# The Morningside Messenger Morningside Primary School and Children's Centre Newsletter

### **Transition Time**





In July we do lots of transition work at Morningside. Our Year 6 children have been taking part in workshops to prepare them for their new settings. We have met the new children who will start in Nursery and Reception in September at our "Welcome" meetings this week. The children have seen their new classroom and parents and carers have been given lots of information and the chance to ask questions. Children who are already at Nursery here have been to their new class to play and to meet the adults there so that it will be familiar in the new academic year. If you were not able to make the meeting please call us with any questions that you have.

Children in years 1-5 have a Transition Morning on July 16<sup>th</sup>. They will be meeting their new teacher and spending the morning in their new classroom creating some beautiful artwork that will be displayed ready for the new start after the summer break.

In the picture above you can see our "Green Influencers" group. These children have worked with Hannah from EcoActive to completely transform an area of the back playground from an old bench to a beautiful space where children can relax at break and insects will thrive.

Next week we will host the Spelling Bee heats. Please look out for the letter with the words to learn on the back. The finals are at the end of term. We are also getting end of year assemblies ready so that each class can showcase their fantastic work.

Some year groups have started to go on local trips. This week year 4 visited the Hackney School of Food and learnt all about how to cook a delicious pizza from scratch. Year 6 had a knife crime awareness workshop that was run by the Ben Kinsella Trust. We are hoping to run residential visits again in the autumn and will keep you posted as restrictions lift and our risk assessments are updated.

Wishing you all a safe and happy weekend Janet Taylor











### Important Dates

**Transition Morning** Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021

Spelling Bees Monday 19<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021

Year 6 Festival Wednesday 21<sup>th</sup> July 2021 at 4:30-6pm

End of Term Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2021 at 1:30pm

Pack to School
Years 1-6
Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September
2021

Value of the Week



Responsibility



Que sueñes con los angelitos



Sweet Dreams



### **Check school term dates**

School calendar for 2020/21



#### **Autumn Term**

- ✓ Start Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2020
- ✓ Half Term Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2020
- ✓ Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2020

#### **Spring Term**

- ✓ Start Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021
- ✓ Half Term Monday 15<sup>th</sup> February –
  Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2021
- End Thursday 1st April 2021

#### **Summer Term**

- ✓ Start Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2021
- ✓ Half Term Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May –
  Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2021
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021

#### **Public Holidays**

- ✓ Friday 25<sup>th</sup> December 2020
- ✓ Monday 28<sup>th</sup> December 2020
- ✓ Friday 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021
- ✓ Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2021
- ✓ Monday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2021
- ✓ Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2021
- ✓ Monday 31st May 2021
- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2021

#### **Inset Days**

- ✓ Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2020
- ✓ Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020
- ✓ Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2020
- ✓ Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021
- ✓ Monday 21st June 2021
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021

### Check school term dates

School calendar for 2021/22



#### **Autumn Term**

- Start Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021
- Half Term Monday 25<sup>th</sup> October -Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2021
- End Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021

#### **Spring Term**

- Start Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022
- Half Term Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February -Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2022
- End- Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022

#### **Summer Term**

- Start Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022
- Half Term Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May -Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2022
- End Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2022

#### **Public Holidays**

- Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> December 2021 (Monday 27<sup>th</sup> December 2021 substitute day)
- Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> December 2021 (Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> December 2021 substitute day)
- Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> January 2022 (Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2022 substitute day)
- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2022
- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2022
- Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2022
- Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2022
- Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2022 (Platinum Jubilee bank holiday)
- Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2022

#### **Inset Days**



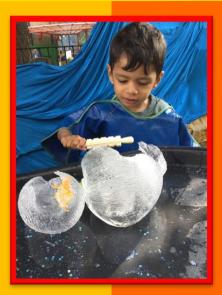
# Children's Centre















In Rainbow Nursery, we have been doing so many fun things and learning so many new things.

- We have made real biscuits from a Nigerian recipe.
- We have made pretend biscuits in the mud kitchen.
- We have found missing toys in the ice.
- We have really enjoyed our story book, Baby Goes to Market.
- We have helped each other to balance outside.
- We have done an exciting project with ArtBurst and we even managed to go Singing in the Rain!



# What's been happening in the Morningside community?

In Nursery, we have been having lots of fun, exploring new sounds, pirates and our summer topics. Nursery were very excited to get our Bug Hotel and we can't wait to see what insects move in!

We have been working on our fine motor skills too.



