



Meet the teacher Miss Rees Lower II Form Teacher

1. *Where did you go to school?*

I grew up in Hereford and went to school there.

2. *Do you have any pets?*

I have a Leopard Gecko called Diego.



3. *Are you married?*

Not yet! I am marrying Sam in August.

4. *What car do you have?*

**I have a Fiat 500. It is my first car and I love it!
It is pastel blue. Sam says he will only drive it
in the dark as he thinks it is embarrassing!**



5. *How long does it take you to get to school?*

7 minutes on a good day, 8 minutes if I get a lot of red lights on the way.

6. *What hobbies do you have?*

I enjoy watching football. I am a Chelsea fan.

7. *Do you have any brothers or sisters?*

I have one sister called Beth. She has recently been on the TV. I am really jealous!



8. *Have you ever been in hospital?*

Yes, quite a few times. When I was 18 months old I had open heart surgery. In 2008, I needed surgery on my back. I am fully fit now!

9. *What is your favourite subject to teach?*

I didn't think I would enjoy teaching English, but I love it now. The investigations in Science are fun as well, particularly when they involve chocolate. (See Science investigations)

10. *What is the most exciting place you have been to?*

In 2009, I went to Australia with 25 guides from Great Britain for a jamboree. We were fortunate enough to see the Sydney New Year firework display. I went back to Australia and New Zealand in 2013 and worked as a TA before deciding to come back to England and train as a teacher. I also went to Uganda twice with my school. I worked in villages helping families who were less fortunate.



Next week, I will be interviewing Mrs Crosby (Transition Form Teacher)
Please send your questions to Mrs Palmer.

Friday, 26 January 2018



Mayfield Moments

On Thursday 25th January, the parents of Kindergarten attended a writing workshop in school. Miss Roberts explained how we teach writing and then parents worked alongside their child. The children enjoyed working with their grown up from home. A big thank you to Miss Roberts for organising another impressive workshop for Kindergarten!



My Weekend
 I went to
 my cousins
 house. I played
 with my cousins
 play shater shur
 I had lots of
 fun.
 Ogher

My Weekend
 I stayed in
 bed today.
 I played
 with a ms. kas.
 I went to a busy day
 and it was a great
 day.
 I went to a busy day.
 I went to a busy day.
 to play with my
 friends.

My Weekend
 My family went
 to the park.
 I played on the
 slide. Then I played
 with my toys at
 home. We all went
 swimming.
 Jayce



My Weekend
 I went to
 bowling.
 I went with
 Esha and
 mummy and
 daddy. I won.
 I had fish and
 chips and ketchup
 and chips.
 It was fun!
 I stayed

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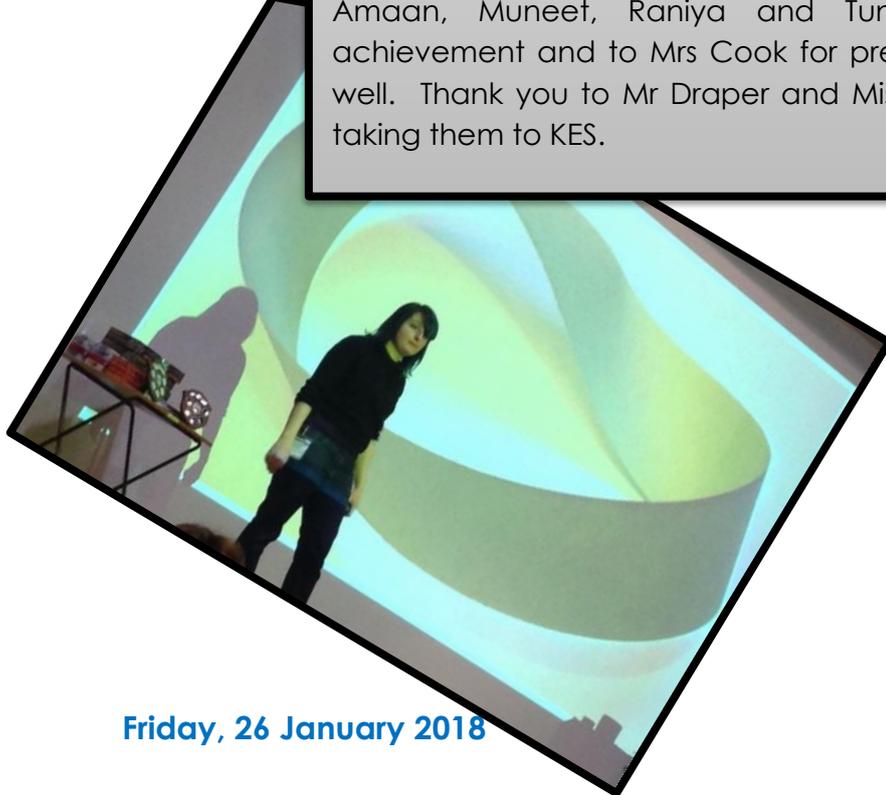




