Chess, Board Games, Music Production. TRIP - Thorpe Park

Thursday 6th April

Table Tennis Tournament, T-shirt Making, Scavenger Egg Hunt, Karaoke, VR Games, Jewellery Making, Talent Showcase.

Tuesday 11th April

Indoor Relay, Clay Ornament Making, Healthy Eating Workshop & Recipe Card Making, VR Games, Music Production, Basketball Arcade.

Wednesday 12th April

Non-Contact Boxing, Mini Mural Workshop, Chess, Board Games, Henna, Nail Art, Bath-Bomb Making, VR Games. TRIP - Fair Play House

Thursday 13th April

Mixed Martial Arts, Paper Mache Crafts, Healthy Eating Workshop & Recipe Card Making, Photography, Chess, VR Games. TRIP- London Dungeons

Friday 14th April

Badminton, Dodgeball, Great Newham Art Off (Art Competition), Cooking Workshop, Chess, Games, VR Games, Gardening.

Where

The Mix Centre, 1a Cumberland Road, E13 8LH and Barking Road Community Centre, 627-633 Barking Road, E13 9EZ

To book click

The Mix Centre - <https://eequ.org/experience/2897>
Barking Road Community Centre - <https://eequ.org/experience/2902>
(Spaces are limited, so booking required)

For more information contact:
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NEWHAM YOUTH SENSORY TENNIS - COMPLEX NEEDS

SATURDAYS - 12:15PM-1:15PM - WEEKLY

CLICK FOR FULL DETAILS

WORLD AUTISM ACCEPTANCE WEEK.



27 MARCH - 2 APRIL 2023

Come join us to celebrate World Autism Acceptance Week in Newham.

We are arranging a programme of events and activities for autistic residents of all ages with autism, their families and carers and local residents.

We want to share what it means to have autism.

Look out for the full programme in mid-March, it will be advertised in Newham Libraries, Schools, front line services and social media.

For more information, contact Daniel Nichols at daniel.nichols@newham.gov.uk or 020 3373 0731

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WORLD AUTISM ACCEPTANCE WEEK.



FOR PROFESSIONALS



This #AutismAcceptanceWeek, take part in our free workshops for professionals who work with people with autism.

Event	Presented by	Location	Date & time	Join in
Autism, Race and Power: Research findings*	Resources for Autism	Orange House, Eleanor Smith School, E13 9HN	Wednesday 29/03/23 16.00-18.30	Booking required: tinyurl.com/55522zsp
Introduction to Autism and Working with Autistic Adults	Newham and Tower Hamlets Autism Services	Online	Monday 03/04/23 12.30-13.30	Join through internal circular or contact Daniel.Nichols@newham.gov.uk
Introduction to Autism and Working with Autistic Adults	Newham and Tower Hamlets Autism Services	Online	Tuesday 04/04/23 12.30-13.30	Join through internal circular or contact Daniel.Nichols@newham.gov.uk

* This event is open to all Newham residents.

These are only some of our activities for #AutismAcceptanceWeek.

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Y10'S VISIT WHAT'S THE POINT WORKSHOP

The Year 10s visited the Ben Kinsella workshop as part of the 'What's the Point?' project on Wednesday, 22nd March 2023. Here's a pupils account of the experience.

"During our visit to the Ben Kinsella workshop, we encountered some sad stories about some youths who were stabbed due to no fault of their own. This workshop opened our eyes to the world we live in and how even the most innocent of people can be victims of a stabbing. We learnt how no place in our body is safe to stab and how carrying a knife does not bring you safety, it in fact carries life changing consequences.

Our visit encouraged us to raise the issue of knife crime amongst our peers because knife crime still hasn't been eradicated; it still exists today. It does not matter whether these youths were stabbed in 2008 or 2016, it matters that people are still carrying knives today and that is NOT okay. Therefore, we as a group need to discourage knife crimes and encourage others not to carry a knife." - Kaif Y10



FOR THE LOVE OF READING...

Rokeby Loves Reading! At Rokeby, reading is highly valued! A new display at the school's entrance showcases all the books that KS3 and KS4 students read during their English lessons and reading group sessions.

If any of these captivating titles pique your interest and you wish to borrow them from the library, kindly approach Ms. Hendrickson, who would be delighted to assist you.

New City College like to share some information regarding **FREE** short classes to help improve adult number skills. These short 15-hour courses are running at all campuses with both daytime, evening and flexible study options.

The courses focus on a wide range of everyday applications, with pathways including Supporting Family Learning - which we thought might be of interest to parents and carers of your students?

The Supporting Family Learning pathway allows parents to build a better understanding of their family's education and give them confidence to help with maths homework and boost their overall everyday numeracy skills. Topics include learning the current methods used in schools and the maths curriculum from Year 1 to Year 11.

Courses are available at all campuses with daytime and evening options.

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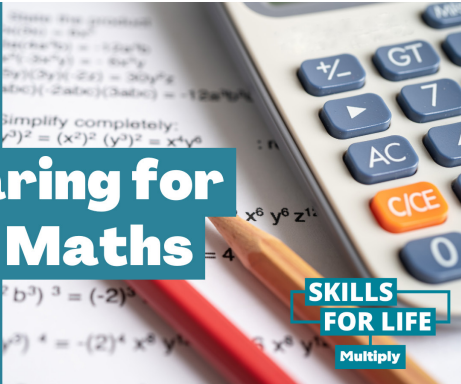
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YEAR COORDINATOR AWARD

w/c 20th March 2023

PROUDLY PRESENTED TO

- 7 // AKASH SURESH KUMAR - 8B // JIMMY LING - 9E
TOMASZ LUKANOWICZ - 10E // MOHAMMED MIAH - 11K

FOR DISPLAYING THE CHARACTERISTICS OF OUR SCHOOL MOTTO - WELL DONE!

MS WARD
YEAR 7 COORDINATOR

MS VIRK
YEAR 8 COORDINATOR

MR BASHIR
YEAR 9 COORDINATOR

MR SARUMI
YEAR 10 COORDINATOR

MS HUSSAIN
YEAR 11 COORDINATOR



ROKEBY SCHOOL FOOD BANK

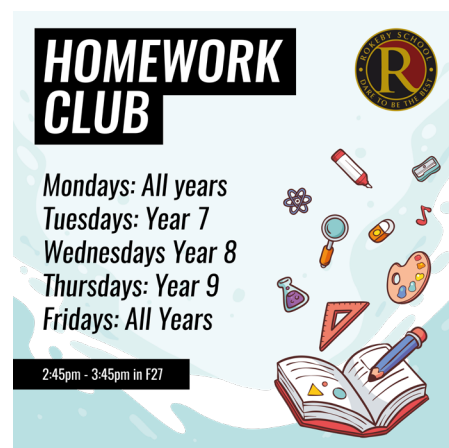
We are sending out an appeal to our community to donate to our school food bank.

We are supporting an increasing number of families and we expect that number to keep rising especially through the holiday period.

Can you help? Please get in touch if you can. If you need to use our food bank, please email support@rokeby.newham.sch.uk



Please find the latest edition of Parent Connect, the newsletter for families [here](#).



23rd March 1994: James Cameron's epic drama Titanic (1997) won 11 Academy Awards, tying the record set by Ben-Hur (1959).

24th March 1989: On this day in 1989, the oil tanker Exxon Valdez ran aground, spilling some 11 million gallons (41 million litres) of oil into Prince William Sound in Alaska and creating the largest oil spill in U.S. history up to that time.



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