This week in Design & Technology, Reception have been exploring materials and tools to create costumes for the soft toys in our class. The children decided to make costumes for each other. They worked together using some wonderful instructional language, check out our designs.



This week in Year 4 we have been practising and expanding our computing skills by making eye-catching and informative graphs and charts.

For our art unit sculpture, Year 5 looked at two artists: Bernard Palissy and Magdalene Odundo. We created a decorative bowl in the style of Palissy and fettled the base to give it a better shape. We then created a vase (using a double pinch pot and coiled neck technique) in the style of Odundo. We decorated these with a glaze to reflect the colours the artists would use.

Year 6 went to the Ben Kinsella workshop in Islington. The knife crime prevention workshops taught our pupils about choices and consequences. They educated our Year 6s away from knife crime, showing them how they can make positive choices to stay safe.



# Celebration Awards

# Stars of the Week











































# Celebration Awards

### Star Readers



















## Star Mathematicians





















# Celebration Awards

### Timetables Rockstars















## **MARVELLOUS**





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#### FOOTBALL CANNP

THE CITY ACADEMY, Homerton Row, E9 6EA MON 26TH JUL - FRI 13TH AUG

HIGH INTENSITY SESSIONS
CLASSROOM ANALYSIS
MATCHES
AND MUCH MORE...

AGE: 7-15 YEARS TIME: 8.30AM - 3.30PM

**CAMP PRICES:** 

FULL PRICE: £87 PER WEEK
NHS/KEY WORKERS/SIBLING DISCOUNTS: £82 PER WEEK

BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISSAPOINTMENT: WW.BADUSPORTS.CO.UK (ONLINE BOOKINGS ONLY)

FOR ANY ENQUIRIES PLEASE CONTACT: FOOTBALL@BADUCIC.ORG OR CALL 020 4506 2520

BADU

#### **FOOTBALL CAMP**

**BADU** will be running a Football camp during the Summer holidays. Led by UEFA and FA level coaches, our football camp aims to provide practical as well as classroom based learning to develop aspiring footballers.

**Age**: 7 – 15 years

#### **CAMP PRICES:**

Full price: £87 per week

NHS/Key Workers/Sibling discounts: £82 per week

We are only accepting online bookings and have limited tickets available, please book early to avoid disappointment.

For any enquirers please contact: football@baducic.org or call 020 4506 2520







#### **HOLY TRIMITY CAMP**

HOLY TRINITY, Beechwood Road, London, E8 3DY MON 26TH JUL - FRI 20TH AUG

FUN ACTIVITIES
EDUCATIONAL LEARNING
COMPETITIONS
AND MUCH MORE...

AGE: 5 - 11 YEARS TIME: 08:30 - 17:30 (COLLECTIONS FROM 15:30)

#### CAMP PRICES:

FULL PRICE: £98 PER WEEK
NHS/KEY WORKERS/SIBLING DISCOUNTS: £87 PER WEEK

BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISSAPOINTMENT: WW.BADUSPORTS.CO.UK (ONLINE BOOKINGS ONLY)

FOR ANY ENQUIRIES (CONCESSION PRICE) PLEASE CONTACT: CAMPS@BADUSPORT.COM OR CALL 020 4506 2520



#### SUMMER CAMP

**BADU** will be running an **SUMMER** camp filled with a variety of fun, exciting and new activities.

The attendees will be kept in their year group bubbles as your children's safety is our priority!

Age: 5 - 11 years

#### **CAMP PRICES:**

- Full price: £98 per week
- NHS/Key Workers/Sibling discounts: £87 per week

We are only accepting online bookings and have limited tickets available, please book early to avoid disappointment.

For any enquirers please contact: camps@badusports.com or call 020 4506 2520



#### PRIMARY BRIDGING THE GAP

HOLY TRINITY, Beechwood Road, London, E8 3DY MON 26TH JUL - FRI 6TH AUG

FREE TUITION PROGRAMME **QUALIFIED TEACHERS** INTERACTIVE LEARNING **SUPPORT** 

> AGE: SCHOOL YEAR 3 - YEAR 6 TIME: 10:00 - 14.30

> > **CAMP PRICES:**

FREE

PLEASE BOOK VIA OUR WEBSITE: WWW.BADUSPORTS.CO.UK

FOR ANY ENQUIRIES PLEASE CONTACT: TUTORS@BADUCIC.ORG OR CALL 020 4506 2520

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GAINSBOROUGH PLAYING FIELD, E15 2GW MON 26TH JUL - FRI 20TH AUG

> FREE FUN ACTIVITIES **MATCHES** COMPETITIONS AND MUCH MORE...

