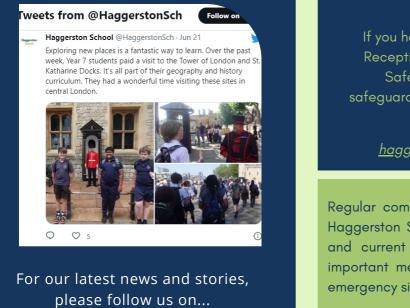
## **Haggerston School**

### FRIDAY 30 JUNE 2023

# PARENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

Weekly news from the Haggerston School Community



### Safeguarding

If you have a safeguarding concern please call the school Reception in the first instance and ask for the Designated Safeguarding Lead, Jack Truan or a member of the safeguarding team. If it is out of school hours please contact the safeguarding email address

haggerstonsafeguarding@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk

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 verify your contact details P: 020 7739 7324 E: <u>haggerstonschool@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk</u>

# SPORTS FIXTURES & Results

Date	Team	Result
26.06.23	Q&A session with Chelsea and Scottish football player Erin Cuthbert	-

Kiyah-Starr scored 5 goals and was awarded player of the day for her fantastic link up play and excellent left footed shots. Kiyah was also presented with a pair of new Adidas football boots by Chelsea player Erin Cuthbert who commented on what a great player she is!



## STUDENT OF THE WEEK

## FOOD: SAM CLAISSE YEAR 8

FOR BEING FANTASTIC EVERY WEEK IN COOKING AND NUTRITION. HE SHOWS INDEPENDENT SKILL AND KNOWLEDGE IN BOTH THEORY AND PRACTICAL LESSONS AND IS ALWAYS KEEN TO HELP AROUND THE KITCHEN WITHOUT HAVING TO BE ASKED. HE HAS THE MAKINGS OF A VERY GOOD CHEF! WELL DONE!



## MATHS: FIONE ZIESCHE Pacarada, year 10

For always putting in 100% of effort into all lessons, and Maths homework. Your book is exceptionally neat and always a pleasure to mark!

## MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

#### Ms Emmerson

#### Dear Parents/Carers,

This week, I would like to acknowledge the hard work of all students throughout the exam season but particularly our Year 10 students. At the beginning of the year, we had some concerns about the general level of motivation and engagement of this year group. As the year has progressed, there has been a notable change in attitude and we have been very proud of the maturity and resilience they have shown over the past few weeks of the mock exam period. Invigilators have praised their conduct; teachers have been impressed by their diligence and independence. On Wednesday, which will be a strike day for most of the school, we will be inviting some parents to meet with members of the leadership team to look at ways to support their progress as they embark on Year 11. We will hold more of these meetings in September, and throughout next term, so that we really understand the needs of individual students.

When I arrived at school this morning, I was greeted with an email from a parent of a child in another local school. She wanted to thank the seven Year 10 Haggerston students who had spotted that her 11 year old daughter was being followed and bullied by another group of pupils. They had intervened, escorted her daughter to the bus stop and stayed with her until she boarded the bus. It made me so proud to hear of such kindness on the part of our Year 10 students. Not all of the reports I have from members of the public are so positive but this one really demonstrated the character and values of Haggerston students.

We celebrated our outgoing Year 11 cohort this week at a fantastic prom and I was reminded how quickly the years had flown by. Ms Yiminyi and Ms Khan worked incredibly hard to put together a wonderful event and students had a great time. In a blink of an eye, we will have a new Year 11 cohort and our current Year 10s are shaping up to be every bit as successful and accomplished as their predecessors.

Have a lovely weekend

Ms Emmerson, Headteacher

## MESSAGE FROM OUR SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGER

#### Mr Avramidis

#### Dear Parents/ Carers,

We are excited to announce that during the summer break we will be upgrading our classroom lights to LED. LED lighting has a longer lifespan, it creates energy efficiency and improved environmental performance, and there are no heat or UV emissions. As usual, we will continue with our statutory compliance checks and risk assessments. We will also have some tree surgeons looking after the trees and ensuring that they comply with Health & Safety requirements.

Also during the summer break, we will upgrade many of our classroom projectors, computers and visualizers with new ones. This is all part of our ongoing work to maintain the high quality environment and resources for our students.

Kind regards, Mr Avramidis, School Business Leader



THIS WEEK'S TOP FORM!

YEAR 7G YEAR 8B YEAR 9B YEAR 10G YEAR 11 YEAR 12B YEAR 13 96.5% 91.2% 89.6% 88.3% LEAVERS 84.4% LEAVERS



# WHERE WILL YOU BE?

If last year, a child had 99-100% attendance, the average grade achieved across all GCSEs was a grade 7. This does not mean a child is guaranteed to achieve grade 7s or better with 99-100% attendance but it does mean they give themselves the best chance to do this. This child is much likely to score top grades than someone who is only in for 94 % of the school year.

