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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back for the Summer Term.

The recent warm weather has made us all feel that it really IS the Summer Term! Do remember on these warmer days that your child/ren need: a water bottle; a sun hat and sunscreen (preferably applied before school please!)

Staffing Update

Coren left us on Friday of last week in order to begin her maternity leave. I will let you know when there is further news of Baby Peacock. Please join me in welcoming Ezra Burke who joins us for the summer term. Ezra comes to us from Toronto where he is studying for a Masters in choral conducting. He was previously music teacher at another Camden school before studying in Canada.

Play Street

This term we will not be holding class teas (while we work with Camden on making these a little healthier—we will relaunch them in September!) but we will be asking classes to host a Play Street instead. This will require parents or carers to set up and staff the barriers at the end of the Play Street and to tidy away the equipment afterwards. The children love playing outside in Islip Street and parents and carers can gather, chat and join in!

Camden Swim Gala

Last Friday Chloe took a group of keen swimmers to the Gala held at Swiss Cottage Leisure Centre. The boys won a huge shield for being the fastest group overall and the whole team won the runners up trophy. Excitingly, Chloe has told me that when all scores were considered—we won overall!

Diary Dates

Knowing how busy this summer can get for parents and carers I wanted to flag up the following with you all:

Thursday May 3rd—school closed for use as a Polling Station

Monday May 7th—May Bank Holiday

Week Commencing Monday May 14th—Y6 SATs

Friday May 18th —Big Wheel French Theatre Company

Thursday May 24th—Chestnut Class to Paris for the day

Friday May 25th —Kentish Town's Got Talent

Wednesday 6th June—Sports Day

With best wishes,

James Humphries
Headteacher

Acorn Class

In Acorn class we have been thinking about our schools christian value of love. We have read lots of stories and talked about what we think it means to love someone. We have also been planning our new role- play area and as we had so much fun running a coffee shop last half term the hot weather has inspired us to try a smoothie shop! we are re-searching lots of different fruits and recipes to find out how we can make our own smoothies.



Oak Class

Oak Class have been enjoying learning in the open air this week. We have been planting, counting and sharing beans for our Jack and the Beanstalk topic and discussing what tasty fruit and vegetables to plant in our new growing bed. We have also been thinking about the Christian value of love and learning to embroider for our Hall Art.



Willow Class

Willow Class have been learning about sustainability and thinking about our hopes for the future, both personal hopes and hopes for the world. They have been writing holiday news based on their imaginations and using the 100 square to problem solve.



Ash Class

Ash Class have had a great first week back to school. We have been exploring the new plants in the school garden and enjoying the much needed sunshine! As we now have our own vegetable patch, we have been discussing and writing about which delicious fruit and vegetables we would like to grow.



Cedar Class

Cedar has jumped back into their learning at the beginning of this term. We have received a mysterious parcel from Terry Toucan which contained lots of delicious fruit. From this we figured out our new topic was The Rainforest! We have also been thinking about the Christian value of Hope and practising our watercolour and pattern skills for a birdy hall art!



Chestnut Class

Chestnut Class have been learning about all about architecture. We were able to meet a team of architects who have designed some of the amazing buildings we see in London. We are all looking forward to working with them to create our own designs and models.

Alongside this, we have also been learning about fairness and equality. We are excited to create a piece of artwork that will illustrate our hope for a more fair and equal world



Sycamore Class

Sycamore Class has had an exciting start to the term beginning a new dance project in which we're working with an outside company on Indian dancing - classic and Bollywood. We've also been thinking about the school's Christian value of equality and practising drawing figures with the correct proportions in preparation for our Hall Art.



Beech Class

Year 6 have enjoyed exploring the Christian value of equality and how this can be seen in the work by artist Keith Haring. They are also busy preparing for their SATs tests which are coming up very soon!





Happy Birthday to all those children
who have a birthday in April.

Sarah

Max

Casey-Mae

Jenna

Alexander

Darcey

Demi

Yusuf

Bertie

Florence

Etienne

Elion

Isabelle

Maddox

Jannat

Ayan

Azariah

Alice

Catherine

Jamie

Eshan

Frankie

Cameron

Finlay

Isra

MORGANS STATIONERS

Morgans Stationers on Kentish Town Road supply us with some of our stationery and they have launched a special offer of 20% off for all parents, children and staff of Kentish Town CE Primary School until the end of May.

GRANDMA MARION

Are you fed up with losing your children's clothes in school?

Are you fed up sewing in labels?

If so, please visit www.labelcreating.co.uk and see if Grandma Marion can make your life easier by selling you iron on labels and shoe stickers.

CAMDEN HARMONY SINGERS

SUMMER TERM BEGINS
Wednesday 25th April

Songs from around the world to
uplift your heart and feed your soul.

No experience necessary
Everything taught by ear
Everyone is welcome.

£5 taster on first 2 sessions of term

Wednesdays 6:30-8:30pm

@ Eleanor Palmer Primary School, Lupton St,
London, NW5 2JA

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