



Year 6
Meet the Teacher Meeting

Meet The Staff

Class Teachers

Nabila Harti

Hérons Class Teacher

Marianne Mattinson

Kestrels Class Teacher
Leader of Learning for English

Mireille Alwan

Additional Maths teacher

Danielle Bowmaker

Phase Leader

Teaching Assistants

Tiss Dardak, Sabena Hilliard, Saskia Devore, Ardiana Statovci. Melanie Havemann, Shilpa Daraji, Carly Chapman.

Additional Adults

Liz Ghamar / Mireille Alwan / Laura Beeson– Assistant Head Teachers

Syra Sowe– Inclusion Manager

Mandy Aplicano – Leader of Learning for SEBN / Rainbow Class Teacher

Edina Dias Souza – Leading of Learning for Children, Families & the Community

Jordan Lawal & Dean Farrell– PE Coaches

Tom West– Music Teacher

Alice Farrell – Art Teacher

Pippa Davies-Humphreys - French Teacher



Important Information

The School Day



8:45am – soft start

9am – school starts

9-10:35am- first session

10:35- 10:50am- break

10:50-12:30pm – second session

12:30-1:30pm – lunch

1:30-3:30pm- third session

3:15pm- gates open for all parents/carers.

3:30pm- children will come to the line by 3:30pm



Please wait by your child's line at the end of the day as it is important that the class teacher knows who they go home with.



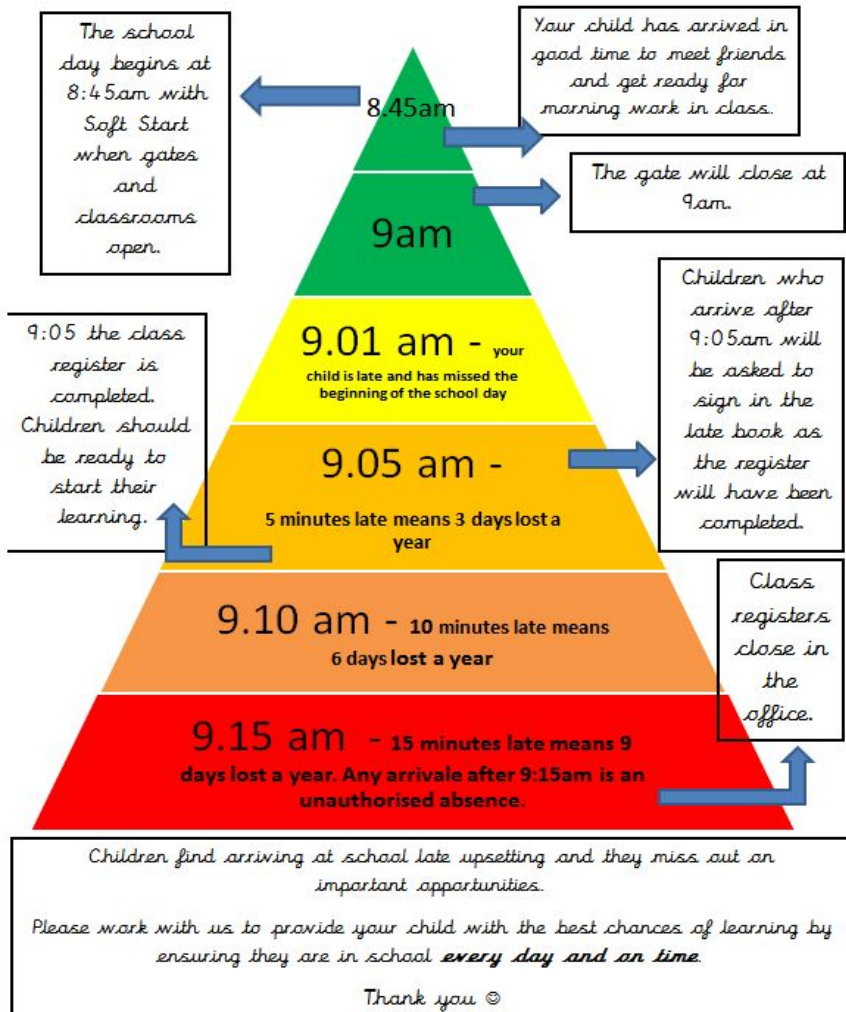
Attendance & Punctuality



Primrose Hill Primary School



Every minute of learning counts!



