

Executive Principal's and Head of School's News

Trust Sports event

On Tuesday Mulberry Shoreditch hosted the Trust Sports event for Autumn 2. Students from the Mulberry UTC, Mulberry School for Girls and Mulberry Stepney Green all came together to compete in Badminton and Table Tennis.

Well done to Ms Pitts for leading the event and to Mr Feasey for his amazing Choir. It was festive and fun!



Principal's Reward Trip

On Wednesday Ms Pitts and Ms Armstrong and I took a group of students to see Tower Bridge and



to have a tour of The Tower of London. It was amazing to see the Crown Jewels and look around The White Tower. It was so cold though and we finished off the trip with hot chocolate and Christmas lunch.

Thank you,
Mrs Ruth Holden,
Executive Principal
Mr Edward Rakshi,
Head of School

Senior Student Leadership Team

Following a very thorough process we are delighted to announce our new Head Girl and Head Boy and Senior School Council: Emaan Akbar (Head Girl), Sarunas Adrijaitis (Head Boy), Esha Jamal (Deputy Head Girl) and Joshua Ijiyemi (Deputy Head Boy).

They are excited to begin working with students, teachers, the senior leadership team and governors to continue making the Academy the best it can be!



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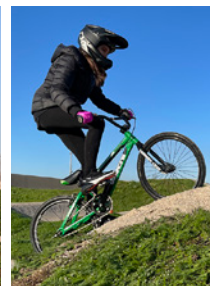
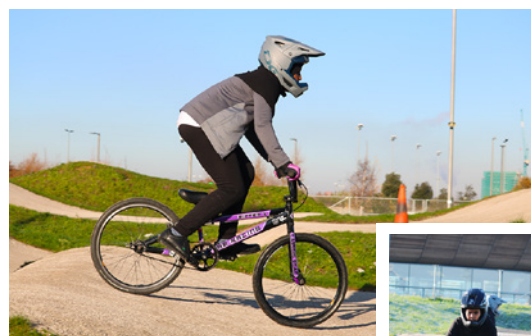
The last year has been extremely difficult for our students. As we come out of lockdown and our school begins to return to normal, there is an urgent need to give all our students the opportunity, not just to return to the classroom, but to have fun, to experience a trip somewhere, to feel the freedom of the seaside or a camping trip and to enrich their lives and undo the mental and emotional damage that lockdown will have caused. If you feel passionate about helping us to do this for our young people aged 11-18 - please donate to our JustGiving page - no matter how little or how much - you will make a difference to children's lives and we will acknowledge this. Please visit:

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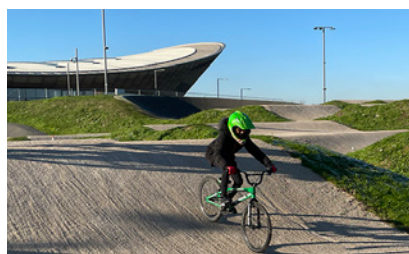
<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/mulberry-academy-shoreditch-fundraiser>

“The safety and well-being of pupils takes centre stage.” Ofsted, 2022

Year 7 girls BMX



On Thursday a group of Year 7 girls went to the BMX track at Lee Valley Velopark. The progress they made during the hour long session was fantastic!

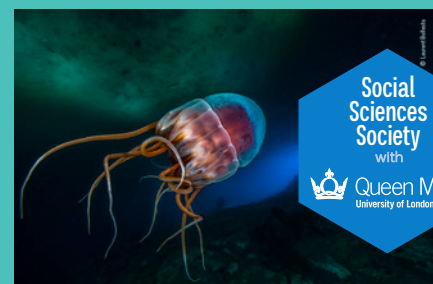


CHRISTMAS LUNCH

On Wednesday the whole school enjoyed a delicious Christmas Lunch courtesy of our wonderful team at Accent Catering.



Natural History Museum Trip



Social Sciences Society with Queen Mary University of London

On Tuesday 6th December Social Sciences Society students from MAS, Mulberry School for Girls and Mulberry Stepney Green went to the Natural History Museum to see the images in the Wildlife Photographer of the Year exhibition.

Winter Fair

We all enjoyed Thursday's Winter Fair which was a great success. Lots of festive games, lovely food and stalls to enjoy! Thank you for coming along to support our fundraising for local charities. It was also Christmas Jumper Day, helping us raise even more money!



Here are more photos from the Mulberry Schools Trust Badminton and Table Tennis tournament here at MAS on Tuesday.



STEM CORNER

This week year 10 Biology pupils determined whether exercise had an effect on their heart. They had a go at using Stethoscopes to measure 'patients' heart rate.



Congratulations to Fatou and Sara in 7F for solving last week's Problem of the Week!
Congratulations to Malaz in 7F for solving this week's Problem of the Week!

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WORD OF THE WEEK

Wow!

Evaluate

verb

DEFINITION

to judge how good, useful or successful something is and have an opinion on it.

EXAMPLE

1. You should be able to evaluate your own work.
2. We need to evaluate the success of this event.
3. It was difficult to evaluate which source was the most reliable and factually correct given that the sources were Facebook and Twitter!

SYNONYMS

Assess
Appraise
Judge

ANTONYMS

Ignore
Neglect
disregard

CHARACTERISTICS

French verb 'évaluer' = to evaluate or assess. Notice the root within the word is from 'value'.

STEM CORNER



A HUGE congratulations to all computer science students who have recently participated in the national Bebras computational thinking competition! All students did the school proud. The following students were in the top 10% of the country and will be going on to the next round to represent the school in the Oxford University Coding Challenge in January.

