

# Haggerston School

## Weekly Bulletin

Haggerston School

Dear Parents and carers

We are looking forward to welcoming some Year 10 and Year 12 students into school from next week onwards.

In the meantime, we will continue to provide first class, quality education to all students who are working from home.

We are now starting to turn our attention to planning for September and await further guidance from the government regarding wider return. We will, of course, continue to communicate our plans as we look ahead to the beginning of the new academic year.

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to the time when we can welcome all year groups back to school.

Have a lovely weekend  
Ms Emmerson  
Headteacher

### **Coronavirus – Advice for Schools and Parents/Guardians**

Please follow this link to our website page to view advice and updates:

<https://haggerston.hackney.sch.uk/parents/carers/coronavirus-advice-and-guidance/>

For our latest news and stories, please follow us on:

 <https://www.facebook.com/HaggerstonSchoolHackney/>

 <https://twitter.com/haggerstonsch>



### Coming soon

*Haggerston Voices 2020: A celebration of creative writing and powerful perspectives.*

*From re-imagining Greek mythology to grappling with some of the most pressing social issues of our time, this collection of writing and oracy will recognise and promote the diverse voices and perspectives of Haggerston students.*

## Well-being and Mental Health Services in your school



[Please click here to view the full flyer](#)

**Parent anxiety around the return to school:**  
Temi Olayinka, our school's Education Mental Health Practitioner, will be recording a video on parents' and carers' anxieties about the return of pupils to school to share with you soon.

If you are feeling worried, nervous or anxious and would like to submit a question, concern or comment on this topic, please email Temi at [temi.olayinka@nhs.net](mailto:temi.olayinka@nhs.net) writing Haggerston in the subject line by Tuesday 16th June. Temi will aim to address them in her video, but will not share any names. Once recorded we will share the video link with you.

# WHY CAN MORE CHILDREN GO TO SCHOOL?

It is good for children's mental wellbeing. School is the best place for them to learn. It is good for children to socialise with other children.

## WHAT HAS CHANGED?

From the 15th of June, we will welcome back more students from Year 10 and 12. School will still be open for children of key workers and vulnerable children.

### HOW ARE YOU MAKING SURE THE SCHOOL IS SAFE?

- We will check for risks before admitting more students.
- Everyone will wash their hands regularly.
- If a child or family member is sick they cannot come to school.
- There will be less children in a room together.
- School will be cleaned regularly.
- We will slightly alter timings to break and lunch.

### WILL MY CHILD BE TESTED?

Yes, if your child shows symptoms of Coronavirus, they will be eligible for testing.

### WHAT IF THERE IS A CASE OF CORONAVIRUS IN SCHOOL?

- The person with symptoms must self isolate for 7 days.
- The people they live with must self isolate for 14 days.
- If anyone at school tests positive, the group they were with must self isolate for 14 days.

### WHAT ABOUT THEIR BROTHERS AND SISTERS?

- Students in Years 7-11 need to stay at home, unless invited in.
- All students should continue to complete work on DPR and attend their live lessons.

### DOES MY CHILD HAVE TO COME TO SCHOOL?

- If your child is well and has been asked to return, they should attend school.
- There will be no fees if your child does not attend school.

### WHAT ELSE MIGHT CHANGE?

We will keep you posted with the latest updates from the government and how this affects your child.

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## Key Notices

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## Term Dates for Academic Year 2020-2021

### AUTUMN TERM

START	HALF TERM	FINISH
Mon 07 September 2020 (Years 7 and 12 only)	Monday 26 – Friday 30 October 2020	Friday 18 December 2020 Early Closure 12.45pm
Tues 08 September 2020 (All students)		
<b>INSET DAYS:</b> Thursday 03 September 2020 Friday 04 September 2020 Monday 07 December 2020		

### SPRING TERM

START	HALF TERM	FINISH
Tuesday 05 January 2021	Monday 15 – Friday 19 February 2021	Thursday 01 April 2021
<b>INSET DAY:</b> Monday 04 January 2021 Monday 22 March 2021		

### SUMMER TERM

START	HALF TERM	FINISH
Monday 19 April 2021	Monday 31 May – Friday 04 June 2021	Friday 23 July 2021 Early Closure 12.45pm

### Save the Date Events 2020-2021

#### INFORMATION EVENING DATES

<b>Year 10 and 11</b>	
07 September 2020	
<b>Year 8 and 9</b>	
17 September 2020	
<b>Year 7</b>	<b>Year 12 &amp; 13</b>
22 September 2020	N/A

#### PARENTS' EVENING DATES

<b>Year 7</b>	<b>Year 8</b>
23 March 2021	27 April 2021
<b>Year 9 + Options Evening</b>	<b>Year 10</b>
23 February 2021	04 May 2021
<b>Year 11</b>	<b>Year 12 &amp; Year 13</b>
12 January 2021	26 January 2021

#### OTHER USEFUL DIARY DATES (BANK HOLIDAYS & PUBLIC HOLIDAYS)

<b>26 December 2020</b>	<b>01 January 2021</b>	<b>02 April 2021</b>	<b>04 April 2021</b>
Boxing Day	New Year's Day	Good Friday	Easter Sunday

<b>05 April 2021</b>	<b>03 May 2021</b>	<b>31 May 2021</b>	<b>30 August 2021</b>
Easter Monday Bank Holiday	May Bank Holiday	Spring Bank Holiday	Summer Bank Holiday

Regular communication with parents/carers is important to us at Haggerston School. It is vital that the school office holds updated and current contact information in order that you can receive important messages from school or in case of a medical and/or emergency situation.

*Please contact the school office to update or confirm that your contact information is correct.*

**P: 020 7739 7324**

**E: [haggerstonschool@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:haggerstonschool@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk)**

### SUMMER TERM

START	HALF TERM	FINISH
Monday 20 April 2020	Monday 25 – Friday 29 May 2020	Friday 17 July 2020 Early Closure 12.45pm