



Stebon Primary School's Burdett Gazette

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Key dates:

Mon 3 Nov – Fri 19 Dec 2025:
School open for Autumn Term

Thu 11 Dec 2025: Christmas
Jumper Day & Lunch

Mon 15 Dec - Fri 19 Dec 2025:
Christmas week

Tue 16 - Thu 18 Dec 2025: Rec
& Y1 performances

Mon 22 Dec 2025 – Fri 2 Jan
2026: Christmas Holiday

Mon 5 Jan 2026: School
closed - Staff INSET day

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lunch menu](#)

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Y4 Rosa Parks class had the
highest attendance of 96%
this week

Attendance

Every day matters – Every
minute counts!

Stebon's magic number is
97%. This is because we are
aiming for 97% attendance.

**This week's whole school
attendance was 83.5%**

Come on Stebon!



Christmas Calendar 2025



Thursday 11 December

Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch

Come to school in your festive jumpers! We are taking part in [Save The Children's](#) Christmas Jumper event and collecting a suggested donation of £1 for the charity.

Tue 16 - Thu 18 December 2025

Reception and Y1 will perform "THE MOUSE IN SANTA'S HOUSE"

[Click here to practice the songs!](#)

Fri 19 December*

Christmas parties

Children can come in to school wearing their party clothes, parties will be in the morning.

Food can be brought share with classmates. Home made food must be labelled with all ingredients, please do not bring food containing nuts.

***Thursday afternoon for afternoon nursery/2 year old nursery children**

Last day of term - children to be collected at 1:30pm.

Please let the office team know if you will be picking up later than this time. There will be no afternoon nursery/2 year old nursery sessions on this day.



The last date for **flu vaccinations** at Stebon is **Wednesday 10th December 2025.**

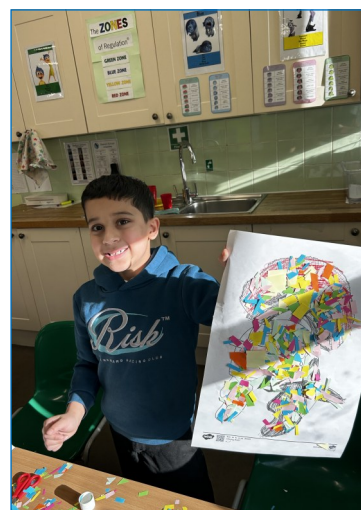
Dear parents and carers,

From January 2026, the reception gate will be permanently closed in the mornings.

This decision has been made to ensure all students enter and exit the site through the same points in the morning and afternoon, enhancing security in the mornings and to establish a consistent routine for the start and end of the school day, which supports a calm and organised transition for all children.

We appreciate your cooperation in helping us maintain a safe and consistent environment for our pupils.

It was "Invaders and Settlers" Day in Year 3 today. The children had a great time making Roman honey biscuits, creating colourful mosaics, and practising Roman numerals!



Children visited Clara Grant School for a fun Parasport event, where they played boccia, volleyball and dodgeball. Everyone joined in, cheered each other on and enjoyed giving the activities a go.

There were lots of smiles, plenty of teamwork and a really fun atmosphere. The children came back full of excitement!

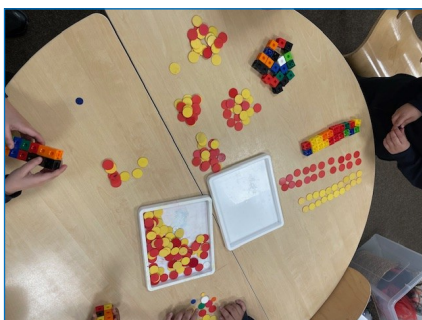
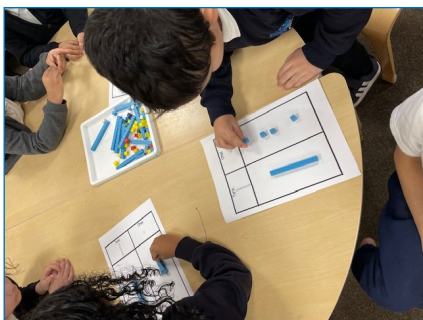


Saturday school went on a very adventurous journey to Greenwich theatre using the bus and walking through the foot tunnel. This year's Panto was Peter Pan which was amazing, with great costume and lighting, humour and songs and dance, not forgetting ice cream. It was a real treat!



Year 1 Margot Fonteyn class has been investigating all the numbers up to 20! We've been finding all the different ways to represent these numbers to help embed our numbers sense. Here are some of the fun ways we did this.

Also check out how proud Waaqif is while he is saying: "look Khalida, four 5s make 20!"



Sahara Explorers made bird feeders with Cheerios and pipe cleaners for their Conservationist destination!



Everest Explorers completed our Star Spotters destination today with a special space projection show and making our very own stars. We've been curious, creativity and bonded as a group ready to move on to our next destination now!



The deadline for **Reception 2026 applications** is **Monday 15 January 2026**. Tower Hamlets have some upcoming [parent information sessions](#)

Check out our lovely festive decorations in the hall!



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AN ENCHANTING CHRISTMAS MINI-MUSICAL

The Mouse In Santa's House

MUSIC AND LYRICS BY JANE CARR
SCRIPT BY GEOFF LAWSON

TUESDAY 16TH 2:30 - MF & VVG
WEDNESDAY 17TH 2:30 - JE & BP
THURSDAY 18TH 2:30 - AA & AS





Christmas Menu

*Roast Turkey
with Cocktail Chicken Sausage,
Sage & Onion Stuffing and Gravy
Or*

Rustic Mediterranean Roulade

*Served with
Roast Potatoes,
Roast Parsnips,
Honey Glazed Carrots
& Peas*

*Chocolate Ice Cream
Sponge Roll*

Served On. Thu. 11. Dec. 2025.