

Dear Parents and Carers,

I cannot believe we are in our Summer term! It was lovely to see our children return on Tuesday morning. We had some very happy children who thought they were leaving us in April but due to personal circumstances are gratefully able to stay with us for the last term.

The school is certainly a lot quieter with only eighty five children, but we are definitely ensuring the children still have quality first teaching and amazing experiences.

As shared with some parents at the beginning of the week, there will be opportunities for classes to be combined. We feel it is very important that the children continue to develop their social and communication skills and this will also support in the preparation of moving to a larger class in September.

As always, this will be a busy half term. Our new topic is **History of Hackney** and there will be many opportunities for planned trips and events to celebrate our special borough.



Also this half term, our Year 6 children will be in their last stretch of revision before sitting their SATs. This will commence on Monday 13th May and conclude on Thursday 16th May. The children have been working extremely hard and we are already so proud of their progress.

Next Thursday (25th April), the Year 6 children will arrive at school at 8am to have a SATs Practice Day.

We also have the annual Hackney Schools' Challenge on Saturday 18th May, where our Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 children will run 1 mile with other Hackney schools. If you have been selected, please look out for an email where you will need to register your child by Friday 26th April. They must be registered by 26th April or they will not be able to participate.

Once registered, we are asking children who have entered to come to school at 8.30am each morning to start training for the run. This will commence from Monday 29th April.

A reminder that school will be closed on Thursday 2nd May for Polling Day. Polling Day – Thursday 2nd May 2024 - Colvestone Primary School

Next week we will have a Book Fair which will be held in the main hall (upstairs). This will be on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 3.30pm - 4.30pm. Come to the Super Amazing Book Fair! - Colvestone Primary School