

Full newsletter every other week. Don't forget to check the website for updates!

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are the Rights Respecting school councillors and we represent the views of children at Torriano. We are writing to you because we want to make a change to how we use plastic in our school.



We have made a decision to ban single use plastic water bottles. The #OneLess campaign has proven that plastic bottles are affecting our planet and especially our oceans. Scientists have established that if plastic bottles are used multiple times certain chemicals in the plastic shed off into the water affecting you and your child's health. As a Rights Respecting School, level 2, we want you to hear our voice and help us to help our planet.

It is vital that we make changes before it is too late. Sooner or later, we will have more plastic than fish in the ocean, inheriting the title "The Plastic Age."


Starting from next half term, Monday 19th February, single use plastic bottles will not be allowed in school grounds. We would like every child to bring a re-usable bottle instead. Remember there is free water in classrooms and playgrounds for your child to drink.

Do you want plastic to be our legacy?

Yours sincerely,

RRS Councillors

#OneLess

Date	Event
7th February, 9.30am	IB Class Assembly
8th February, 3.30pm	 PTA Valentine Disco
9th February	EYFS Parent/Carer Maths Workshop
12th February - 16th February	HALF TERM
19th February	Children Return to School

The Torriano

Makateenies

Check out the sign of the week on the website—demonstrated by one of the Makateenies. The sign of the week this week is:

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Ted & Earl's Attendance Results

Our Target: **96%**

EYFS & KS1 Attendance **95.2%**

Well done to 2M for getting **98.7%** and to 2H for having the fewest lates.

KS2 Attendance **94.3%**

Well done 5H for getting **97.7%** and to 6W for having the fewest lates.

Weekly 100% Attendance Draw

Last week 142 children in KS1 & EYFS had 100% attendance, and 202 children in KS2.



Parent Academy

Phonics, Reading & Handwriting Course for Parents and Carers!

Are you a Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 parent? Would you like to find out how to support your child with phonics and handwriting? Then come along to the Parent Academy sessions on Thursday mornings from 9.30–11.30am in the Gatehouse.