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Teacher Shout-Outs



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Octavia, Zafira, Harry W, Scarlett - Eco Club - for showing brilliant determination and creativity each week in Eco Club last half term. Dr Calladine has been so impressed with your hard work and amazing efforts in making Greatfields a truly 'green' school!

7 Moore - Science - Mr Khan - for an exceptional lesson, from the moment you walked in you knew exactly what Mr Khan expected. You all showed a great level of growth mind-set about a topic that required them to make links to previous lessons. Well done and keep it up!

Eugenia and Lauren - History - Miss Malaveci - Miss was massively impressed by your writing in the tracking assessment and how effective your answers were on the British in India. You are starting to write like true historians and Miss is looking forward to seeing even further progress from you in History.

Goals for Greatfields!

- Your 7 sides team kicked out Zsuzsanna and scored 22 runs - Parker was the player of the week.
- Your 7 Fielded team won their last 2 group games against St Albans and Zsuzsanna.
- Your Year 7 girls won 80-12 vs Zsuzsanna. Zsuzsanna scored 12 goals and was player of the week. Shagun was a close second with 2 goals.
- Your 7 Strikers girls finished 2nd in the league which makes a truly outstanding achievement!



Congratulations to all the teams and players! The school is so proud of you! Keep it up!

Best Development
In February 2022, the school final phase of building was completed with the beautiful addition of the Dean block. We are so proud to have this state-of-the-art addition to our school.



Best in school
Year 2 - The amazing History Department at Greatfields School have put together an amazing trip to London's Imperial War Museum on Wednesday 21st May and Friday 27th May 2022. We hope they may be an educational and lovely day for you in London.
Year 7 - The History Department has also organised a trip to The Bank of England and Parliament to encourage their study of the world's most famous bank. They will provide an exciting and fun day for you in London.



Interview with Librarian

Greatfields finally opened the doors to the long-awaited library in a glorious 500m² of space in March 2022. The library is a beautiful and inspiring space for students to explore and enjoy. The students at Greatfields School have created the library space and brought it to life with their own ideas.

- Interview with Librarian**
Interview: How long have you been Librarian?
Miss Gail: I've been Librarian since 2019.
Interview: What are you most proud of the teachers and students here?
Miss Gail: The teachers are very hardworking and resilient and the students make me feel very valued at Greatfields and they are very friendly.
Interview: What books do you recommend to students that are not like reading?
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Interview: Why did you become a Librarian?
Miss Gail: I became a Librarian because I love books and wanted to work in a school.
Interview: What is the best part of your current reading?
Miss Gail: I love reading books that are not like reading.
Interview: What is your favourite book genre?
Miss Gail: I love reading fiction.
Interview: Who is your favourite author?
Miss Gail: I love reading fiction.
Interview: What are your suggestions for this library?
Miss Gail: I would like to see more books for students to learn more about themselves and develop a love for reading.
Interview: What is your favourite book?
Miss Gail: I love reading fiction.
Interview: What is one thing you will say to all Greatfields students?
Miss Gail: I love reading fiction.



Creators of the Greatfields Gazette

Miss Adeniyi is super impressed by all your amazing hard work on creating the school's newspaper. This was shared with all teachers and placed on the school website.

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Miss Gail: It's always a pleasure to hear from you!

Interview with Librarian
By Adeniyi, A.

There have been 7 sides teams against 7 groups and they played for a month with 12 sides. Congratulations for making the team play at this competition - we are immensely proud of you and we really appreciate your hard work and dedication.

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mind
for better mental health

By Adeniyi, A.

What is mental health awareness week?
Miss Gail: Mental health awareness week is a time to raise awareness and help people with various mental health issues like Depression, PTSD, anxiety, and so on. It's a time to let people know that everyone has mental health issues and it's not something to be ashamed of.

What is the MIND charity?
Miss Gail: MIND is a charity that helps people with mental health issues. They provide support and help people to live better lives.

How did Greatfields School support mental health awareness week?
Miss Gail: We supported mental health awareness week by having a display in the school and by having a talk to the students about mental health.

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Your mental health
By Adeniyi, A.

