



The Morningside Messenger

Friday 22nd July 2022

Important Dates

Happy Holidays



Back to school
Friday 2nd September

Black History Week
18-22 October
Clubs start
12 September



It has been a remarkable year at Morningside. Over the last few weeks we have seen our dancers and singers steal the show at the Hackney Music Festival, each year group sharing their learning in special assemblies and our steel pan band playing at Hackney Town Hall. There has been much to celebrate not least our results for SATs in Y2 and Y6, the phonic screening check and our first multiplication tables check in year 4. In all of these statutory tests Morningside has scored well above the national average. This is down to a winning combination of amazing children, supportive families and super teachers and support staff. Well done to everyone.

We said a fond farewell to year six this week. They celebrated in style and we wish them all well at secondary school. We also said goodbye to some of our staff who are relocating and will be missed.

Thank you to everyone who attended the summer fete. We raised more than £1000 for school fund.

Over the summer break our pupil toilets are being upgraded at last and we will also be having beautiful planters installed. They will collect the rainwater and use it to grow plants that will help to improve the air quality.

I hope that you all have a lovely summer break and look forward to seeing you on September 2nd.

Best wishes
Janet



Value of the Week

tolerance

Phrase of the Week

verano



summer



Learning at MORNINGSIDE



Nursery: The children had a lovely time in their new reception class today. They were very busy making, selling, buying and pretending to eat ice cream in our role play area.

Reception: We have had lots of fun learning about summer in Reception. We made our own small world beach, role played in our outdoor ice cream parlour and created some wonderful beach art.



Year 1 have really enjoyed this terms RE unit. We learnt all about different places of worship and why they might be important to some.

Year 2: In art, we were learning about textiles. We drew around a circle template onto felt and cut it out carefully. We started stitching it onto another bit of fabric using the running stitch





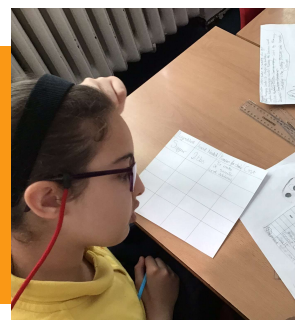
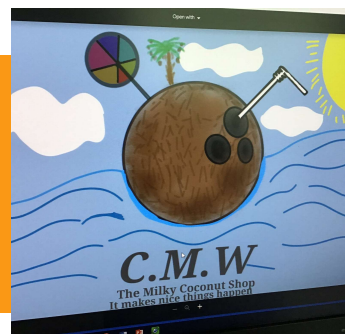
Learning at MORNINGSIDE

Year 3: During our science lesson we used gummy snakes to create "fossils". We used white bread to represent the sand, brown bread to represent the sediment and then pressed them down with books. We then looked at the imprint made



Year 4 visited the Primary Advantage art exhibition at Hackney Library. We loved looking at the amazing science-inspired artwork, and had a great time having a story read to us.

Year 5 are making the finishing touches to their coconut-based ethical business campaigns, including: creating adverts, composing a company jingle and writing their pitches.



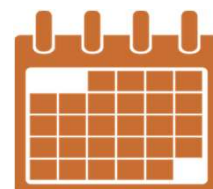
Year 6 became chefs for the day and cooked up our own lunches. We made pizzas from scratch and a healthy dessert using ingredients grown and picked from Hackney School of Food.



School Term Dates

2022-2023

Check school term dates
School calendar for 2022/23



Autumn Term

- Start - Friday 2nd September
- Half Term - Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October
- End - Friday 16th December 2022

Spring Term

- Start - Wednesday 4th January 2023
- Half Term - Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February 2023
- End - Friday 31st March 2023

Summer Term

- Start - Monday 17th April 2023
- Half Term - Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June 2023
- End - Thursday 20th July 2023

Public Holidays

- Monday 26th December 2022 (Boxing Day)
- Tuesday 27th December 2022 (Christmas day substitute)
- Monday 2nd January 2023 (New Year's Day substitute day)
- Friday 7th April 2023 (Good Friday)
- Monday 10th April 2023 (Easter Monday)
- Monday 1st May 2023
- Monday 29th May 2023
- Monday 28th August 2023

