



Apex Primary School

Helping little feet climb mountains...

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

November Edition



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Coffee Morning
Friday 1st December

Parents Day
Friday 15th December

Term 3 fees due
Friday 15th December

Last Day of school
Friday 22nd December

First day back
Tuesday 9th January

Autumn Term 2. Issue 2.

Tuesday 28th November 2023

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Coffee morning



Taking place on Friday 1st December at Apex Primary School. On this day, we would like to welcome all our Apex mums to come and join a day to relax, meet other parents and have a cuppa.

Absences

If your child is absent for whatever reason, please contact the school via:

<http://apexprimary.co.uk/home/parents/student-absence-form/>

to confirm their absence. Please note that if we are not informed by 3pm that day, your child will be marked as unauthorised.

Headteacher drop in sessions

We offer headteacher drop in sessions every Monday from 2:30pm - 3:00pm. These do not need to be pre-booked, however please email the school if you would like to have a meeting. For any other queries or concerns regarding your child's learning, we kindly ask you to message your child's relevant class teacher via Class Dojo and they will get back to you in due course. Alternatively, please speak to your child's teacher during drop off.



School phone

We do not respond to any text messages or calls as our school phone is used for outgoing communication only. Should you have any questions or concerns, please email the school or call the school landline. Our school office hours are Monday - Friday from 8:15 am until 3:30 pm.

Holidays

Holidays will not be authorised during term time unless there are exceptional circumstances which have to be authorised by the school at least 4 weeks in advance.

More information is on our website under Policies. Alternatively, please click on the following link:

[://www.apexprimary.co.uk/assets/Documents/Attachments/Attendance-and-Punctuality-Policy-Feb-2025.pdf](https://www.apexprimary.co.uk/assets/Documents/Attachments/Attendance-and-Punctuality-Policy-Feb-2025.pdf)

'NO NUTS'



We are a strict NO NUT school.

Please refrain from giving your child any type of nuts or food containing nuts. If your child is seen with nuts during their snack or lunch break it will be removed from them and disposed safely.

Park & Walk Policy

Every morning, staff assist pupils out of cars and into the school, however if you wish to bring your child into school yourself, then please park appropriately and safely in a suitable spot such as a parking bay. Please refrain from parking in front of driveways as this is inconsiderate to the neighbours and the community.

You can refer to our policy below for more information:

<https://www.apexprimary.co.uk/assets/Documents/Attachments/Traffic-Calming-Park-and-Walk-Policy-Feb-2024.pdf>

Open meetings with the Trust

Following feedback and requests, we want to take this opportunity to announce the dates for our open meetings for our parents with the trust.

These are aimed for every last Thursday of every half term where there will be trust/board members present on these days.

We will be reviewing the frequency of the meetings and to see what will be best for intended purpose and impact, so please treat these dates as tentative.

Time: 6pm
Place: TBC Online

Dates:
21st December 2023
15th Feb 2024
28th March 2024
23rd May 2024
18th July 2024

Feel free to give your feedback to:
syed.rahman@apexprimary.co.uk

Parents Day

Parents day will take place on Friday 15th December. On this day, school will be closed. We will be in touch when bookings are open in order to make an appointment with your child's relevant teacher. Meetings can either be in person or over the phone.



MSA TALENT SHOW



**Calling all young reciters
and nasheed singers!**

If you are under the age of 10 and have a talent for reciting Quran or singing nasheeds then please contact us for an audition.

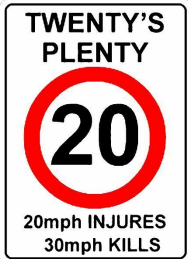
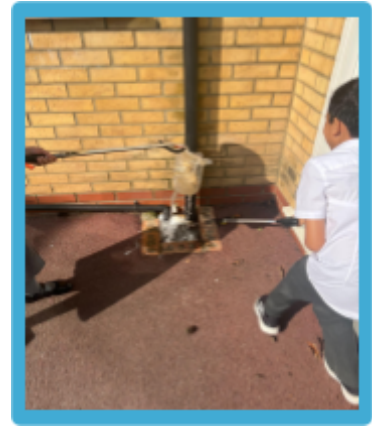
Two children will be chosen to perform at the MSA 10 year anniversary event in Ilford on Friday 10th May 2024 (evening)!



Please email salmaquaium@gmail.com for further information



Getting young London moving



Road Safety Week took place from Monday 20th November - Friday 24th November. We however hope to continue raising awareness and educate raise awareness to our youngsters about safely crossing our roads.



Masha-Allah to our school shura members this year:

- Sofia Hussein & Idrees Ali in Y1
- Raahim Sufyan & Inaaya Wahid in Y2
- Alina Hassan & Hisham Miah in Y3
- Umar Hassan & Izzah Usman in Y4
- Saara Mahmud & Dawud Hussain in Y5
- Ahmed Khanji & Khadija Mohammed in Y6

We are grateful & thrilled to be apart of Tfl STARS this year once again! Stay with us for some exciting projects & activities coming soon...

Did you know?

- Almost 48% of the population admit to littering.
- 1 out of 10 pedestrians can die if hit by car travelling at 20mph; however it is doubled by 50% if a pedestrian is hit by a car travelling at 30mph.



This month, children helped to clean the school up by sweeping the playground and throwing the recycling out.

They learned the importance of 'no littering' and why as a school and as Muslims it's important to be clean and considerate at all times.



HIT BY A VEHICLE TRAVELING AT:

20 MPH

9 out of 10 pedestrians survive

HIT BY A VEHICLE TRAVELING AT:

30 MPH

5 out of 10 pedestrians survive

HIT BY A VEHICLE TRAVELING AT:

40 MPH

Only 1 out of 10 pedestrians survives