Mental health is important. You have your body health, but you also have your mental health. Don't be afraid to talk about it.

Please don't be afraid. Ask for help when you need it. If you have a problem, just talk to someone you trust. They will help you with your problem, your mind will be clear.

If you talk about it, you will feel free. It will be a relief, and you will be happy. You don't have to be in pain. I know you feel better when you talk about it. Just be you, know you're not alone. Fight the darkness and the black. When you see free. You will clearly see.

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By Adeniyi, A.

A boxing club named 'Box Up' based in Barking has been a lot of fun and we are very proud to have it at our school. It's a great way for students to get fit and healthy.

Interview: What is Boxing?
Miss Gail: Boxing is a sport where two people fight each other using their fists.

Interview: Why do you do Boxing?
Miss Gail: I do Boxing because it's a good way to stay fit and healthy.

Interview: What have you learned from Boxing?
Miss Gail: I have learned that I can be strong and healthy.

Interview: How long have you been at Boxing?
Miss Gail: I have been at Boxing for about a month.

Interview: Would you recommend Boxing to anyone?
Miss Gail: Yes, I would recommend Boxing to anyone who wants to stay fit and healthy.

Interview: How did you find out about Boxing or were you recommended it?
Miss Gail: I found out about Boxing from my teacher and friends at school.



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Markisa

For your fantastic efforts and drawing during an Art cover lesson.

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Harry W

For creating an amazing poster on the Partition of India. Miss Worrall is extremely impressed with your efforts in and outside of lessons. Miss will be placing this on display in her classroom. Well done and keep up this amazing attitude.

PARTITION of India

The partition of India is remembered by many as one of the worst parts of history. This story had been written in blood and tears. Many had to flee their homes to find safety and never could have known where they would see their homelands again.

Partition had been campaigned for years after independence from the British rule. States had been divided due to religious reasons. There was a mass migration and Muslims had to travel to Pakistan and Hindus had to travel to India. A hurried border had been drawn meaning people had to leave their homes quickly. Millions of people suddenly found themselves miles from their supposed new homeland. This also resulted in violence across India with massacres reported on both sides. One million people were killed in the violence and as many as ten million displaced.



IMPACTS

WOMEN

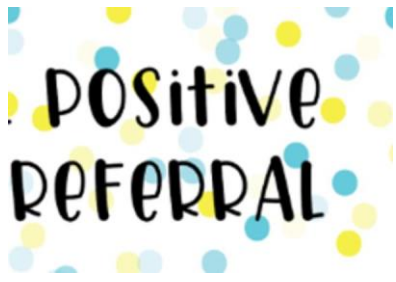
Women were subjected to many types of violence during partition. They were abducted and an estimate of **25,000 to 29,000** Hindu and Sikh women and **12,000 to 15,000** Muslim women were forced into marriage, forced to convert and killed on both sides of the border. Their abductors would also make them reluctant from returning to India by saying things like there is no food in India. Her family had been killed and that her family would not accept her. Women were overall scared of returning due to the risk of being abducted because they were not "pure" anymore.

HINDUS

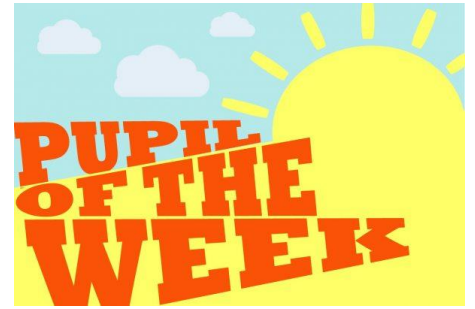
Hindus would have had to move away from Pakistan and had to go to India. They would have to experience honor and may not have survived the journey. They would never live the same lives as before and had nightmares about the experience afterwards.

MUSLIMS

Muslims would have had to move away from India and go to Pakistan.



Pupil of the Week



Our pupil of the week this week is:

Sneijder

For having the most positive slips on Class Charts since September so far.

You will be student receptionist on Wednesday.



Positive Power Award

The student with the most positive referrals for last week is:

Dayana Lambova

With 7 positive referrals on the last week

You will be student receptionist on Thursday.