

Weekly Newsletter

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14 March 2025



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Music Performances



YOU'RE INVITED!

*** Music Performance**

JRS will be having another whole school music performance where every class will perform.

*** KS1** on Wednesday 26th March 2.45pm
KS2 on Thursday 27th March 2.45pm

Performances will take place in the **bottom hall**.



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Curriculum in Action – Geography

Here are photos of some of our learning in Geography so far this year:

From map skills to Africa; from Brazil to our local area and beyond, and all the ways you might travel there, there has been some amazing Geography work taking place at our school.

All are on display in the bottom hall and Language Unit if you want to see them yourself.

Nursery:



Reception:



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**JOHN RUSKIN PRIMARY SCHOOL
& LANGUAGE CLASSES**

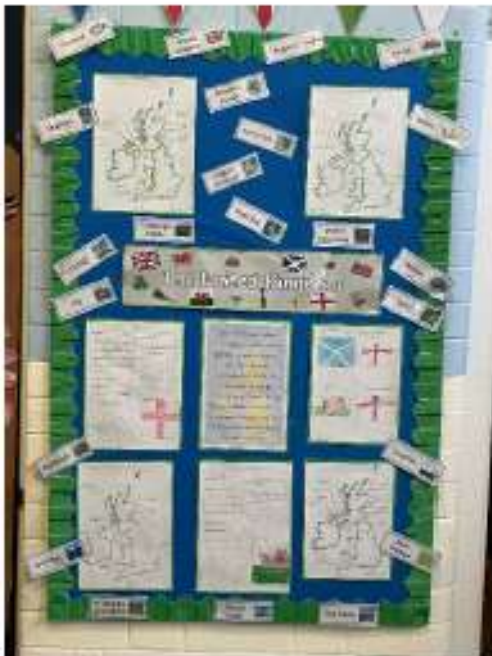
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Year 1:



Year 2:



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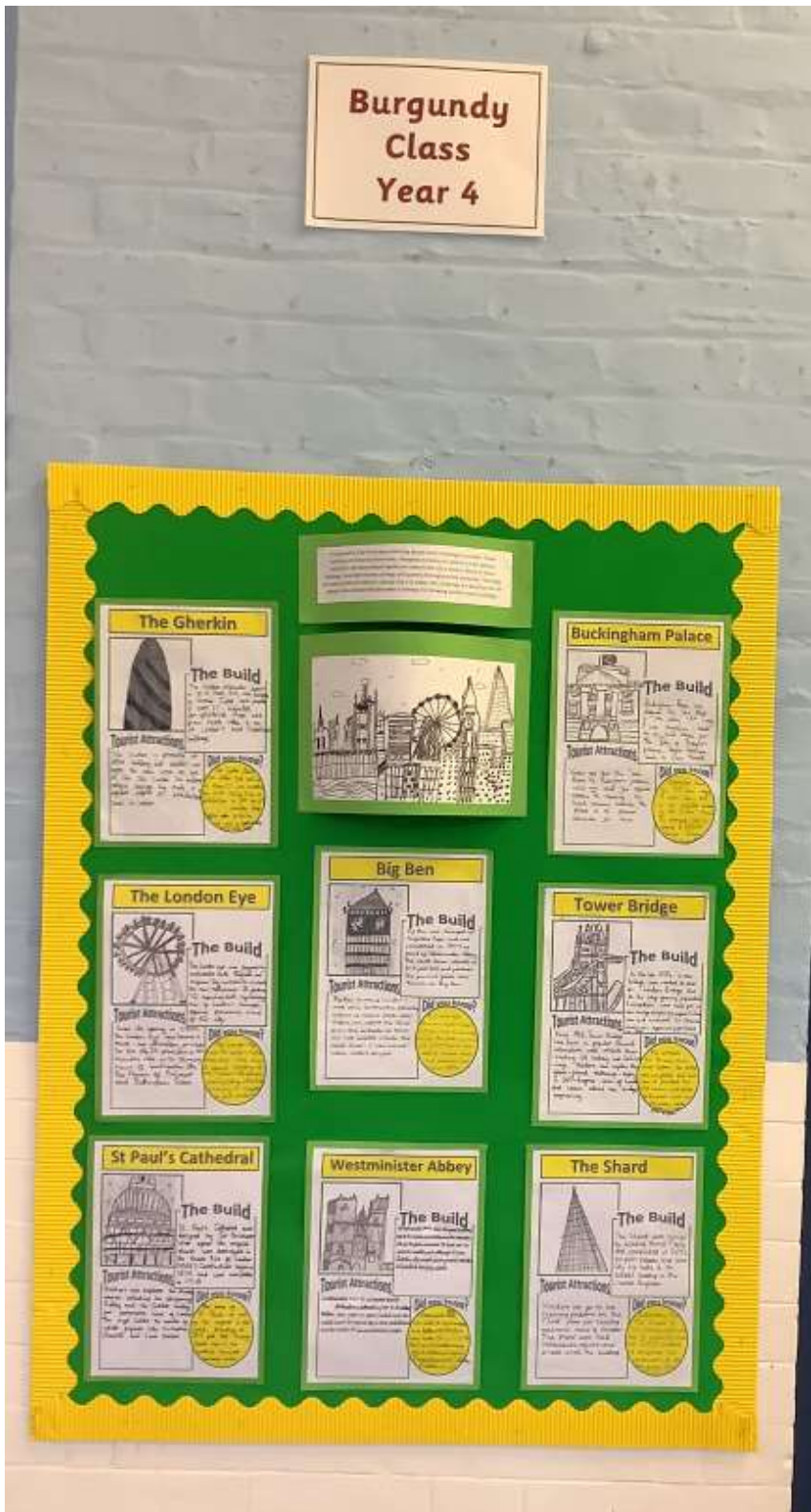
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Year 4