- Attendance & Punctuality are extremely important in ensuring your child reaches their potential; if they're not at school, they're missing key learning opportunities!

- If your child is sick please:
 - inform the school before 9.30am on the morning of the first day of absence
 - phone the absence line on 0207 722 8500 / email: attendance@primrosehill.camden.sch.uk
 - keep the school informed if your child's absence persists
 - if we do not know why your child is absent, it will be recorded as an unauthorised absence. A high number of unauthorised absence will trigger EWO (Educational Welfare Officer) involvement or incur a penalty notice (fine).

- We want to achieve over 95% attendance each week! This will continue to be monitored weekly in Achievement Assemblies & in the newsletter.

- Phone calls home, letters or certificates might be sent for improved attendance OR if we are concerned about your child's attendance or punctuality.

100% - Perfect -the best they can possibly be!

98 - 99% - Excellent

95 - 97%- Good

90 -94%-Needs to improve and will be monitored closely within school

89% or less- Poor - this will lead to a referral to the Education Welfare Officer, a subsequent meeting and potential legal action from the local authority.

Behaviour Expectations

Our **Behaviour Policy and Procedures** encourage mutual respect through a code of acceptable behaviour understood by everyone in the school.

The Golden Rules

- Listen carefully
 - Work hard
 - Be gentle
- Look after property
 - Be honest

Rewards

Rewards are given to praise children for acting responsibly and for following the Golden Rules. Other systems include:

- Class Dojos
- Achievement Assembly
- Phase & Class Celebrations
- Showing another adult
 - Golden Ticket
- Certificates home

What happens when things go wrong?

- Reminded of school rules
- Firmer warning
- Time out in class or to another class
- Further time out to Phase Leader
- Time out to member of the SLT / LOL SEMH

Red Card

- Serious behavioural incidents, for example injuring another child deliberately
- Violent behaviour / vandalism
- Fighting
- Leaving the classroom without permission to an unknown location / running away / refusing to return to class within a specified time (e.g. five minutes)
- Swearing at an adult or a child

....Reflection



Assessment & Progress

- Summative and formative assessment throughout the year
- Monitoring and Pupil Progress Reviews
 - Parent consultations and reports

Inclusion & Medical Needs



SEN SUPPORT

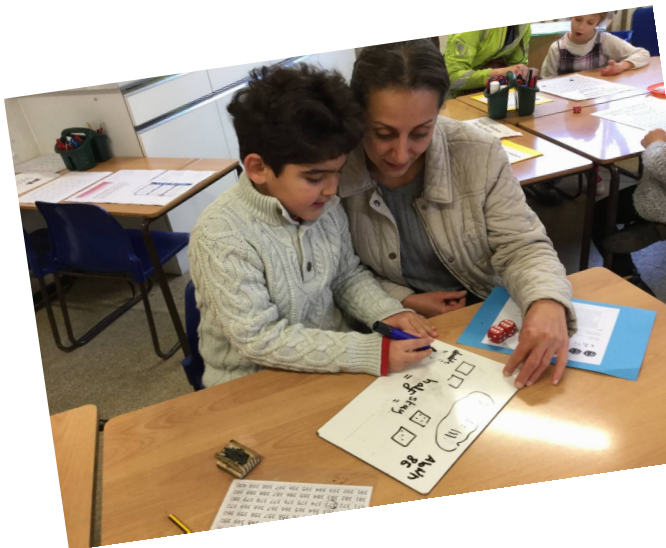
SENDCo, parents and teachers will meet to agree:

- *Specific interventions and targets for your child*
- *Outside agency support for your child*
- *Additional adult support in school*

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Visiting your Child's Class

- Starting on 28th September, **every Friday morning during Soft Start**, you will be able to go to your child's classroom and spend that time with them.
- This is an opportunity to read with them, see their books or talk to them about what they are learning.
- Talk to Teacher time, will continue to be at 3:15pm at the allocated slot, or booking an appointment with them.



