

ALWAYS AIMING HIGHER, TOGETHER

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Support La Fontaine's Christmas Charity Appeal December 2018



Helping Emmaus, Habitat for Humanity, Women's Aid and Great Ormond Street Hospital.



A MESSAGE FROM OUR STUDENT LEADERS

Last week, we launch this year's Christmas Charity Appeal.

This year, we'll aim to get all children involved in supporting one of the following charities and causes:

- 📌 **Habitat pour l'Humanité** and **Emmaus**: Homelessness -> children to donate adult woolly hats, gloves, scarves, and blankets.
- 📌 **Women's Aid** (Dom's PJ Appeal): Domestic Abuse -> children to donate pyjamas and books.
- 📌 **Great Ormond Street Hospital**: Sick Children -> children to donate books and board games.

CLICK TO WATCH THEIR MESSAGE



Please, get your child to bring in donations this week. They should give their donations to their teacher and make sure they indicate which charity/charities they wish to support.

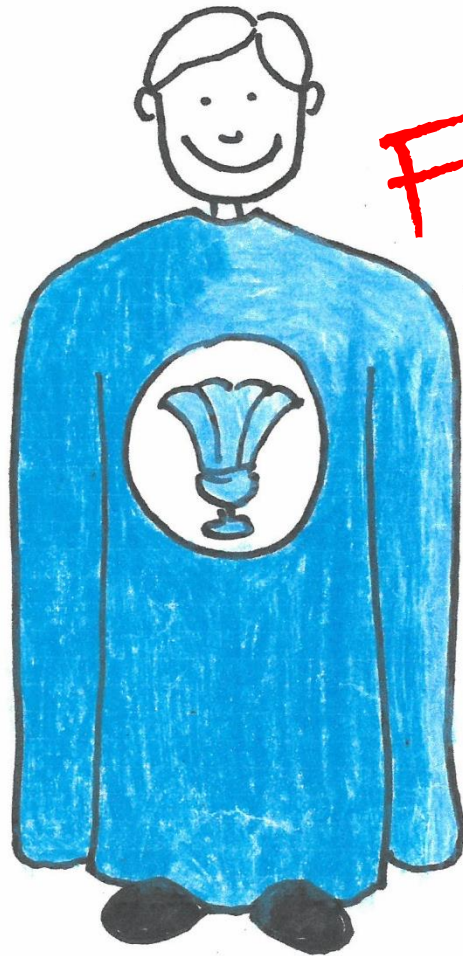
Student leaders will collect the donations from the classrooms throughout the week.

Deadline is Tuesday 18th December.



'WEAR A JUMPER' DAY

AND RAISE MONEY FOR THE SCHOOL



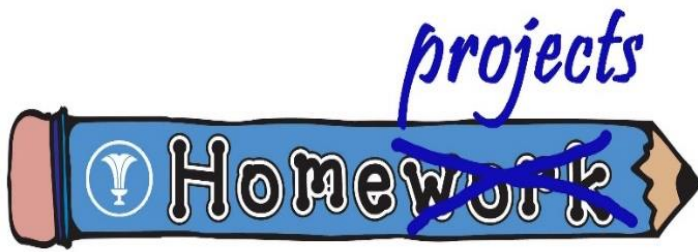
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HOME PROJECTS EXHIBITION

WEDNESDAY 19TH DECEMBER, FROM 16:00

Remember that all children will need to bring their Home Projects so all of them can be exhibited during our Home Projects Exhibition.

Aim to complete your Home Project as a family for 16th December, as teachers will ask all children to bring their projects to school ready for the big day on 19th December!

We are aiming for 100% participation.

AIMING FOR 97.5% FOR ATTENDANCE AND 100% FOR PUNCTUALITY

We have noticed that a few families have asked for time off to go on holiday early. As you know, this is something we cannot authorise. You need to be aware that we have a duty to report unauthorised absences to Bromley Council and that fines can be issued to families who don't adhere to our school policy in terms of attendance (see here for our policy: www.lafontaineacademy.org/policies). We thank you for your cooperation.

	MARIE CURIE (RECEPTION)	YANNICK NOAH (RECEPTION)	SIMONE DE BEAUVOIR (YEAR 1)	MARIE JOSE PEREC (YEAR 1)	HAROUN TAZIEFF (YEAR 2)	GEORGE SAND (YEAR 2)	JACQUES-YVES COUSTEAU (YEAR 3)	JACQUES DERRIDA (YEAR 3)	LUCIE AUBRAC (YEAR 4)	Michel Roux Jr. (YEAR 4)	SIMONE VEIL (YEAR 5)	ROLAND BARTHES (YEAR 6)	TOTAL
LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE (%)	95	98.3	95.7	92	99.2	94.6	96.3	92.9	98.3	93.7	92.5	92.8	95.1
ATTENDANCE SINCE SEPTEMBER (%)	97.1	97.9	96.9	97.6	98.1	96.9	97.5	96.7	95.8	96.1	95.8	95.2	96.9
LAST WEEK'S PUNCTUALITY (%)	99.7	99	99	99.3	100	96.1	94.8	99.6	97.2	98.9	97.9	98.4	98.4



LEAVE OF ABSENCE DURING TERM TIME

We are committed to ensuring that all our pupils make the most of their educational opportunities at La Fontaine and recognise that this can only be achieved through regular school attendance.



COFFEE MORNING – END-OF-TERM CELEBRATION

Come and join us on Friday 21st December, for a Christmassy Coffee Morning.

There will be cakes and French pastries for all to enjoy.

It will also be an opportunity to say 'Au revoir' to Chef Hakim who, sadly, and for family reasons, will be leaving us at Christmas. We are pleased that he will be ably replaced by Chef Emma who has been working with him very closely over the past nine months.



APOLOGIES

We apologise for the smell that is sometimes present in the lunch hall. It comes and goes, mostly at the beginning and end of the day. It seems that there are issues with the drains due to the ongoing building work.

Kier, our builders, have been investigating for a couple of weeks, but are yet to find out where the issue exactly is.



A MESSAGE FROM CAREY FROM OUR FANTASTIC EVENTS TEAM

Dear all,

I'm afraid that we need to announce that the Winter Fair 2018 has been cancelled. This is for a number of reasons, the largest being that there seem to be many of you that are not able to make the date due to prior commitments, and we did not have enough volunteers come forward to help on the day.

Alternatively, we will be setting up a grotto on the last day of school (Friday 21st December) where children will be able to collect a gift. The finer details are yet to be decided but we know it will be in the morning. If there are any children that do not participate in Christmas and you would like them not to visit the grotto, please contact me directly and we can work out an alternative.

We will spend the next few weeks arranging a school disco that will take place at the end of January/beginning of February which will hopefully make up for the loss of the Fair, and the attendance will be higher after everyone's Christmas commitments have passed.

Apologies again - we will circulate the details for the January/February event as soon as it's all been finalised.

Thank you to everyone that has helped with the planning and organising thus far.

Kind regards,

Carey



AVIVA FUND - WE'RE IN THE FINALS!!

For anyone who may have missed the social media notes circulated about this, we are in the Aviva finals!! Thank you again to everyone who supported our school by voting.

Judges announce winners of £25,000 on the 24th January. Fingers crossed!