**Burgundy
Class
Year 4**



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Sponsored Dance – update



We have had some more sponsored dance fundraising given to school, so the final total is £597!

Many thanks to all the children who took part!

The funds raised will go into the pot for the sensory wall.

Sign of the Week



This week's sign is Who/What - [Signing 2024-25](#)

Southwark Council Bulletin

Read here: [Latest news](#)



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Ramadan Arts & Crafts Fayre





Free Performing Arts Class

Special discount for your school

Your child took part in a Perform drama workshop today and we hope they enjoyed it.

As well as being fun and energetic, our classes are designed to

- ▶ build confidence
- ▶ enhance coordination
- ▶ boost concentration
- ▶ develop communication

At Perform, your child will

- ▶ develop a different social skill each week
- ▶ receive regular written feedback about their progress
- ▶ access specially created scripts, videos and apps
- ▶ take part in our end of term presentation to show you what they have learned.



perform.org.uk

Try a FREE class at your nearest venue

See more at perform.org.uk/venues

Perform Herne Hill

Fridays at 4pm
Carnegie Community Hub, 192 Herne Hill Road, Herne Hill, London, SE24 0AN

Perform Waterloo

Mondays at 4pm
Waterloo Action Centre, 14 Baylis Road, Waterloo, London, SE1 7AA

Perform Bermondsey

Fridays at 4pm
Bermondsey Village Hall, Leathermarket Gardens, Kirby Grove, London, SE1 3TD

Perform East Dulwich

Wednesdays at 4pm
Goose Green Centre, 62a East Dulwich Road, East Dulwich, London, SE22 9AT

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Thursdays at 4pm
Goose Green Centre, 62a East Dulwich Road, East Dulwich, London, SE22 9AT

Your £40 introductory discount

Your child can enjoy a FREE trial class at any Perform venue. Sign up on or before the expiry date to claim your special discount. Call **020 7255 9120** or visit perform.org.uk/try

DISCOUNT CODE

JRUS010525

EXPIRY DATE

01-May-25

The discount code cannot be applied retrospectively. Visit perform.org.uk for full terms and conditions.

020 7255 9120

Confidence Building Fun

Try a FREE drama, dance and singing class



— We're delighted that our usually fairly quiet and reserved son has really thrown himself into Perform. He's getting such valuable opportunities to express himself and have a lot of fun.

Allison Roberts



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Key Events for Week Commencing 17 March 2025

Monday
2.00-2.30 Burgundy Class swimming

Tuesday
10.00-10.30 Turquoise Class swimming
10.30-11.00 Scarlet Class swimming

Wednesday
Am Year 4 cricket

Thursday

Friday
2.00-2.30 Vermilion Class swimming

Forthcoming Dates

Wednesday 26 March
KS1 Music Performance

Thursday 27 March
KS2 Music Performance

Friday 4 April
Reward morning
Last day of spring term - school finishes 2.00pm

Monday 7 April – Monday 21 March
Easter Holiday

Wednesday 23 April
First day of Summer Term

Thursday 24 April
Year 5 Homework Club (for 5/6 weeks)

Monday 12-15 May
SATS for Year 6

Friday 23 May
Reward afternoon for children

Monday 26 May – Friday 30 May
Half Term



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Useful Links

School term dates 25-26 - [Term Dates 2025-26](#)

Our website – www.johnruskin.southwark.sch.uk

School caterer - www.harrisoncatering.co.uk

Uniform supplier – www.earthuniform.com/collections/john-ruskin-primary-school

Secondhand uniform supplier – uniformerly.co.uk/search-listings/?q=&c=17273

The Nest - thenestsouthwark.org.uk

Chess in Schools - www.chessinschools.co.uk

Southwark Council – www.southwark.gov.uk

Camberwell Leisure Centre - southwarkleisure.co.uk/centres/camberwell-leisure-centre

Parentkind - www.parentkind.org.uk

Children's Commissioner - www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk

Department for Education - www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-education

Ofsted - www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ofsted

NHS - www.nhs.uk

TFL - travelforlife.tfl.gov.uk

