

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had wonderful start to the new academic year! As you will see from our newsletter, we have been able to achieve so much and have continued to offer a highly ambitious curriculum, as well as an inspirational personal development programme.

We would like to also give a very warm welcome to all our new families whose child/ children have joined Delta this half term, either in Reception or in other year groups. All of the children have settled into new routines, the school expectations and how to upload the Delta school values.

There have also been various parent meetings such as Meet the Teacher, Reception and Year 1 Phonics meeting, Year 6 Starting Secondary School September 2026 meeting, Tapestry Online Journal and SENDCo coffee afternoon. Once again, we have had a positive turnout and would like to thank all the parents/ carers who attended these meetings. We believe that strong communication with you, our families, is key to your child's success and these opportunities to connect are really valuable. It really is important that you are kept up-to-date with information regarding your child and their learning.

Next term, we will be holding our open mornings for potential new families thinking of joining our wonderful school and to see it in action as well as Delta Stay and Play group (see the leaflets below). If you any any friends or family who are looking for a place in Reception for next academic year or who is considering a change in school, or would be interested in the stay and play group, please do spread the word and show them our leaflet.

We hope you all have a restful half term and look forward to seeing the children back on **Monday 3rd November at 8.45am.**

Sarah Roberts Bindya Chapaneri
Executive Headteacher Head of School



TFL - GOLD ACCREDITATION

We are delighted to have received the TfL - Travel for Life Gold Accreditation! This has been awarded due to the hard work the school has put in to ensure we encourage the children to be active and to travel towards a brighter, safer and more sustainable future! We have proudly displayed the banner outside the school gates and the Gold Accreditation Kitemark is on our letterhead paper.



SCHOOL GAMES - SILVER

We have also been awarded the Silver Kitemark Award for School Games 2024/2025! We have achieved this for our commitment and engagement with school games last academic year. We will continue to do so this academic year too! The School Games Silver certificate will be displayed in our school office and the Silver Kitemark will also now feature on our letterhead paper too.



READING FIESTA

Once again, we want all our Delta children to have a love for reading so we started the school term with our Reading Fiesta! All the children dived into books and continued to read for pleasure. The whole school had an assembly followed by buddy class reading. There was also a scavenger book hunt where the children had to guess the title of a very famous book! Throughout the day, the children participated in various book activities, from classic books, to diverse books and well-known author books. In the afternoon, parents/ carers and families were invited to share a book and read with the children. The teachers also demonstrated how reading and fluency are taught and how parents can support at home too. We also would like to thank Tesco Stronger Starts, Pickled Pepper Books and Angle House Foundation as they awarded the school with a grant, and we have been able to purchase brand-new books for our Reading zone, class book corners and our new outdoor Book Hut, which is also filled with wonderful books.



RECEPTION KAHLO CLASS

Our new Reception children have settled in well and are now in school full-time! They have quickly adapted to daily school life, by following class and school rules, walking sensibly around the school, independently collecting their lunch and sitting down in the lunch hall. The children are already making good progress with their key foundational knowledge in maths, phonics and writing. Even at this early stage, it is really important that the Reception children have good attendance, in order for them to continue to make good progress. The children have also completed their Reception Baseline Assessment and did very well. They are also enjoying their learning through focused, structured lessons and learning through play with our extensive indoor and outdoor continuous provisions.



KS2 UK PARLIAMENT ASSEMBLY

Our Key Stage 2 children had a wonderful assembly led by a guest speaker from UK Parliament – Outreach and Education team. The assembly expanded the children's knowledge about how the Houses of Parliament are run, the role of a MP and the current Bill that is being discussed in Parliament about the current voting age possibly changing to 16 years old, where children could vote in the next general election. The children used their oracy skills to generate discussion, and we had some excellent and respectful answers.



PUPIL LEADERSHIP

We have appointed our new Year 5/6 Games makers, Lunch and Eco Monitors. The Games makers had to complete an application form, followed by an interview before they were given the role. The Games makers are being very responsible in supporting other classes with the various playground games and activities we have for the children.

Our Lunch Monitors ensure their classes are making the right choices in the lunch hall such as lining up sensibly, using good manners and socialising with others calmly.

Our Eco Monitors ensure their class lights, interactive whiteboard and heating are turned off when they leave the room. They also monitor and ensure their class recycle any unwanted paper and plastic bottles.



COOKING AND NUTRITION AT AIM ACADEMY

This term, Year 4/5 Farah and Year 5/6 Jemison class had a cooking and nutrition taster class at Aim North London Academy, where they got to make and bake cookies! All the children showed great teamwork and patience, but most importantly, they learnt many culinary skills in the specialist food and technology room.



