



# George Carey Church of England Primary School

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## Year 4 Visit the British Museum

This week all of Year 4 visited the British Museum. The children and staff had a fantastic time experiencing all the different collections and exhibits. We would like to say a big thank you to Mrs Hussain and the Year 4 team for arranging this special visit and to all the members of staff that went along to supervise the children to keep them safe.



## Reception Visit to Thorndon Country Park

During this week our reception classes have visited Thorndon Country Park. The children discovered the magic of the Deep Dark Wood with this self-led Gruffalo trail searching for the amazing hand-crafted carvings of Gruffalo characters. The trail is designed to help the children understand the native woodland creatures and based around The Gruffalo story which included activities such as:

**Woodland trail** – Problem-solving challenges and scavenger hunt

**Animal homes** – Explore the habitats of Owl, Mouse, Fox and Snake

**Singing and storytelling** – Bring the story and its characters to life

**Animal dens** – Create mini homes that real woodland creatures would like to move into

**Act like an animal** – Practice some animal talents that develop coordination and attention.

We would like to say a huge thank you to Mrs El'Uasti and the reception team for organising this visit and to the parent volunteers who came along to help supervise the children.

## Upcoming Dates for Your Diary

**Monday 21st May** – Basketball Championship Pool + Cultural Diversity Day

**Tuesday 22nd May** – Girls' Kwik Cricket Championship at Robert Clack

**Wednesday 23rd May** – BDSFA Girls League George Carrey's super 6 vs St Peters at Robert Clack

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May** – Golden Assembly for year 5 + 6

## Golden Book Awards

Congratulations to the following children who have been mentioned in our Golden Book this week: -

**Jays** – Summer-Lily

**Sandpipers** – Kevin + Maya

**Magpies** – Ibrahim + Meerab

**Jackdaws** – Naomi + Alicia + Oyin

**Puffins** – Musab + Joel

**Starlings** – Ruby

**Wrens** – Tiyana + Mekhi + Alethea Becky + Victor



### The Royal Wedding Tea Party

On Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May George-Carey hosted a Royal Wedding Tea Party and non-uniform day to celebrate the upcoming marriage of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle. The children dressed as princes and princesses and each class held their own special tea party. The children and staff had a great day and we wish the prince and princess to be every happiness in the future.