> > AGE: 12 - 18

**ACTIVITIES & TIMES:** 

NETBALL: 12.00PM - 1.30PM BASKETBALL: 2.00PM - 3.30PM FOOTBALL: 4.00PM - 5.30PM

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Ice-Lollies - 50p
Ice-cream - £1
Ice-cream with flake
and sprinkles £1.50



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#### We encourage children to wear school uniform at all times.

- All uniform items must be labelled clearly with the child's name and class
- Uniform items with the school logo can be purchased online via the school shop website and then collected from the main office – prices below
- All other uniform items can be purchased from any high street shop such as Asda, Marks & Spencer, Primark etc.
- Girls who choose to wear a headscarf for religious observance must wear a plain black, grey or navy scarf
- Pupils are not permitted to wear jewellery (except for a watch and a pair of small stud earrings)
- Pupils are not permitted to wear make-up (including lip-gloss) or nail varnish

#### **Uniform: Reception to Year 6**

Item	Description	Price of items with school logo
Sweatshirt or jumper	Navy blue	£9 or £11 depending on size of sweatshirt
Polo shirt	Yellow	£8 or £10 depending on size of polo shirt
Trousers or School shorts	<b>Black</b> , <b>grey</b> or <b>navy</b> trousers or school shorts	
Dress or skirt	Black, grey or navy skirt or pinafore dress Yellow or blue gingham school dress	
Tights	Plain <b>black</b> or <b>navy</b> tights	
Shoes	Plain, flat, closed-toe <b>black</b> shoes or trainers	
P.E. Kit	Plain white t-shirt <b>Black</b> , <b>grey</b> or <b>navy</b> shorts or tracksuit bottoms	
Book bag	Navy	£6



Yellow polo shirt







Grey, navy or black trousers



Navy blue sweatshirt or jumper





Black, grey or navy skirt or pinafore dress





Yellow or blue gingham school dress





Grey, navy or black school shorts



Plain white t-shirt

#### P.E Kit





**Black**, **grey** or **navy** shorts or tracksuit bottoms





Scan QR code to launch Morningside's Online Shop to purchase items with the school logo such as the school sweatshirt, yellow polo shirts, and book bags

School book bag





### Safeguarding Children

Information regarding Safeguarding & Child Protection at Morningside Primary School and Children Centre

#### Our prime responsibility as a school is to ensure that all children are safe.

Safeguarding can be defined as:

"The process of protecting children from abuse or neglect, preventing impairment of their health and development and ensuring they are growing up in circumstances consistent with the provision of safe and effective care that enables children to have optimum life chances and enter adulthood successfully."

School plays an important role here. For Morningside Primary School it means that we have procedures for the following:

- Child Protection
- Behaviour
- E-Safety
- Visits
- Incident Management
- Risk Assessment
- Allegation of Abuse
- Child Absconding
- Information Sharing
- Medical Needs
- Supervision

A copy of our Child Protection policy is available from the school office and the school website.

If you have a concern about a child's welfare, please report it to a member of staff immediately



Scan QR code to read Morningside's Safeguarding & Child Protection Policy



#### Key people and their responsibilities are as follows:

#### Sheena Khangura (Deputy Head)

- Lead Officer for Safeguarding and Child Protection (NCSA)
- Designated Lead for Looked After Children (LAC)
- Inclusion Leader

#### Janet Taylor (Headteacher)

Deputy Lead Officer for Safeguarding and Child Protection

#### **Rachel Smith (Assistant Head)**

E-Safety Officer

It is important to avoid any coaching of a child during a disclosure. Any early discussion with the child should, as far as possible, adhere to the following basic principles:

- A. <u>Listen</u> to the child, rather than directly question him or her
- B. <u>Never</u> stop a child who is freely recalling significant events
- C. Make a note of the discussion, taking care to record the timing setting and personnel present as well as what was said

Report any concerns to a member of staff straight away – never delay to inform the relevant officer.



# Information

If there is any other information that you would like please get in touch. We will get back to you as soon as possible.

#### **Contact Information**



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