



29th March 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Spring Term ends on Thursday April 1st. The school day will end at the regular time. All pupils return on Tuesday April 20th. I hope you have a good break.

Food and fun holiday programme 2021

Southwark Council will host Food and Fun holiday programmes during the three main school holidays. The programme is funded by the Department for Education and aims to support local families access free, healthy food and fun activities over school holidays.

This Easter, Southwark council will partner with local holiday hubs across Southwark to provide an exciting programme of food and activities for children and young people aged between 5 and 16. Find out more on the Easter programme website, where you can locate and sign up to the nearest hub <https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/health-advice-and-support/healthy-eating?chapter=8>

Each programme will provide: free, nutritious and tasty food, fun physical activity sessions, a wide range of other enriching activities to suit different ages and personalities, opportunities to learn more about food and nutrition for children and their families

School Safety

Thank you for working with us to keep everyone safe and healthy. It is important to continue to work together as restrictions start to lift.

Staff will continue with twice weekly home testing over the holidays and through the summer term. It is likely this way of working will need to continue long term in schools. Thank you to families in KS3 who are supporting pupils with home testing. This really helps with the safe running of the school so do speak with me or Rian if you need more help.

Safe distancing will also continue long term. Please remember to keep two metre distances when bringing and collecting your child at the start and end of the day. All families need to use the playground space safely and there is plenty of room for you all.

Our school is on a very busy road. We have clear procedures in place to make sure arrival and departure is managed safely. All families need to bring their son or daughter into / from the playground area at drop off and collection times. We need to make sure the playground gate and main gate to Southampton Way are not open at the same time please. And thank you again for keeping your safe distances as you arrive and leave.

We are hoping for warm weather soon! We will encourage all pupils to stay hydrated and protected in any sunshine we have. All pupils will be provided with a school water bottle and a school cap. We will keep the bottles in school for daily cleaning and the caps will be coming home this week.

Learning Update

Pupils will be bringing their Spring 2 Personal Learning Plans home on Thursday. These show key targets achieved during the current half term. Each pupil will also bring of photo of a Learning Highlight to share. Do speak with me, Rian or Tennille if you have any questions.

Best wishes

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steph Lea". The letters are cursive and slightly slanted to the right.

Steph Lea
Headteacher