Saying Thank You

- Just a reminder that last year our Governors created a new way for parents to say Thank You to staff at the school through posting postcards.
- You can complete a postcard at the office, or ask for one, and then hand it back into the office staff.
- It can be to any member of staff, who will really appreciate your kind words.





Clubs at Primrose Hill



There are over 30 Clubs available either before school, during lunchtimes or after school

- Clubs offer a range of sports, art, music, drama, dance, Spanish and wellbeing;
- We have sign up windows near the end of each term for the following term, or in the case of Autumn term, sign ups will be at the beginning of the term with clubs starting three weeks in;
- Sign up is done through the SchoolsBuddy website for most clubs;
- Parents will be receive a unique link to their email address when sign up opens;
- Once the link is followed, clubs available to your child's age range will show and you can tick as many as you choose;
- Allocation is not on a first come first served basis to be fair to all children.

The Clubs Timetable is on the school website



Important Information

Wednesday - PE

Children must come to school in their P.E. kit.

Friday - TALK TO TEACHER at 3:15pm



LIBRARY DAY - Monday

Children must bring their reading challenge book every day.



OTHER IMPORTANT DATES –

- 25th September: Hampstead Heath Learning Centre
- Aut 2: RAF Museum: date to be confirmed

The Curriculum & How We Work

Topics

Geography: Rivers, the Water Cycle and Flooding'

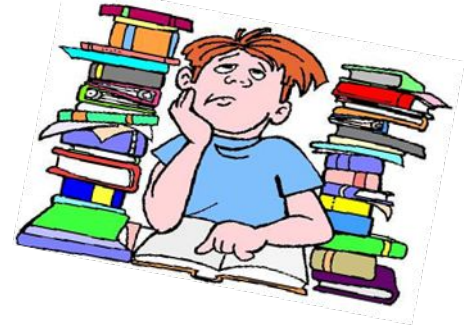
History: WW2

STEAM (DT, Art, Technology, Maths) Project - Light and Shadows

Science: Light, Electricity, Animals including Humans, Living Things and their Habitats, Evolution and Inheritance

| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|---------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| | <u>SPaG</u> | <u>Reading</u> | <u>SPaG</u> | <u>Reading</u> | <u>SPaG</u> |
| | <u>Maths</u> | <u>Maths</u> | <u>PE/Music</u> | <u>Maths</u> | <u>Maths</u> |
| 9:00 – 10:15 | | | | | |
| 10:15 – 10:35 | Assembly | | | | Assembly |
| | 10:35 – 10:50 | | PLAY | | |
| 10:55 – 12:00 | <u>English</u> | <u>English</u> | <u>PE/Music</u> | <u>English</u> | <u>English</u> |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | | Assembly | | Assembly | |
| | 12:30 – 1:30 | | LUNCH | | |
| 1:30 – 2:15 | Guided Reading | Guided Reading | <u>Maths</u> | Guided Reading- | Guided Reading |
| 2:15 – 3:25 | Topic | Topic | Guided Reading | Topic | Topic |

