



Lansbury Lawrence Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Lansbury Lawrence is a Platinum Artsmark school! The Artsmark Award is the only creative quality standard for schools, accredited by Arts Council England. It supports schools to develop and celebrate arts and cultural education, putting creativity and wellbeing at the heart of the curriculum. Lansbury Lawrence is the first school in Tower Hamlets to receive Artsmark Platinum, the highest level of Artsmark Award. Artsmark ensures every young person can be creative and access a diverse, high-quality cultural education.



**Artsmark
Platinum Award**
Awarded by Arts
Council England

The assessor commented, 'It is abundantly clear that you are doing wonderful things with the Arts and setting an example of what can be achieved through committed senior leadership and strong strategic planning and partnerships.' We're extremely proud of achieving our Artsmark Platinum Award, and are committed to continuing to deliver a high-quality arts and cultural education at Lansbury Lawrence.

It really is a whole team effort: staff, children, and the families, but I'd particularly like to thank Ms Sellens who makes so much of it happen.

Alongside our Artmark, we were also invited to share how we teach Maths this week. 10 schools from across Tower Hamlets and South-East London visited classrooms in Years 3 and 4 as part of a research group. There is some fantastic maths teaching going on across the school and we're very proud to be able to share it and allow others to learn from what we do. Thank you to Ms Ferdous; Mr Daley; Mr McNerney; and Ms Haji and of course, Mr Harrington who leads maths at Lansbury Lawrence.



Thank you to the [Caring Family Foundation](#) who provided our families with 600 meals this week which were cooked by Chefs from world famous 'The Ivy'! Maureen is the member of staff that got us to the front of the queue on this project. I'd also like to add that we're really fortunate to have a group of parents that help out in all sorts of ways and on Tuesday, they stepped up again to help share the food. Thank you also to the parents that came forward to be interviewed – we look forward to seeing the film!



Finally, this afternoon we say goodbye to Ms Harrington who will begin her maternity leave. Many of you know Ms Harrington very well and I know you'll join me in wishing her all the best!

Best wishes and enjoy the weekend,

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