Year 7 Aishah Ali, Muhammad Syaraf Abdullah, Ismah Islam, Mohammed Akram Hussain, Alisa Young, Musammad Zahidah Choudhury, Lilly Elliott

Year 8 Dylan Ellis, Mohammed Quddus, Ethan Price

Year 9 Greta Kilgariff, Ayan Yussuf

Year 10 Tauhid Harun

We also want to congratulate the students who won 'Best in School' in their age group:

Year 7: Aishah Ali, **Years 8/9:** Dylan Ellis (Y8), **Year 10:** Tauhid Harun, **Year 12:** Yusuf Bin Munim

The following students also received a Distinction award for being in the top 25% of their age group in the school:

Y12 Emaan Akbar, Abid Alam Joy, Kaan Kaplan, Adeel Islam, Shakera Ali

Y10 Tauhid Harun, Roman Ghairat, Liza Dalglish, Raheem Miah, Saif Uddin, Mohammed Qureshi, Zakariya Miah, Jaylani Xamza, Maymuna Rahaman, Tawheed Rahman

Y8/9 Greta Kilgariff, Ayan Yussuf, Efe Kaplan, Khanh Pham, Mabel Barber, Syed-Abyad Iqbal, Michelle Yu, Mohammed Ihsaan Miah, Jackson Yu, Najwa Choudhury, Sajida Anisha, Sirine Djabiri, Yasin Ali, Amidur Rahman, Abdulkadir Mohamoud, Aman Khan, Marya Basit, Shaifat Bapaury, Liana Bhuiyan, Safa Aliyah Nugal, Khadija Sharif, Muhammad Mahdi Islam, Agit Abaci, Ruben Borg-Jones, Muhammad Ikram, Muhammad Tazwar Rahman, Muhammad Raihan Miah, Ahmed Farhan Labib, Umhani Dahir Abdulkhadir, Yusra Bilal, Khadija Jannath, Mustapha Benalalou, Rui Oural Dos Santos, Ayub Bin Ashraf, Mohammed Quddus, Ethan Price, Mohammad Tahmid Uddin, Sancheha Ali, Elliot Silva-Goncalves, Monzer Bushara, Amelia Rahman, Muhammad Istiaq Miah, Lilah Pacheco, Isra Farhan, Mohammed Tayef Uddin, Imdad Hussain, Yasin Islam, Isabella Wint, Purno Mahmud Khan, Syeda Khadija Ali, Khadijat Olowolagba, Thomas Garvey Azuar, Sara Muquid, Jacob Milne, Silas Ryan Heiduk, Miski Abukor, Muhammad Yusuf Haque, Muhammad Arif Mottalib, Nazeefa Mariya, Ayesha Salam, Alina Matiz Nicholls, Shaian Uddin Akter, Shamir Miah, Keira Knight, Muhammad Ismail Ahmed, Amelia Zainab Ansar, Akil Islam

Y7 Muhammad Syaraf Abdullah, Mohammed Akram Hussain, Alisa Young, Musammad Zahidah Choudhury, Lilly Elliott, Ismah Islam, Aidhyn Nayak, Tahna Khan, Maggie Cunningham, Sara Adnan, Yosef Bashkel, Musa Tahir Ali, Fatima Sanha Noba, Noman Uddin, Aiman Chowdhury, Tamara Howlader, Zakiya Azizah, Iba Islam Aadam Ali, Tazkiya Eifa, R'jae Samuel-Hendricks, Malaz Siddiq, Anisa Hussain, Eva Poyser, Kareemah Begum, Hannah Ahmed, Faizah Ahmed, Ahmed Omar Mohamed Sharif, Rochelle Wallace, Elio Mariano Lopes, Kiren Mootoo, Saul Kenneth Morris-Reich, Iqra Uygur, Asia Jama, Fatima Jahan, Leeanna Joseph, Afrida Idris, H.Manoah Mbombo, Omari Taylor

Invigilators wanted

Mulberry Academy Shoreditch is recruiting new exam invigilators to join our existing team. Invigilators create the conditions for our students to perform at their very best in their exams. The invigilator's role is highly regulated and training will be provided.

£11.05 per hour, plus £1.61 holiday pay per hour – casual engagement with flexible hours. Immediate Start.

To apply, please go to the careers section of our school website: <http://www.mulberryacademyshoreditch.org/careers/#toggle-id-1>

Benefits we offer: Staff are encouraged to use the free gym on-site. We have an employee assistance program, a cycle to work scheme, an interest-free season ticket loan, a multitude of discount vouchers with You At Work and free eye care tests. Staff car park. An abundance of professional learning opportunities. Best of all, we offer free breakfast to our staff.

Please note family relatives of students at Mulberry Academy Shoreditch cannot work as exam invigilators.

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MATHS PROBLEM OF THE WEEK

Did you manage to solve the maths problem this week?

Harriet has a square piece of paper. She folds it in half to form a rectangle and then in half again to form a second rectangle (which is not a square). The perimeter of the second rectangle is 30 cm.

What is the area of the original square?

..... cm²

ANSWER: 144cm²

Let the side-length of Harriet's square be $4x$ cm. Then, the rectangle obtained when the square is folded in half measures $4x$ cm by $2x$ cm.

When that rectangle is folded in half, it gives a rectangle which is not a square so this rectangle measures $4x$ cm by x cm. The perimeter of the smaller rectangle is $2(4x + x)$ cm = $10x$ cm.

Therefore, since the perimeter of the smaller rectangle is given as 30 cm, we have $x = 3$.

Hence the side-length of Harriet's square is 12 cm and its area is 144 cm².

NOTICE

Year 8 HPV first dose will take place on Thursday 15th December

Please can you click on the link and complete the consent form for your child if you have not done this already.

If you do not consent can you please still complete the form

<https://london.schoolvaccination.uk/hpv/2022/towerhamlets>

Please can all paper consent forms please be returned to school even if your child will not be receiving the vaccination