Attendance %	Average Grade at GCSE
99-100	7
97 – 99	6
95 - 97	5
93 - 95	4
90 - 93	3
Under 90	3-

100% 97% 92%

## **HIGH ATTENDERS, HIGH ACHIEVERS**

# **Key Notices**

## SETTING UP FOR SUCCESS WEBINAR WITH FLEVATE EDUCATION

## TUESDAY 11TH JULY 2023 @ 6PM

Reserve your seat by registering here

You will learn:

#### Effective Note Taking Deliberate Practice and Implementing a System of Review Extra Reading, and How to Read Around a Topic

### Tassomai is designed to motivate and reward learners with their Science Homework and Revision.

Tassomai makes it easier to learn and revise, at home, at school or on the move via the app. The algorithm prioritises the right topics and ensures everything gets the attention it needs. The Tree grows over time, and can be used to identify topics they are strongest in, and those that need more work. Ask them to show you their Tree!

Tassomai are offering free Live Lessons to bridge the gap between KS3 and KS4 and focus on some essential topics that learners might need to recap. "Intro to KS4" sessions are presented by teachers that use Tassomai in their schools. Students can register for free to join the live sessions which will be about 45 minutes in length with 3 key focuses for each lesson. Recordings will be available afterwards on the Live Lessons page.

Safety

Wednesday 5th July, 5pm: An introduction to KS4 Biology, Chemistry and Physics

Tassomai Live Lesson Link!. Please register your child today and mark the date in your Calendar.

Thank you, Mr Nicholson, Teacher of Science

### Year 13 Graduation and Prom 4th July

We are looking forward to the Year 13 Graduation ceremony and prom which is being held on the 4th July. Parents are invited to celebrate Year 13 graduation in school with their child and ticket information will be sent to you. The Prom is being held at Clissold Park House from 6-10pm and we will be going via coach to the venue.





The school's Parent and Teaching Association (PTA) has been doing a lot of fundraising activities during this academic vear. PTA members have managed to raise an incredible £1.200 for the school!

The amount will go towards the costs of a freestanding water fountain in the Year 7 Playground.

We are very thankful to all of the PTA members and appreciate all of their hard work!

For more information on how you can support Haggerston's PTA, please contact PTAHaggerston@gmail.com



## Upcoming Events: week beginning 03 July (Week 1)

Assembly Theme: How c	an I get involved w	vith plastic free July?
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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Y12 Art Exam	Year 13 Graduation & Prom	Industrial Strike Action Year 10 and 12 students	Sports Day	Industrial Strike Action School Closed to all
Y10 Drama Exam	Y12 Art Exam	will attend for exams only & School is closed to	Y10 Work Placements	
		Years 7 - 9	Y6 Transition Day	
	Y10 Drama Exam	Y12 Art Exam	KS3 Sparx Maths Club in	
	KS3 Sparx Maths Club in		B217 3.30pm - 4.30pm.	
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#### Lost property

**Music Lessons** 

further information.

Dear Parents/Carers.

If your child has lost something during the school day,

please ask them to visit student services where lost

property is kept. Student services have a large number of misplaced school coats and PE kits. Please remember to label any belongings so they can quickly

Individual and paired music lessons start next week. If

your child is taking these you should have received an

email with a timetable of your child's lessons and

If your child is interested in taking individual/ paired

music lessons at school in the future, please get them

to fill in the Music Survey form on the DPR.

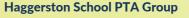
Thank you, Mr Gregory, Head of Music

and easily be returned to their owner.



#### Students with short term mobility issues

If your child experiences a short term mobility issue, e.g. an injury such as spraining an ankle that requires crutches, could we please ask you to let their head of year know. We need this information in case we have to write an individual action plan to support a fire evacuation.





The PTA needs your old uniform!

If you have school uniform that no longer fits your child, please drop it off at reception for the PTA. We will soon be re-starting our second hand uniform service and our stocks

are low.

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Thank you.

Please email <u>PTAHaggerston@gmail.com</u> if you would like more information

## HEADS OF YEAR CONTACT DETAILS

Year 7	rokayah.abdulmajed@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk
Year 8	<u>rachael.capper@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk</u>
Year 9	jonathan.wadsworth@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk
Year 10	<u>tom.ritchie@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk</u>
Year 11	<u>cherrelle.yiminyi@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk</u>
Sixth Form	<u>charlotte.clarke@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk</u>

Please contact your child's Head of Year if you have concerns about their school work or wellbeing.