Inset Days

- Thursday 1st September 2022
- Friday 21st October 2022
- Tuesday 3rd January 2023
- Friday 16th June 2023
- Friday 21st July 2023



Celebration Awards



Dates for your diary 2022-23

Autumn Term 2022

Spelling Bee (delayed due to heatwave)	Friday 9 th September	Years 1-6
Meet the teacher	Monday 12 th September at 3.30pm	Reception-Year 6
Parent Consultations	Monday 7 th November	All year groups
Black History Week	Monday 17 th -Thursday 20 th October	All year groups
Children in Need	Friday 18 th November	All year groups
Christmas Bazaar	Friday 9 th December at 3.30pm	All year groups
Spelling Bee	Monday 12 th December	Years 1-6
KS2 Nativities	Tuesday 13 th December	M classes at 9.15am S classes at 2.30pm
EYFS Nativity	Wednesday 14 th December at 9.15am	Nursery and Reception
Christmas Lunch	Wednesday 14 th December	All year groups

Autumn Term Sharing Assemblies for Parents and Carers

The children will be sharing their learning on the following dates:

3M	Tuesday 1 st November at 9.05am
6M	Wednesday 2 nd November at 9.05am
1M	Tuesday 8 th November at 9.05am
2M	Wednesday 9 th November at 9.05am
4M	Tuesday 15 th November at 9.05am
5M	Tuesday 22 nd November at 9.05am

Family Friday

Nursery-Y3 families are welcome to join their children in class every Friday at 9am



Spring Term 2023

Safer Internet Day	Monday 14 th February	
World Book Day	Thursday 2 nd March	All year groups
STEM Week	13 th – 17 th March	All year groups
Sport Relief Day	Friday 18 th March	All year groups
Spelling Bee	Monday 27 th March	All year groups
Easter Bonnet Parade	Friday 31 st March	All year groups

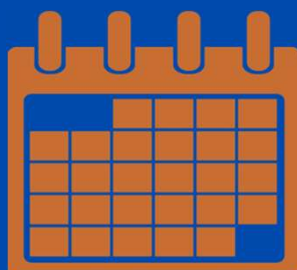
Spring Term Sharing Assemblies for Parents and Carers

The children will be sharing their learning on the following dates:

2S	Tuesday 10 th January at 9.05am
3S	Wednesday 11 th January at 9.05am
4S	Tuesday 17 th January at 9.05am
5S	Wednesday 18 th January at 9.05am
6S	Tuesday 24 th January at 9.05am
1S	Wednesday 25 th January at 9.05am
Reception Classes	Wednesday 1 st February at 9.05am

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Summer Term 2023

Parent Consultations	Monday 24 th April	All year groups
World of Work Week	24 th -28 th April	All year groups
Sports Week	15 th -19 th May	All year groups
Refugee Week	19 th -23 rd June	All year groups
Transition morning-meet your new teacher	Thursday 6 th July	All year groups
Year 6 Production	Friday 14 th July at 10.30am	Year 6
Summer Fete	Friday 14 th July at 3.30pm	All year groups
Spelling Bee	Monday 17 th July	Reception – Year 6
Year 6 Festival	Wednesday 19 th July at 11am	Year 6
Hackney Music Festival	To be confirmed	

Summer Term Sharing Assemblies for Parents and Carers

The children will be sharing their learning on the following dates:

Nursery Classes	Wednesday 11 th July at 9.15am and 2pm
Reception Classes	Tuesday 4 th July at 9.15am
Year 1 classes	Wednesday 5 th July at 9.15am
Year 2 classes	Thursday 6 th July at 9.15am
Year 3 classes	Tuesday 10 th July at 9.15am
Year 4 classes	Wednesday 11 th July at 9.15am
Year 5 classes	Thursday 12 th July at 9.15am
Year 6 classes	Friday 14 th July at 10.30am

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