Home Learning

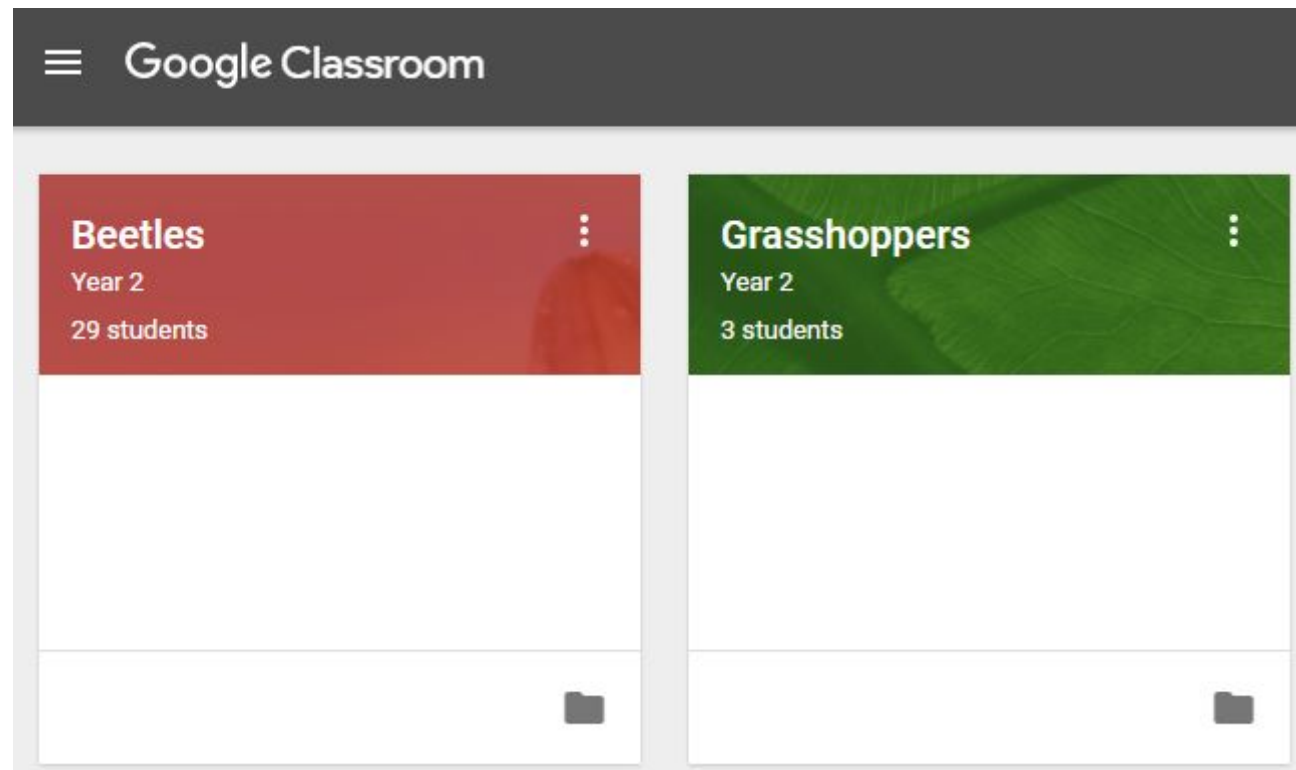
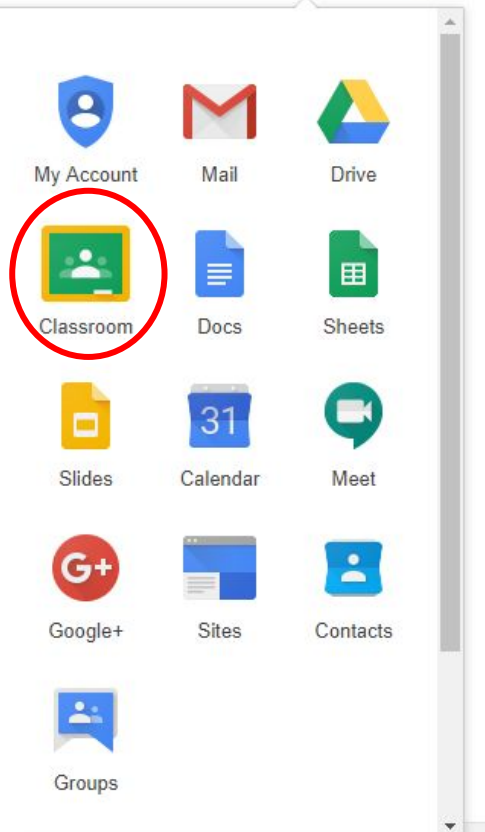


•As part of our School Improvement Plan (SIP), we will be reviewing and updating our Home Learning Policy. In the meantime, ALL CLASSES will have the same weekly home learning foci, that will be posted on Google Classroom and given out. We urge you to encourage your children to engage in these activities.

