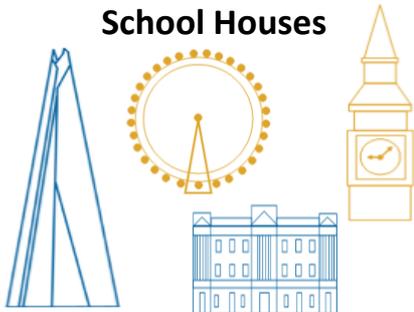




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Primary School

### School Houses



### Term Dates

#### Summer Term

Tuesday 17 April – Friday 20 July

#### Half Term

Monday 28 May – Friday 1 June

#### Inset Day

Monday 4 June

Friday 20 July – School Closes  
2pm

#### 2018-19

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept – Inset Day

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> Sept - Children  
Back to School

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> Sept – Inset Day

## 20 April 2018

Welcome back to the summer term. It has been a very bright, sunny and warm start to the term. Please help us to keep your child safe by ensuring they are in suitable uniform. This includes grey shorts & skirts, white polo shirts, tunics and summer dresses.

During hot spells we also recommend that children come to school with sun cream already applied and a sunhat.

We will be ensuring that children drink plenty of water during the day. If you wish to send a bottle of water in with your child, please ensure it is labelled with their name.

Finally, please don't forget to book your slot for the Home School Learning Conversation when you receive the text link.

### School Photos

**ALL** orders need to be with the school office by  
Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April.

Many thanks



### Reminder....



We operate a 'no- mobile phone' policy on the school grounds.

**Please greet your child with a smile and not your mobile.**

### The weeks ahead

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April**  
Year 1 Educational Visit  
Urban Forest School

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April**  
Year 1 Educational Visit  
Urban Forest School

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> May**  
Home School Learning  
Conversation

**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May**  
Home School Learning  
Conversation

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> May**  
Year 1 Educational Visit  
V&A Museum of Childhood

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May**  
Sports Day Rec –Year 6  
10am – 2pm  
Market Road.

# What have we been up to this week?

## Learning Through Play



Reception made fantastic pictures using plasticine in their self-initiated play



## Exploring Our Garden Spaces

Year 2 had a lovely afternoon using their literacy skills to describe the wildlife in our beautiful, blooming garden.



The pond was also a great attraction for Year 4. They voted for plants that would bring us more butterflies and the return of 'bat homes' on the wall nearby :)



## Swimming @ Cally Pool



Year 3 & 6 have been enjoying there two weeks of intensive swimming. Year 6 have enjoyed having a dip in the Cally Pool as part of their swimming intensives, followed by an ice lolly.....after all it was the hottest day of the year!

# Home Learning Conversations



You received your child's 'Record of Assessment' just before the Easter Break. Our Home School Learning Conversations to discuss your child's ROAs are next **Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> and Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May** –the week after next. The consultations are an opportunity to discuss how your child is progressing towards their end of year targets.

This is also an opportunity to us share information about the curriculum, enrichment programmes and events over the coming term e.g. swimming or sports day, and what expectations are in terms of home learning.

Sharing this information with you, and your feedback to us, is essential in helping us improve standards and progress in the school. Good home school communication directly supports children's learning, and is something that we value extremely highly. It is an expectation that all parents and carers attend parent consultation meetings during the year.

Please ensure that you book an appointment online when you receive the text notification from the school.

We look forward to seeing you there.

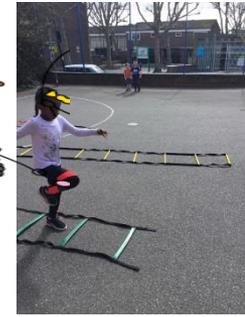
# FUN, FITNESS & FRESH AIR



The whole school will be starting a new fitness regime in school by introducing DAILY fitness sessions for pupils and teachers!!

**Starts Monday**

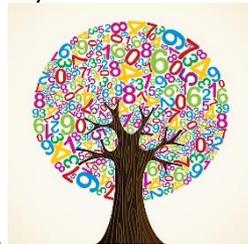
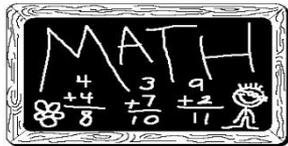
Please support your child by ensuring that they have their PE kit in school Monday to Friday!



## Well done to.....

Ahmed, Israhennah, Natan & Zak from Year 5 who have been accepted onto the Royal Institution of Mathematics Masterclasses which will run on Saturdays.

The aim of the Masterclasses is to inspire in the students an appreciation of mathematics that is long-lasting. Activities the students undertake are often not on the curriculum and allow students to explore the subject more fully.



The classes encourage students to see mathematics as an exciting discipline driven by asking questions, investigating and collaborating and with relevance to the world around us.

We look forward to hearing all about it!

Huge congratulations to Maria in Year 4, Mashfi in Year 5 and Kirubiel in Year 6, their artwork was selected from over 1200 entries across Islington to appear in the 2018/2019 Interfaith calendar.



The theme of this year's competition was to illustrate how 'Different Faiths Live and Work Together'. All the children's artwork across the school was truly fantastic and can be seen on display throughout the school.