



Everyone has done incredibly well getting back to school this week! Attendance has been really high this and we think the children have loved being back as much as we've loved having them.

A few reminders for everyone:

The gates are open in the morning from 9:00 - 9:15am for everyone, please try to drop off your children on time.

Please remember to wear a face covering and to keep a safe distance from other parents when picking up your children and to collect them on time, the gate times for each year group can be found on the next page.

Breakfast club starts at 8am. Children will not be able to wait in the reception foyer before this time.



We want to stay connected! You can go to our Twitter for more updates here:

[@stebon_primary](#) or https://twitter.com/stebon_primary.

A Tower Hamlets helpline to support those who are eligible for the vaccine

There is a helpline available to support those who are eligible for the vaccine. Benefits of the helpline include speaking community languages; supporting those who are digitally excluded; tackling vaccine hesitancy and booking appointments directly with GPs.

Whilst not every young person is eligible for a vaccine right now, there will be conversations going on in households across the borough with parents/grandparents, and others, who are currently eligible, or will be soon. So you can get support by calling **020 7364 3030**.



Term Dates 2020-2021

School open: Monday 2 November – Thursday 17 December 2020

INSET (school closed): Friday 4 December 2020

INSET (school closed): Friday 18 December 2020

Christmas Holiday: Monday 21 December – Friday 1 January 2021

School open: Monday 4 January – Friday 12 February 2021

Half term: Monday 15 February – Friday 19 February 2021

School open: Monday 22 February – Friday 26 March 2021

INSET (school closed): Monday 1 March 2021

Spring Holiday: Monday 29 March – Friday 9 April 2021

INSET (school closed): Monday 12 April 2021

School open: Monday 12 April – Friday 28 May 2021

May Bank Holiday: Monday 3 May 2021

Polling Day (school closed): Thursday 6 May 2021

Half term: Monday 31 May – Friday 4 June 2021

School open: Monday 7 June – Friday 16 July 2021

The school will be closed on Eid celebration days:

Eid-ul-Fitr: TBC 12 May or 13 May 2021

Eid-ul-Adha: Monday 19 July and Tuesday 20 July 2021

Entrance & Exit Times

Please ensure your children are through the allocated gate in time

Nursery: nursery gate between 9:00—9:15 am & 3:00—3:15 pm

Reception: fire engine entrance between 9:00—9:15 am & 3:00—3:15 pm

Year 1: pupil entrance between 9:00—9:15 am & 3:00—3:15 pm

Year 2: main entrance between 9:00—9:15 am & 3:00—3:15 pm

Year 3: fire engine entrance between 9:00—9:15 am & 3:15—3:30 pm

Year 4: car park entrance between 9:00—9:15 am & 3:15—3:30 pm

Year 5: pupil entrance between 9:00—9:15 am & 3:15—3:30 pm

Year 6: main entrance between 9:00—9:30 am & 3:15—3:30 pm

(For the gates that have more than one year group, both will come in at the same time, one on each side of the entrance.)

Coffee Mornings - Every Thursdays

Please join our virtual (Zoom) Coffee morning on **Thursdays at 10am.**

It's a great opportunity to see each other and catch up with what is happening around our local community.

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://letta-org-uk.zoom.us/j/83969489106?pwd=MDIzUGNsWlVxajFsOGhpS24veDNIUT09>

Meeting ID: 839 6948 9106 **Passcode:** 075628

If you need any support with joining the virtual Coffee morning please contact Kulsuma via the school office.





Comic Relief - Friday 19 March



On Friday 19th March it will be Comic Relief. The pandemic has had a devastating impact on us all, especially the communities and people helped by Comic Relief funding.

If we have learnt one thing this year it's that life is unpredictable but one thing we can rely on is the power of love and laughter; it can change things, connect us and be the difference.

So this year we would like the children, teachers and parents to **show us your superpowers and dress as a superhero on Friday 19th March** for comic relief, any donation big and small is welcome and there will be donation buckets on all of the entrances both in the morning and afternoon.

We hope you and the children enjoy the day, smile, laugh and know when you raise money for Comic Relief you're part of something bigger, you're making the world a better place.
That's a real superpower!

If you prefer cashless payments you can pay via Parent Pay here:

<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=3216>

National Science Day - Friday 12th March

Today is National Science Day and this week is British Science week. The children had a great chance this afternoon to explore new ideas and get engaged with science! They had assemblies, activities and there is also a poster competition.

Watch this space for some wonderful inventions and posters!



Tower Hamlets Annual Parent Conference 2021

Families Matter: The Road Ahead

Tuesday 16, Wednesday 17 and Thursday 18 March 2021

Join us for the first virtual parent conference.

With keynote speakers and a range of webinars delivered over 3 days.
Morning, afternoon and evening to fit in with busy family life!



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ANNUAL PARENT
CONFERENCE 2021**

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FREE online conference planned with parents for parents.

Times vary by date - register first to be sent details later.

https://www.localoffertowerhamlets.co.uk/blog_articles/3015-tower-hamlets-annual-parent-conference

As the government announces its 'roadmap' to cautiously ease lockdown restrictions in the months ahead, the Parent and Family Support Service welcomes parents, carers and guardians to join the first virtual conference with keynote speakers, webinars and workshops taking place over three days to fit in with busy family life.

Key note speakers include:

- Tracy Smith, Executive Director, Tower Hamlets Education Partnership
- James Thomas, Corporate Director for Children and Culture
- Cllr. Asma Begum, Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Children, Youth Services and Education

Join us for webinars and workshops on a range of topics including supporting parents' and children's mental health, resilient parenting, education, financial wellbeing, a daily SEND Q&A and much more.

Zoom invites for the opening and keynote speaker sessions each day, plus any chosen webinars, will be emailed to registered participants in advance.

Prize draw: Each participant of a webinar/workshop will be entered into a prize draw to win family tickets from our conference partners, including Rich Mix, Half Moon Young People's Theatre and Discover Children's Story Centre.

Booking information for the three days can be found on the Eventbrite links below.

DAY ONE: [Tue 16 Mar: Back to School and Building Resilient Learners](#)

DAY TWO: [Wed 17 Mar: Building Resilient and Healthy Families](#)

DAY THREE: [Thu 18 March: Building Resilient Communities and a Strong Parent Voice](#)

For more information email the [Parent and Family Support Service](#).



SPROUT & CARROT SLAW RECIPE



So quick and easy to make. Great as a salad or add to sandwiches with grated hard, or spreadable soft, cheese.

Serves: 2

Utensils Required: grater, bowl, spoon

Difficulty Rating: x

Prep Time: 10 minutes

Cooking Method: n/a

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INGREDIENTS

- 100g Brussel sprouts
- 100g carrots
- 2 tablespoons yoghurt
- 1 tablespoons vinegar
or 1 lemon juiced
- salt and pepper



METHOD

1. Grate the carrots and Brussel sprouts into a bowl.
2. Add the yogurt, vinegar or lemon juice and seasoning and mix well until evenly blended.

UTENSILS



IMAGE DIRECTIONS



TIPS

Store in an airtight container in the fridge for up to 4 days.