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What a magnificent day of mathematics was enjoyed by our intrepid Form II team at the Year 4 KES Maths Challenge. In the morning, they faced a very difficult cross number, followed by a breathless and exhausting maths relay race. After a gourmet lunch of pizza, pasta and cookies, the team let off steam with the rest of the competitors in King Edwards School's extensive grounds. In the afternoon, they played a series of prediction style games and investigated the concept of probability and how to apply it successfully to win games. Finally, they were treated to an interactive and highly entertaining maths lecture from Manchester University's Katie Steckles, culminating in her blowing giant smoke rings along the length of Big School in the shape of a torus (doughnut). In a packed competition involving around 25 local and independent schools, we came fourth, missing out on the top three by the narrowest of margins. What a great day! Well done to Amaan, Muneet, Raniya and Tuneesh on their achievement and to Mrs Cook for preparing them so well. Thank you to Mr Draper and Miss Cummings for taking them to KES.





Nursery News



As part of our Occupations topic- Sahej's Daddy came into Nursery to talk about being a Doctor. They talked about their experiences of visiting the doctor especially having injections. Dr Singh showed everyone his medical tools. He was amazed that the children knew the name and could pronounce stethoscope. Thank you for coming Dr Singh.

As part of our Occupations topic- Thank you to Tulusi's mum for coming in to Nursery and talking to Nursery and Kindergarten about being a Pharmacist. She brought lots of things that she uses in her job and the children were excited to tell her about the medicines they have taken.





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On Wednesday 31st January, the Young Shakespeare company will be making their annual visit to Mayfield. This year, they will be performing *A Midsummer Night's Dream* to children in Key Stage 2.

This is always a fantastic event and all the children get the chance to take part in the action.

Look out for photos next week!



Nursery children will be visiting Lidl next week.

They have been planning recipes to make fruit and sweet kebabs. They have written shopping lists and will be buying all the ingredients next week. We hope that this will help them make healthy choices in the future.



Upper II and Lower III children will be performing at St Matthew's Church as part of the Blue Coat Festival on Monday 5th February.

Come and support our children singing during the



Special Mentions



Kindergarten

Magda
Iyla

Excellent Maths work
Wonderful writing

Transition

Armaan
Anushka

Beautiful handwriting
For learning letter names

Form I

Aadil
Thomas
Matthew

Fantastic character descriptions
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Merit Awards



Lower II

Hana
Joban
Preet
Preeya

Form II

Rischie
Amaan
Harkiran
Daniel

Upper II

Harman
Krishie
Saif
Sahana

Lower III

Anaisha
Nandhika
Eliza



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This week's reporters:
Daniel FII, Naynaa LII, Jaya LII, Preet LII, Rohan LII, Dhruv LII
The each receive a merit for their contribution.

Riddle answers

What starts with T, is filled with T and ends with T? A teapot!

Why did the chicken cross the road? To get to the Birdseye factory.