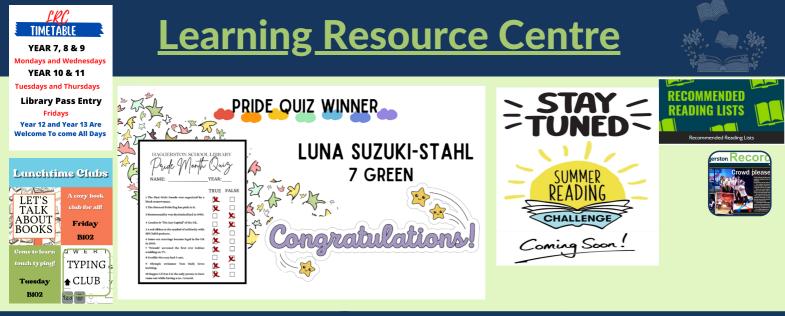
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## A Parent and Student Guide to DPR DPR Assignments

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School Clubs

# CLICK THE TILES TO FIND OUT MORE



Eddie Gordon Holloway is a twelve-year-old boy with a new responsibility over the summer holiday - his own laundry. Disgusted with the impending chore, Eddie comes up with a fabulous idea - he will wear every stitch of clothing he has and make it so that he only has to do laundry just once this summer. When he gets down to his last item, a pair of swim trunks, Eddie is forced to face the inevitable.





If you ever cook, think about the maths involved in that lots of weighing and measuring, scaling recipes up and down, and so on. If you don't, give it a go!

## CAREERS BULLETIN

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES TO

Medic Portal

Information & Support for UCAT Preparations & Tests

Test date booking for the UCAT opens Tuesday 20th June. The Medic Portal suggests before deciding on a date students need to think about the 4 important things listed in this **blog** 

There are also a range of <u>free webinars</u> both live and on demand to support with UCAT preps for

And students can sign up for a **free UCAT prep plan** and get 8 weeks of emails to structure their preparation for the UCAT test.

## **The National Careers Service**

Provides information, advice and guidance to help make decisions on learning, training and work. The website includes over 800 different job profiles <u>https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/</u>

## UCAS

Explore your options, apply to university, and more <u>https://www.ucas.com/</u>

### Find an apprenticeship

This government run service allows you to browse through and apply to available apprenticeships <u>https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship</u>

## icould

Real-life career videos, advice and information to inspire your career <u>https://icould.com/</u>

## Careermap

To view the latest issues of Careermap's Careermag for school leavers, click <u>here</u>

To receive a copy of future Careermag for School Leavers, follow this link: <u>https://careermap.co.uk/subscribe-to-careermag/</u>

# **Wellbeing and SEND**



## SilverCloud Online Programme: Supporting An Anxious Child

Dear Parents /Carers Support with your young persons wellbeing

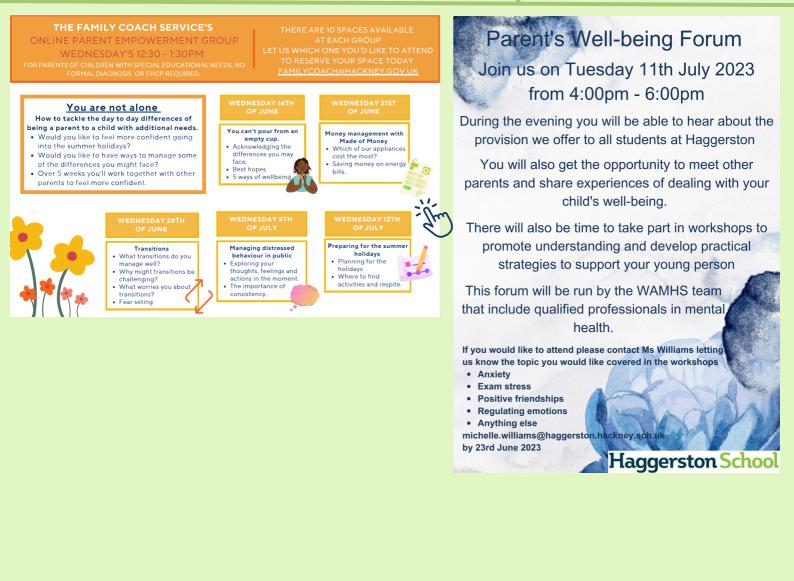
The digitised SilverCloud anxiety intervention for parents of young people can now be used without a supporter/practitioner. Clients can sign up using the Self Sign Up Link Pathway link and have access to the below content: This is part of our WAMHs offer.

For more information on this programme, please click this link here

Ms Ray -Choudhuri, Senior Assistant Headteacher and Mental Health Lead

Dear parents, HiP is a voluntary group of Hackney parents with SEND children, trying to be heard & listened to, to improve services, and to develop awareness, understanding & acceptance of SEND in our communities. Please see the following fliers that you hopefully find useful.





# **Other Notices**



## easyfundraising



The PTA are raising money for the school and have just signed up to easyfundraising.org.uk which allows us to get a FREE donation when users shop online.

