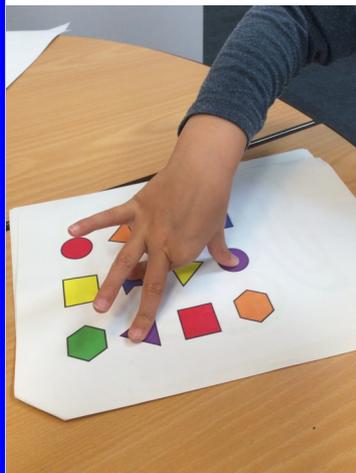


## Newsletter Week 4

Autumn 2019

We started our school year with children in years 1-6 taking part in 'Inspirational Maths Week 2019'. The activities were based on the work of Jo Boaler for more information see (<https://www.youcubed.org/>) and each session was an opportunity to develop mathematical thinking as well as consider the skills needed to be a successful mathematician. There was a 'buzz' around school as children reflected and worked collaboratively to solve problems. Establishing a positive, resilient mindset around maths is a valuable starting point for the year ahead. Thank you to Ms McGreer, our Maths Mastery Specialist teacher and all of the teachers for arranging this great kick off to the academic year.

Nikki Brown



Last week lunchtime staff had to intervene again when a child took a nut filled cereal bar out of their packed lunch when sitting near a pupil with a nut allergy.

Despite reminders in the newsletter already we still have children bringing products with nuts to school. **PLEASE check what you put in your child's pack lunch. It should not contain any nuts or nut products.** The consequences for children with allergies can be severe and potentially fatal.



### Calling all History Enthusiasts!

On **Saturday 19th October**, as part of the Festival of Ideas, Cambridge History for Schools is offering the following workshop suitable for Key Stage 2 pupils...



#### **CHANGING CLOTHES: FASHION, POWER, AND CONTROL IN TUDOR ENGLAND**

More information can be found [here](#): For this event only please book through the Festival's website.

On **Saturday 9th November**, Cambridge History for Schools is offering the following workshop suitable for Key Stage 2 pupils...

#### **BE YOUR OWN DOCTOR! PRACTISING MEDICINE IN EARLY MODERN ENGLAND**

In this workshop, we will explore the different kinds of medicine practised in medieval England, and then imagine what it was like being a doctor. Medieval medicine can seem weird (and even disgusting!), but if we pay attention it can reveal important clues about how people in the past understood themselves and their bodies."

For more details on the workshops, click [here](#)

To book, email [admin@hist.cam.ac.uk](mailto:admin@hist.cam.ac.uk) (the workshop is free, but bookings are required) Ms McInerny (History Lead)

To ensure that children in Y5 &6 with permission to travel home alone are safe we advise that if they are expecting a parent to collect them outside of the school gates and the adult is not there by 3.25pm then they should return to the main office to await collection from there.



If there is an emergency which means collection by 3.30pm is not possible Spectrum will try to provide emergency childcare however this is chargeable service.

### ***Don't forget...***

The Friends of Morley (your school PTA) are hosting their 'Start of Year' social evening and Annual General Meeting at Balzano's on Monday 30th September at 8.00pm.

We hope to see you there—Newcomers will be warmly welcomed!



