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Partnership Learning

Thursday, 22 October 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

This has been a very challenging half term for us all as we learn to adapt to the many changes that COVID-19 brings. I understand how difficult it has been for both the children and their families when they have had to isolate. We have worked really hard to improve the home learning experience and the teachers are able to offer on-line support via class dojo. We have been delighted to receive so many positive comments from you.

Despite these challenges your children arrive at school, ready and eager to learn and try their very best every day. All the teachers are delighted with their classes and are looking forward to talking to you on the telephone, about your child's progress, after half term. Your child's report will be sent to you via Tapestry or Class Dojo on Monday 2nd November.

If your child has been invited to attend a booster class after school, please make sure they come each week to help them catch up on the 6 months of learning they have missed. These will start again from Monday 9th November.

Sports Clubs have been offered to some year groups and start after half term. We will write to you again as soon as we can increase the number of clubs.

If your child is in year 6 please remember to complete the on-line form to apply for a secondary school place by the 31st October. Applications for reception places for September 2021 open on the 2nd November and you will be able to apply from this date. You can contact Barking and Dagenham admissions using this link. www.lbbd.gov.uk/admissions.

There are still places available in our nursery, please contact the school office for more information.

We will be supporting "Children in Need" on Friday 13th November. This will be a non-uniform day. Please encourage your child to wear pyjamas and donate £1 for this worthwhile cause. Can you also please check if your child has any school reading books still at home from last year and return these to us.

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I do hope that you are able to enjoy the break with your family. Thank you for all your support and working with us to keep everyone as safe as possible. I have also attached the latest edition of the Eastbury Gazette and a chart which explains what you need to do if your child or a member of your family becomes unwell.

Best wishes

Mrs Shepherd
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