- Each week your child will receive an activity related to:
 - Spelling/Word Knowledge
 - Maths fluency
 - Reading
 - Topic

Please note, some activities might be repeated to reinforce learning or because children will take longer to grasp concepts/facts.

Log into Google with student's school username and password.



Secondary Schools

Please see this website for information about Secondary Schools open mornings / afternoons and much more:



The screenshot shows a website interface with a light blue background. On the left, there is a white box containing a menu titled 'Education'. The menu items are: 'Camden schools', 'Primary schools', 'Secondary schools', 'Pupil benefits and allowances', 'Special educational needs', 'School travel plans', and 'Schools admissions'. The 'Schools admissions' item is highlighted. To the right of the menu, the main content area is titled 'Schools admissions'. Below this title, there is a section for 'Secondary school admissions' which states that Camden's secondary schools aim to help children reach their potential. It mentions that the Council co-ordinates the transfer from primary to secondary school and provides a link to the annual guide. A list of bullet points follows, detailing the application deadline (31 October 2018), an event at Haverstock School on 20 September, open days and evenings, and a 'Meet the Parents' event.

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Schools admissions

Secondary school admissions

Camden's secondary schools aim to help your child reach their potential whatever they want to do in adult life.

The Council co-ordinates the transfer from primary to secondary school for admission to all Camden state secondary schools. Find out more about Camden secondary schools in [our annual guide](#).

- The next deadline to apply for Year 7 places will be **31 October 2018**.
- Come to our Moving On event on Thursday 20 September, from 4pm to 6:30pm, at Haverstock School, Chalk Farm, where you can meet senior staff and students from all Camden secondary schools. [Register for a free place here](#).
- You can visit Camden secondary schools on their own open days and evenings - [download the 2018 open events poster here](#).
- [Meet the Parents](#) also holds informal forums for primary parents at local schools across the borough.

Applications are due: Wednesday 31st October 2018

Please come and see SLT, Edina or any member of Yr 6 if you need any help.

There is a Meet The Parents Event on Thursday 27th September at 3:45pm in Middle Hall

SATs

Year 6 SATs: Monday 13th-Thursday 16th May 2019

- We will have another meeting closer to the time. In the meantime, just support us by making sure your child is completing home learning and The Reading Challenge.
- SATs Meeting Monday January 14th 9am and 3pm in the middle hall.





SCHOOL JOURNEY

*Osmington Bay
8th - 12th July 2019*



THE ACCOMMODATION AT OSMINGTON BAY



- Osmington Bay is in Weymouth, Dorset. The centre has its own private beach, off site water activities in Portland Bay and indoor and outdoor activities. It's an amazing centre – look at their [website](#)
- Children stay in chalets (cabins) with their own en-suite bathroom which has a shower, sink and toilet. Each room sleeps 4 children in 2 bunk beds.
- Skilled and experienced centre staff are on hand to provide full support, including during evening activities.
- It's a gated site with 24 hour security at all times- no one is allowed in the centre without permission. Children will sleep in chalets near staff from school.



ACTIVITIES

12 Activities in total and evening activities. These include:

- Off-site Dragon Boating & Keelboat Sailing (Portland)
- Giant Swing
- Trapeze
- Sensory Trail
- Beach Walk
- Abseiling
- Archery
- And many more...

TYPICAL DAY

- 7.00 - Getting Up and Breakfast
- 9.00 – First Activity
- 10.30 – Second Activity
- 12.30 – Lunch
- 1.30 – Third Activity
- 3.00 – Final Activity
- 4.30 – Free Time
- 5.30 – Dinner
- 7.00 – Evening Activity
- 8.30 – To rooms
- 9:30-10.00 – Lights Out



MEALS

The food is simply delicious! There is so much variety and the children can help themselves to as much as they want to eat!

Breakfast

A hot meal (scrambled eggs, sausages, beans etc) and as much cereal, toast, juice, milk, water as the children can eat!

