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Friday 3rd July 2020

## A Message from the Headteacher

Dear parents and carers,

With 2 weeks left of term, we are now busily working on plans for September so that we can welcome all of the children back on the first day of the autumn term. You will have heard about the government announcement for plans for schools to fully re-open safely in September and I want to assure you that we are examining these very carefully, working closely with governors and staff to ensure your child has an excellent experience once they return. Further information will follow on this before the end of term.

Your child's annual reports are now almost ready to send and it's clear there has been some great progress over the course of the year, despite the closure. The hard work of teachers, parents and children on Teams seems to have minimised the effect of not being in school, however we know there will be much more to do once the children return in September to ensure that everyone catches up. Again, we will announce plans for this either at the end of term or immediately at the beginning of the new term in autumn.

We now look forward to the year 6 virtual leaving assembly, which the year 6 team are busily organising. I am sure we will be able to share some news of this with you all in next week's newsletter.

Have a good weekend.

Mr Reynolds  
Headteacher

### INSET Days

To ensure that the school is prepared for full re-opening to all pupils in September, there is a need for additional INSET days to take place this term. Therefore, please note **the school will be fully closed to all pupils on the 15th, 16th and 17th July**, meaning **the last day of term for all pupils will be on Tuesday 14th July**. Work for children on Teams will also cease from this day. Thank you for your support in allowing us time to plan to fully re-open in September.

### Year 5

#### Secondary School Transfer 2021

If your child is currently in year 5 (Miss Archer and Ms Bradshaw-Campbell's classes) you will soon be making secondary school choices for your child.

Please find here a list of Hackney secondary school open mornings and evenings beginning in early September to October 2020 to help you. <https://tinyurl.com/y9sj4oue>

### Summer Play Scheme

For summer activities for your child, please check out Benthall Primary School's holiday scheme. For more information and to book, click the pic or go to: [learningtrust.co.uk/content/holiday-playschemes](http://learningtrust.co.uk/content/holiday-playschemes)

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### SUMMER HOLIDAY SCHEME

Benthall Primary School, London, N16 7AU

From 20 July - 14 August 2020

Please be advised due to the Coronavirus, priority will be given to children of critical workers and vulnerable children.

Book from Monday 6th July

Holiday Scheme fees for 4-7 years olds  
£16.00 per day for Hackney children  
£11.00 per day for concessions

Holiday Scheme fees for 8-12 year olds  
£12.00 per day for Hackney Children  
£8.50 per day for concessions

Activities includes:  
• Arts & crafts • Outdoor play  
• Games • Free play • Cooking • Sports  
• Trips and much more

For further information and to book a place visit [learningtrust.co.uk/playscheme](http://learningtrust.co.uk/playscheme)  
The Summer Holiday Scheme places will be available to book online from 06 July 2020

### Year 6 Leavers Assembly



Year 6 will be having a virtual leavers assembly and presentation!

This will be held on **Friday 10th July at 2:30pm** via a Teams video call. Year 6 will all be sent an invite via Teams; Year 6 parents are welcome too!

Parent Governor Vacancy



### Parent Governor Call-out

Why not become a volunteer parent governor? Get involved with the school and help shape the education for all of our children. Email

[admin@princessmay.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:admin@princessmay.hackney.sch.uk) to register your interest.

School Website

[www.princessmay.hackney.sch.uk](http://www.princessmay.hackney.sch.uk)

School Office: Monday - Friday  
8:30am-4pm 0207 254 1589

Email: [admin@princessmay.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:admin@princessmay.hackney.sch.uk)



### Top Performing Classes

3ML, 6GI and 5LA

### Top 3 Players

Burhan 3ML  
Ifeoma 6GI  
Roman 6GI

### Rockstar Winners!

Well done to all of you who took part in the London Rocks Times Tables Rock Stars competition last week! We made it to 100th place on the leader board which is a huge improvement on last time's competition!

Certificates will be awarded to the top 3 players from each class! Well done all!



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