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Safeguarding.

At Randal Cremer we are committed to ensuring your child is safe both in and out of school. If we have any concerns about your child we will talk to parents and carers to find out how we can help. Occasionally a child will make a disclosure in school which will need to be reported to Social Care for further advice. They will then advise us of the action that needs to be taken. If you have concerns about your own or other people's children you can discuss it with Jo (designated Child Protection Officers for the school) who will advise you of what you should do or you can ring the advice line directly on 02083565500. You can also contact Childline if you have any worries about a child on 08001111.

Let's work together to keep our children safe.

School Uniform – as part of our uniform policy, we do not permit any jewellery except for small stud ear-rings. Necklaces and Bracelets are not permitted due to health and safety concerns.

Shoes should be black sensible shoes or trainers.

Shirts or blouses should be white. The sweat shirt/cardigan with the school logo should be worn. If for any reason, you do not have the correct top, it must be navy blue. No other colour is permitted.



Punctuality – school starts at 8.55am. Your child/ren should be in the playground ready to line up when the whistle blows.

The gate is opened from 8.45am each morning.

Secondary Admissions

The school will be supporting transition to Secondary School over the next few weeks. If you are unable to make an appointment during the day please let Pat know and she will make an appointment for you at a time that you can attend.

Reception Admissions

We will be contacting parents after half term to arrange Open Days for Reception and book times to support you in completing the Online Registration. You can find further information on the Website.

Term Dates 2014-2015

Term	Begins	Half Term Begins	Half Term Ends	Ends
Autumn	7 th September 2015	Monday 26 th October 2015	Friday 30 th October 2015	Friday 18 th December 2015
Spring	Monday 4 th January 2016	Monday 15 th February 2016	Friday 19 th February 2016	Thursday 24 th March 2016
Summer	Monday 11 th April 2016	Monday 20 th May 2016	Friday 3 rd June 2016	Friday 22 nd July 2016
<u>Inset day: Friday 23rd October 2015</u> <u>+ 2 more to be agreed.</u>				

Black History Month

As part of Black History Month this year, pupils will be finding out about 'Londoners' that have made a difference. There will be an assembly to celebrate on Thursday 22nd October at 11am. Parents will be invited to attend.

Important Dates for Your Diary:

Parents' Evening – Due to a number of staff being on training on Thursday 22nd October, Parents' Evening will be held on Thursday 5th November 2015. School will close at 1.30pm.

School Photographer – the photographer will be in school on Thursday 22nd October for your child's individual and sibling group photograph.

Homework

The Homework Policy is on the Website. Each week, pupils should receive spellings, maths learn its and more open ended topic related homework. The should also read every night to an adult.



Birthdays:

If it is your child's birthday, you are welcome to bring in a box of chocolates or sweets for them to share with the class. However, we do not allow party bags or cake. Please make sure the sweets are given to the class teacher so that they can check no children have any allergies before they are shared.

Volunteering:

Would you be interested in helping to create 'Super Heroes'? We would like to run a weekly slot for parents when they can come along and help us make costumes for the children in Nursery and Reception.

If you have any ideas, skills in sewing or art, this would be a great opportunity for you to get involved.

If you would like to volunteer in any other capacity, we would be happy to hear from you.

There will be a coffee morning on **Friday 16th October at 9.15am** where any parents interested in getting more involved with the school can come along to find out more. It will also be an opportunity for you to share any ideas you might have.





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Problems:

If your child has a problem at school, please speak to their class teacher. We advise all parents **never** to approach another parent over an issue between the children – this can lead to unpleasantness and escalate a situation.

If you are not satisfied after speaking to the teacher, please make an appointment to speak to the phase leader or a member of the senior leadership team.