Sign up, and choose 'Haggerston Parent Teachers Association' as your cause, and you can raise funds for the school at no extra cost to yourself, just by shopping online at your usual stores. For example, I used it to renew my home insurance, and 'Go Compare' donated £15.50. You can also use it for your groceries, Amazon, eBay and 7000 other retailers, every time getting a donation. The only thing to remember is always start from the easyfundraising website.

To help us get up and running we have been offered an additional incentive.

So please support us if you can by registering yourself today at <u>http://efraising.org/oTNrvQJJgN</u> it only takes 2 minutes and all you need is your email address.

Please also share with your friends and family if they would also like to help – the more the better to raise much needed funds and get that free bonus incentive.

Thank you for your continued support, Your PTA



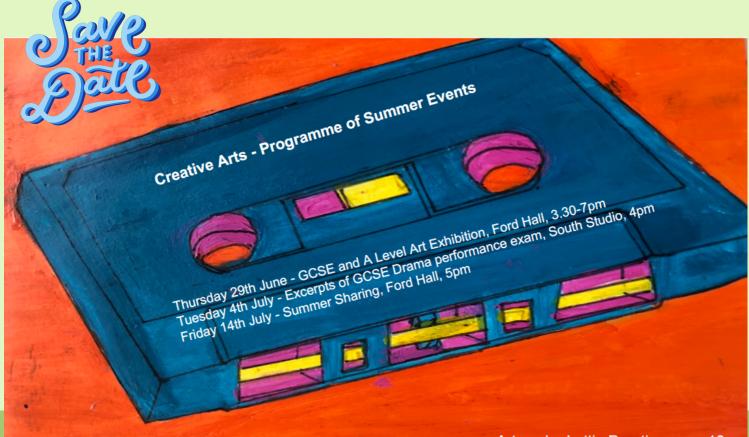


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# **Other Notices**

## HACKNEY SCHOOLS BULLETIN

#### Back to school.

Just days left for thousands of parents to claim up to £300 free cash for school uniform - how to get it

Parents have just days left to apply for up to £300 free cash towards school uniform costs. Many local councils offer support to parents to help with back to school costs - but what you can get depends on where you live. Hackney Council is offering £100 grants to families, and people that qualify can apply on its website. <u>Click here for more information</u>





The MET police Central Youth Team, are currently running a project, offering parent/carer engagement sessions in partnership with PACE UK (Parents Against Sexual Exploitation).

The sessions are online and free to attend, and will give advice to parents/ carers, on how to spot signs of gang affiliation, county lines, grooming and exploitation.

The input will also include a lived experience speaker who will explain how they themselves became involved with gangs and exploitation. The charity will also offer long term support to anyone who needs it or believes their young people have been or are being exploited.

#### Would you like to understand more about county lines in Hackney & Tower Hamlets?



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# **Term Dates 2022/23**

# Spring Term 2023

Start: Tuesday 03 January End: Friday 31 March (Full Day) Half Term: Monday 13 - Friday 17 February Bank Holiday: Monday 02 January Inset Days: Thursday 16 March

# Summer Term 2023

Start: Monday 17 April End: Friday 21 July (Early Closure) Half Term: Monday 29 May - Friday 02 June

### Confirmed term dates for 2023/2024

#### Autumn Term

Year 7 and Year 12 Induction Day: Tuesday 05 September 2023 First date of term for all year groups: Wednesday 06 September 2023

Last day of term: Friday 15 December 2023 (Early finish 12.45pm) Half term holiday: Monday 23 - Friday 27 October 2023 (INSET DAYS: Monday 04 September 2023 Monday 04 December 2023)

#### **Spring Term**

First date of term: Monday 08 January 2024 Last day of term: Thursday 28 March 2024 (Full School Day) Half term holiday: Monday 12 Friday 16 February 2024 (INSET DAYS: Monday 18 March 2024)

#### Summer Term

First date of term: Monday 15 April 2024 Last day of term: Friday 19 July 2024 (Early finish 12.45pm) Half term holiday: Monday 27- Friday 31 May 2024

## Parent Evening Dates

Year 7: 07 February 2023 Year 9 Options Evening: 06 February 2023 Year 9 Parent Evening: 21 February 2023 Year 11: 10 January 2023 Year 8: 21 March 2023 Year 10: 25 April 2023 Year 12 & 13: 24 January 2023

## **Exam Result Dates**

A-Level : Thursday 17th August

GCSE : Thursday 24th August

## **Other Key Dates**

26 December Boxing Day 01 January New Years Day 07 April Good Friday

10 April Easter Monday 01 May: Bank Holiday 08 May: Coronation Bank Holiday 29 May Spring Bank Holiday 09 April Easter Sunday

28 August Bank Holiday