



PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Re: Answers to some frequently asked questions

14/7/20

Dear Parents and carers of children at Park,

As we are aware these are challenging and confusing times I have put together some FAQs and our answers:

Can I buy end of year gifts for staff?

We really appreciate the thought but we are saying that gifts are less appropriate this year due to the fact that we are limiting the passing of objects from one person to another. As the children are coming back for a few days to their old class, perhaps consider it then but if your child is desperate to give something now, perhaps a voucher may be an appropriate gesture this year (I apologise if this appears either presumptuous or rude).

How do I find out who my child's teacher is for the 20–21 academic year?

The letter shared on 13/7/20 relating to your child's annual report contained a school map with all the information you should need relating to new classes. Please look for your child's current class name and see where they have moved to.

Are all children returning in September?

Yes but we are phasing the return to limit numbers whilst we work with you all to allay anxiety and manage risk to the best of our ability. If your child's surname is in the first half of the alphabet then they should attend on Monday and Tuesday (eg Critchley). If your child's surname is in the second half of the alphabet (eg Ttoffali) then they should attend on Wednesday and Thursday. **Please see the table below for more details.** Please email for clarification if you are confused: info@park.newham.sch.uk

If I work can my child/ children return for 4 days per week in the first two weeks?

Yes, we are trying to limit the numbers so that any anxious children are eased back into school. If you need for your child to attend school 4 days per week from the 7/9 you simply need to let us know. Email the school and we will record your needs. info@park.newham.sch.uk FAO Zakiya Sharif

What happens if there is a change in the local circumstance in the summer?

All new information will be on the website and if there is any change to the shared plans, the website will state the change. You will also be able to find the Park's full Return to School Risk Assessment on the website too.

How will I know what to do when we return? Please attend the Zoom meetings that you have been invited to.

Additionally, Mrs Ttoffali will write to all parents on 4/9/20 with some information about the return to school. Look out for an important Dojo message on that day. This will include: the times of the day; a reminder of the surname boundaries for the two days; some dos and don'ts for your return and an expectation list.

We hope this helps but if you have questions, any questions at all, please email your question to

info@park.newham.sch.uk to ask. If we cannot answer the question immediately we will get back to you asap. Our aim is that the thought of the return to school is not something that causes stress, concern or anxiety during the holiday period; everybody needs a break to recharge their batteries so that in September we can start all over again feeling well and raring to go.

Yours respectfully, Mrs Ttoffali

As suggested above, this chart states the days and dates that your child should attend school. We have organised this by surname/ family name.

Please do email if you have any questions or would just like classification

2019/20 Class	Monday (7th and 14th) and Tuesday 8th and 15th) Group 1 (as per letter on 9/7/20)	Wednesday (9th and 16th) and Thursday (10th and 17th) Group 2 (as per letter on 9/7/20)
Columbus	A-K	L-Z
Cook	A-K	L-Z
Da Gama	A-M	N-Z
Aldrin	A-H	I-Z
Attenborough	A-H	I-Z
Marco Polo	A-H	I-Z
Einstein	A-G	H-Z
Marie Curie	A-K	L-Z
Pasteur	A-K	L-Z
Da Vinci	A-G	H-Z
Edison	A-G	H-Z
Galileo	A-H	I-Z
Brunel	A-M	N-Z
Berners Lee	A-I	J-Z
Hawking	A-M	N-Z
Gandhi	A-G	H-Z
Helen Keller	A-G	H-Z
Rosa Parks	A-G	H-Z