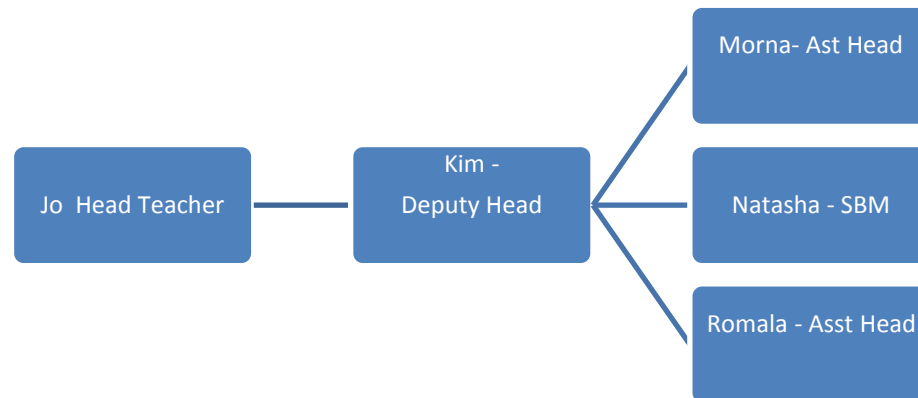
Phase Leaders –

Nursery – Enitan Porter Morris
 Lower School (Reception and Yr 1) – Torie Closs




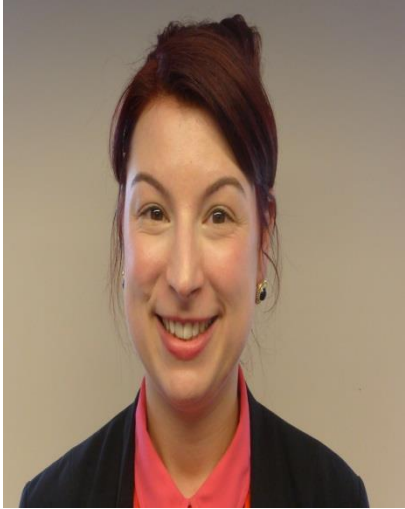



Middle School – Constanica Manzini

Upper School – William Leng.

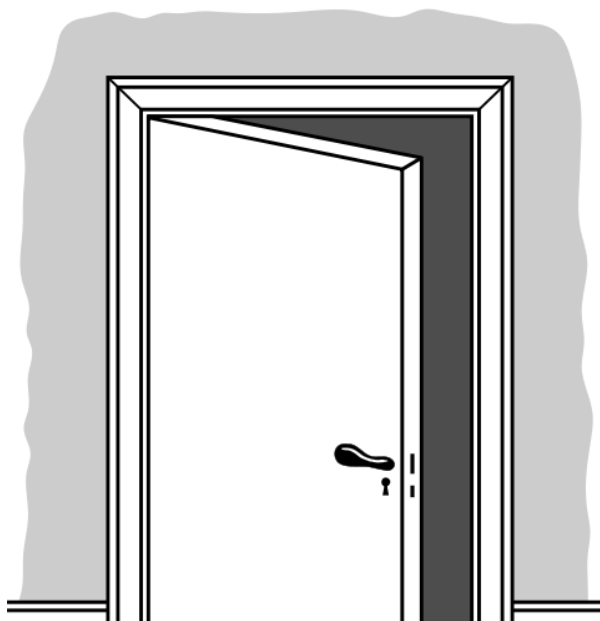
Senior Leadership Team:



Welcome to the following new staff members

			
Romala Schwarz – Assistant Head for Inclusion	Aysha Munim – Year 2 Class Teacher	Gillian Fajertag –Yr 4 Class Teacher	Victoria Hepburn – Yr 6 Class Teacher
			
Victoria Closs – Reception Teacher & Lower School Leader	Marcus Gibson- Reception Class Teacher	Enitan Porter Morris- Nursery Leader	

Head's Open Door



We are always eager to hear from parents and carers about ways we can improve Randal Cremer for our children.

If you are unable to make an appointment in school time, Jo is available between 5 and 7pm on the following dates:

- Wed 14th October**
- Weds 11th November**
- Weds 25th November**
- Weds 16th December.**