CAVEMAN STEW

Year 3 Angelou class also used the food technology room at Aim North London Academy, where they were immersed in making 'Caveman Stew' from their core text book, The Stone Age Boy. This helped the children create their story maps before they started their innovation stage of writing a set of instructions. The children also learnt how to cut peel and chop vegetables with adult support, how to cook and stir the stew until it was time to eat!



MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

On Friday 26th September, we hosted the Macmillan Coffee Morning for parents and families. Thank you to everyone who donated and also bought in some delicious cakes and pastries for everyone to enjoy.

In total, we raised £100.00 for the Macmillan Cancer Support charity.

MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT



BLACK HISTORY MONTH

October is Black History Month! Today each class took part in the Picture News, special Black History Month assembly. This year's theme is 'Standing Firm in Power and Pride.' The children discussed various significant people from Black heritage and culture. Throughout this month, the children also be looked at a range of text and stories.

Our Author of the Month is Floella Benjamin, who is a well-known as a children's presenter between the 70s and 80s, her charity work and now a member of the Houses of Lords. Floella wrote a book called 'Coming to England' where she had written about her experience of moving to a new country as a child. The children have been enjoying reading the book too!

NSPCC - SPEAK OUT, STAY SAFE

On 8th October, children in Year 1 to 6 took part in the NSPCC - Speak out, Stay Safe virtual assembly, followed by an activity and pupil survey. The assembly helped the children understand how to recognise and know the signs of abuse. The children were also given the strong key message that abuse is never the child's fault and that they have a right to be safe. Finally, where the children can get help and the organisations that are available.

This virtual assembly was put in place to continue to embed and reinforce the work we do here at Delta to unsure the children are safe and know who their trusted adults are and when to ask for help.



WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY

On 10th October, it was World Mental Health Day and our Delta children came to school wearing yellow, to show their support to young people and that they're not alone with their mental health. The children had a whole school assembly to raise awareness, followed by various activities that were completed in class. Thank you to everyone who bought a donation, we raised a total of £100.00 for the charity Youngminds UK.

During playtime, the children really enjoyed dancing in the playground and singing songs to the recent and well known film K-Pop Demon Hunters!

SCIENCE MUSEUM TRIP

The children in Year 5/6 Jemison class thoroughly enjoyed their visit to the Science Museum. The children got to explore and experience the Wonder Lab, which is set over different zones with real scientific phenomena.

The educational visit also consolidated the children's work for their Science topic - Mixtures and Separation, where they have been carrying out weekly scientific investigations, understanding the process of sieving and filtering, considering how to carry out a fair test and writing detailed conclusions using scientific vocabulary.



MULTICULTURAL & WORLDVIEW DAY

Last Monday, we held our first Multicultural and Worldview Day for this academic year. The children participated in RE and Worldview lessons where they had the opportunity to celebrate the different cultures and heritage within our vibrant and diverse school and what it is like living in Multicultural Britain. Finally, this was followed by arts and crafts activities linked to the Festival of Lights - Diwali. Happy Diwali to our families and children that celebrated this week.

ANIMAL WORKSHOP - MOBILE ZOO

Reception Kahlo and Year 1/2 Mandela class participated in the Animal Workshop - Mobile Zoo, where they got to meet and get hands on with many animals, everything from Bunnies to Bugs and Snakes to Skunks!

This was a valuable learning experience for all the children, which also helped to consolidate the children's learning on the topics - Animal Adventures and Habitats.



DELTA SLEEPOVER

On Thursday 23rd October, some children from Year 5 and 6 had a sleepover in the school. After school, the children were all very excited and had packed their sleeping bags, toiletries and a change of clothes.

The children had a wonderful opportunity to spend time together and participate in team building activities. For dinner, they all enjoyed some pizza, salad and fruit. Followed by a scavenger hunt, hot chocolate and marshmallows before it was time to settle and get ready for bed.

Finally, the children woke up on Friday morning, cleaned their teeth, got dressed in their uniforms, ready to have breakfast before the rest of the school arrived. The children have thoroughly enjoyed this memorable experience!



BIKEABILITY AWARENESS COURSE

Children in Year 5 and 6 had the opportunity to take part in a Bikeability Awareness Course in school this week. The children learnt how to check if their bike is in roadworthy condition, bike and handling skills in the playground and if they were deemed to be confident, they learnt how to safely ride a bike on the local roads.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

A member from the North Enfield Foodbank visited the school and spoke to all the children about the Harvest Festival. The children were also informed about how the North Enfield Foodbank receives donations to help families who are not as fortunate with food parcels. Thank you to all the families who donated items this week.





