



# John Donne Primary School Visit the Centre

## *Another Successful School Visit to the Centre!*

Being the hub of the Muslim community in Lewisham and the surrounding areas, the [Lewisham Islamic Centre](#) (LIC) regularly receives visits requests from schools, faith groups, and other non-Muslim organisations as the centre's recognition continues to grow as an institution engaging for better social cohesion. This time around, it was our young friends of John Donne Primary School of Wood's Road from the South East London Borough of Southwark. On Monday the 16th of March, as is his wont, [Imam Shakeel Begg](#) of LIC hosted these enthusiastic Year Two children and their teachers.

The Imam discussed the 5 Pillars of Islam and engaged the children and teachers in polite conversation. True to their quizzical nature, the children were full of questions. A considerable number of the children were Muslim and were very confident about their Islamic Faith and they, along with their non-Muslim friends, asked some very interesting and challenging questions. The children were candid, forthright, and most appreciably willing to learn and understand the simple message of Islam.



[Lewisham Islamic Centre](#) thanks the John Donne Primary School and their teachers for their visit and for showing a great willingness to educate their pupils to a better understanding of Islam. The Centre looks forward to welcoming more schools and children from all walks of life as we better know one another towards building a more cohesive and tolerant society.



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