

Dear year 6,

The English teachers at Haggerston are very excited to meet you all in the new academic year. We hope that over the past couple of months you have had lots of time to read books by your favourite authors and practise your creative writing.

You should be able to see a video called 'A typical English lesson at Haggerston.' As you aren't able to visit just yet, we wanted you to sample what you can expect from your learning in September. You can, if you wish, pause the video and complete the tasks as if you are in the classroom or you can just watch, listen and familiarise yourself with secondary school English.

We would like you to complete one piece of work before you begin in September so we have the opportunity to get to know a bit more about you. Below are three different tasks, **choose one** you would like to complete. You can either type your work or take a picture of a piece of hand written work. Once the task is complete, submit it to heather.jones@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk .

Best wishes,

The English Faculty

Choose **ONE** task from below

<p>1.</p> 	<p>Write a story about time travel (this task is in the recorded lesson-please watch)</p> <p>Your task is to plan and write a short story about time travel. This could be any point in history or time for example, you could be in Ancient Egypt, aboard the Titanic or even in the Royal court of Henry VIII.</p>
<p>2.</p> 	<p>Write a formal letter to the English teachers at Haggerston informing us about:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. What excites you about starting at Haggerston2. What you enjoyed most in your English/Literacy lessons in Primary school3. What kind of books you enjoy and why4. What your favourite book of all time is and why
<p>3.</p> 	<p>Time Capsule Challenge</p> <p>Create a time capsule not to be opened until 2070 called “Things about me in 2020.”</p> <p>The capsule should contain 5-7 items. You must explain what the items represent about you or your life in 2020.</p> <p>You can either create a physical capsule and take a photo <u>or</u> hand draw your capsule.</p> <p>The more creative the better!</p>