

Valley Primary School

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Dear Parents,

A warm welcome back to the Spring Term and I hope you all had an enjoyable Christmas break.

Congratulations to pupils in Mercury House for being recognised with the tokens last half-term. Pupils in this house team are welcome to come to school in their own clothes this **Friday, 7th January**.

The term dates for the next academic year have now been published and a copy of these are to be found at the end of this letter. From Monday 10th January, the dates will also be available on the school website under the Parents Tab.

As many of you will already be aware, the Queen celebrates her Platinum Jubilee this year and an additional Bank Holiday has been announced to mark this occasion. Valley Primary School will be closed to pupils on **Monday 6th June** for this additional Bank Holiday (please note this is the first Monday after the May half-term break). The school will reopen to pupils after the May half-term on **Tuesday 7th June**.

Parents are kindly reminded of the requirement to inform the school of the reason for a child's absence on each day of absence. Telephone calls or emails to the admin email address: admin@valley.bromley.sch.uk should be made by 9.30am at the latest in order for the correct information to be recorded on the registers.

Finally, in relation to Coronavirus, the school, in consultation with Connect Schools Academy Trust, regular reviews the COVID-19 measures in place across the school and the latest version of the school-specific risk assessment is available to view on the website under the Parents / COVID-19 tabs. Additionally, Head Teachers have been invited to attend weekly, virtual meetings with Bromley's Health Protection Team throughout this half-term as, together, we monitor infection rates locally. Following my meeting on Thursday 6th January, further updates and amendments to the current risk assessment will be made and uploaded to the school website early next week.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. S Jackson
Head Teacher

TERM DATES ACADEMIC YEAR 2022-23

AUTUMN TERM

First day of Term: Thursday 1st September 2022
Last day of Term: Wednesday 21st December 2022

October half-term holiday: Monday 17th October – Friday 28th October 2022

INSET Days: Tuesday 30th & Wednesday 31st August 2022

SPRING TERM

First day of Term: Wednesday 4th January 2023
Last day of Term: Friday 31st March 2023

February half-term holiday: Monday 13th February – Friday 17th February 2023

INSET Days: Tuesday 3rd January 2023

SUMMER TERM

First day of Term: Monday 17th April 2023
Last day of Term: Friday 21st July 2023

May half-term holiday: Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June 2023

INSET Days: Thursday 25th May & Friday 26th May 2023