Lunch

A hot lunch (pizza, chicken nuggets, burger) and as much soup, bread and salad children can eat!

Dinner

Another hot meal (lasagne, curry, rice and chilli) a pudding and as much soup, bread and salad the children can eat!

**THERE ARE VEGETARIAN AND HALAL OPTIONS AT EVERY MEAL.
CHILDREN CAN CHOOSE WHATEVER THEY WANT!**

FRUIT IS AVAILABLE AT ALL MEALS

ALL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS (gluten free, allergies, vegetarian, halal) ARE CATERED FOR. Please indicate this on your child's medical form.



PAYMENT

The school has subsidised this trip and Friends of Primrose Hill (FOPH) will be doing some fundraising this year for SJ. This means, we have been able to reduce the cost from over £400 to £325 and £250 for families eligible for FSM.

From now until we leave, there are **42 weeks**- this is around £8 per week! Please think about your payment plan.

We will send reminders throughout the year to help you.



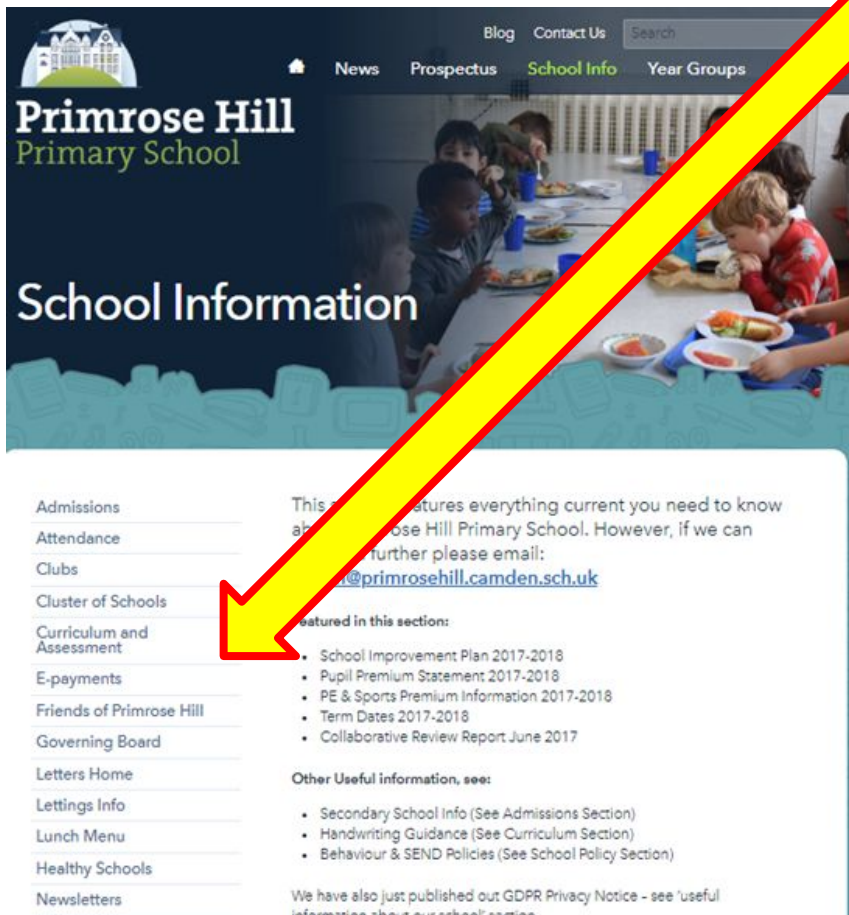
WHAT DO YOU NEED TO DO NOW?

- Complete the letter that will be sent home this afternoon, about giving permission for your child to attend.
- Pay a deposit of £50 by Wednesday 3rd October to secure your child's place.

Please come and speak to any of the Year 6 Team or SLT if you have any questions.



QUESTIONS?



- Please remember to refer to the school's website for:
 - Letters Home
 - Presentations
 - Dates on Calendar
 - Clubs Information
 - All Policies & Procedures