100% ATTENDANCE

Well done to all the children who have so far been in school everyday and have achieved 100% attendance. You should have received an email congratulating your child.

We expect all our Delta children to be punctual and attend school everyday so they do not miss out on all the exciting learning and wonderful events that take place.

Congratulations to **Year 1/2 Mandela class** for the highest attendance this half term.

1st - 97.5% Year 1/2 Mandela class

2nd - 97.4% Year 4/5 Farah class

3rd - 96.5% Year 3 Angelou class

4th - 96.3% Year 5/6 Jemison class

5th - 93% Year Reception Kahlo class

We strongly encourage parents/carers to make medical and dental appointments out of school hours where possible.

Where this is not possible, pupils should be out of school for the minimum amount of time necessary.

TERM DATES - 2025/2026

Autumn Term 2025	
INSET DAY	Monday 1st September 2025
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First Day of Term	Wednesday 3rd September 2025
Half Term	Monday 27th – Friday 31st October 2025
Start of Second Half Term	Monday 3rd November 2025
Last Day of Term	Friday 19th December 2025 Finish at 1.30pm

Spring Term 2026	
INSET DAY	Monday 5th January 2026
First Day of Term	Tuesday 6th January 2026
Half Term	Monday 16th – Friday 20th February 2026
Start of Second Half Term	Monday 23rd February 2026
Last Day of Term	Friday 27th March 2026 Finish at 1.30pm

Summer Term 2025	
INSET DAY	Monday 13th April 2026
First Day of Term	Tuesday 14th April 2026
Bank Holiday	Monday 4th May 2026
Half Term	Monday 25th – Friday 29th May 2026
INSET DAY	Monday 1st June 2026
Start of Second Half Term	Tuesday 2nd June 2026
Last Day of Term	Friday 17th July 2026 Finish at 1.30pm
INSET DAY	Monday 20th July 2026

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday 3rd November

Back to school - 8.45am

Monday 3rd November

Delta Parliament Week

Friday 7th - 13th November

Scholastic Book Fair at school

Monday 10th November

Kindness and Friendship Week and
Odd Socks Day

Tuesday 11th November

Anti-bullying meeting for parents at
2.30pm

Thursday 13th November

World Kindness Workshop

Friday 14th November

Children In Need

Wednesday 19th November

Parent Conference Meetings

Friday 21st November

Year 4/5 Farah Class assembly at
2.40pm

Friday 28th November

French Day

Thursday 11th December

Millfield Theatre Pantomime trip -
Year 1/2 and Year 3

Friday 12th December

Millfield Theatre Pantomime trip -
Year 4/5 and Year 5/6

Tuesday 16th December

Christmas Song Performance -
Year Reception and Year 1/2

Wednesday 17th December

Christmas Lunch and Jumper Day
Whole School Poetry Performance

Friday 19th December

Pupil of the Term and 100%
Attendance Assembly

End of term - 1.30pm finish



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SUPERPOWER

Why choose Delta?

Ofsted **OUTSTANDING** in **all areas** (March 2025)

The Quality of Education: Outstanding
Behaviour and Attitudes: Outstanding
Personal Development: Outstanding
Leadership and Management: Outstanding
Early Years Provision: Outstanding

"Pupils' behaviour is exemplary"
Ofsted, March 2025

"The school has designed a highly ambitious curriculum for pupils."
Ofsted, March 2025

"The school has a highly aspirational personal development programme"
Ofsted, March 2025

OPEN MORNINGS 2025

Come and see our wonderful school in action at our drop-in sessions:

WEDNESDAY 22 OCTOBER 9-11am
WEDNESDAY 5 NOVEMBER 9-11am
WEDNESDAY 12 NOVEMBER 9-11am
WEDNESDAY 19 NOVEMBER 9-11am

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Delta Stay and Play Group

Join us every Friday from 2.00 - 3.00pm, for free sessions over the Autumn term:

- Friday 7th November
- Friday 14th November
- Friday 21st November
- Friday 28th November
- Friday 5th December

A play session for boys and girls aged 3 to 4

Early Years Provision: rated Outstanding (Ofsted March 2025)

Led by members of our Early Years team

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Contact the school office to book a place!

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journeys & places

School Street

Road closed to motor traffic

Our school has a School Street

This means the road is closed to vehicles at drop-off and pick-up times. Please travel safely to school by walking, wheeling, cycling, using public transport or the park-and-stride way where possible!



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