

PARK NEWSLETTER



*Ensuring every individual achieves their best through high expectations for all;
with a focus on confidence, creativity, care and aspiration.*

23rd July 2021

Need to Know

Mrs Ttoffali's Weekly Update

Dear all,
Firstly, apologies for the delay in the Newsletter. The end of term challenge was made more difficult than ever before this year due to the fact that my mum (who I was the nominated carer for) passed away on Monday 19th July and I was therefore in a very emotional state on the last few days of term. Thank you to those of you who sent me your blessings and supported me in order that I could get through the week. My grieving process will start now as I can completely focus on what I have lost, whilst also being truly grateful for what I was blessed to have.



Thank you too for your amazingly kind words last week relating to what has been achieved in the academic year 20-21. If you have not done so already, please read my [End of Year Reflection](#). We are truly proud of what has been accomplished but, as stated, we are most proud of the community which has been further strengthened. We have been in this together from the beginning of the pandemic; your support and gratitude has kept us going and has allowed us to draw continued strength at times when it was really tough. Thank you all.

In the Summer Term, there is an air of sadness as we say goodbye to some staff and the Y6 children. This year we are also saying a fond farewell to some families who are moving out of the area. We are so proud of everyone in our community but it would be wrong not to especially mention here, those who are leaving us this term. Whether adult or young person we wish you well in all you do and we hope that Park has contributed well to your life's journey. Our leavers depart ready to take on the next stage of their learning, careers and life and they do so, equipped with the confidence and kindness to tackle the challenges along the way. We thank you for all that you have given us and we hope that the Park experience has been fun.

All that needs to be said now is: 'happy holidays'. Please allow yourselves some fun family time but stay

safe. Take care and here's hoping that next year we can continue to move onwards and upwards.
Warmest regards, Natasha Ttoffali

Dates for the Diary

[2021-2022 School Calendar](#)

September

Monday 6th September - children return to school



Curriculum Area

Morrisons Donation



We'd like to say a big thank you to Lutfa Begum, Morrisons Community Champion, for her kind generosity on behalf of Morrisons, Stratford in providing every child with an end of term treat in the form of a carton of fruit juice. In this hot weather, we know that the children appreciated their refreshment - thank you. We'd also like to take this opportunity to thank Lutfa and Morrisons for their support over the year.

House Points

At Park we use a House Points system in which every child belongs to one of the four houses: Birch, Maple, Oak and Sycamore. House Points are awarded for children who demonstrate the school values. 5 HPs are awarded where significant examples of confidence, creativity, care and aspiration are exemplified. Below is the total of the House Points collected this year.

Well done to **Birch**! You are our house winners this year!

<p>Birch</p> <p>11,989 </p>	<p>Sycamore</p> <p>11,520 </p>
<p>Maple</p> <p>10,655 </p>	<p>Oak</p> <p>11,670 </p>

This week...

Thanks to get you Thinking!



KS1 Think

Think about this... Week 7

If pigs are what wolves eat, is the Big Bad Wolf bad?



Agree



Build



Challenge



Sentence starters:
 I think...
 I believe...
 I feel that...
 I would rather...

KS2 Think

Think about this... Week 7

If you made the cake should you get the biggest slice?



Agree



Build



Challenge



Sentence starters:
 In my opinion...because
 I believe that...because
 On the other hand...
 However...

Thought for the Week

