

Dear Parents/Carers,

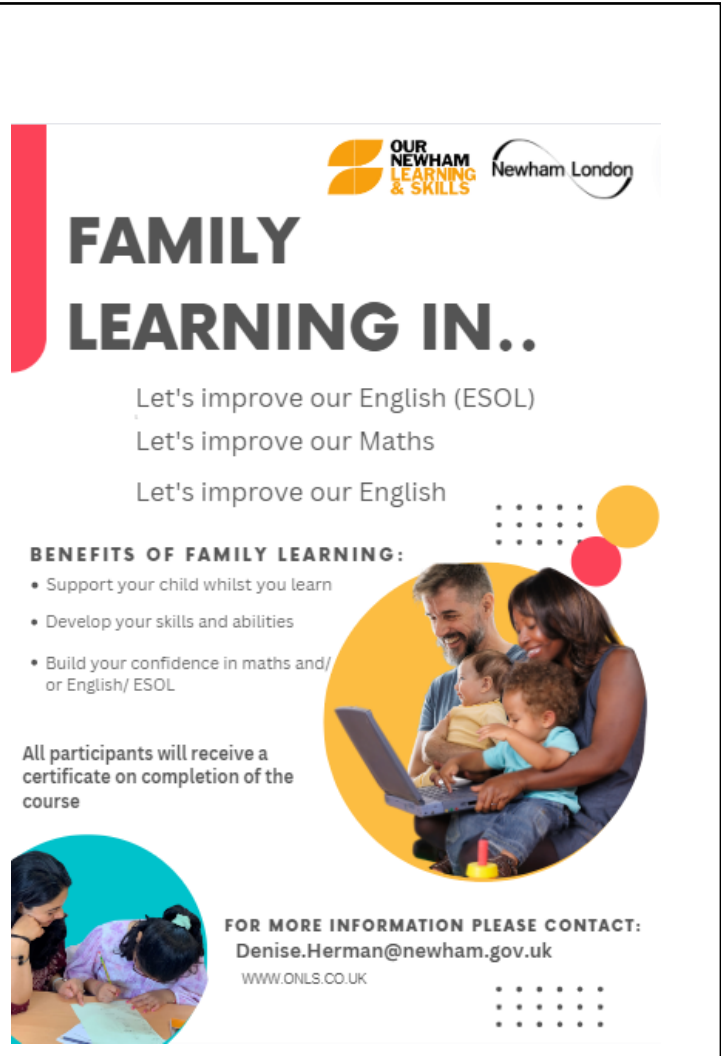
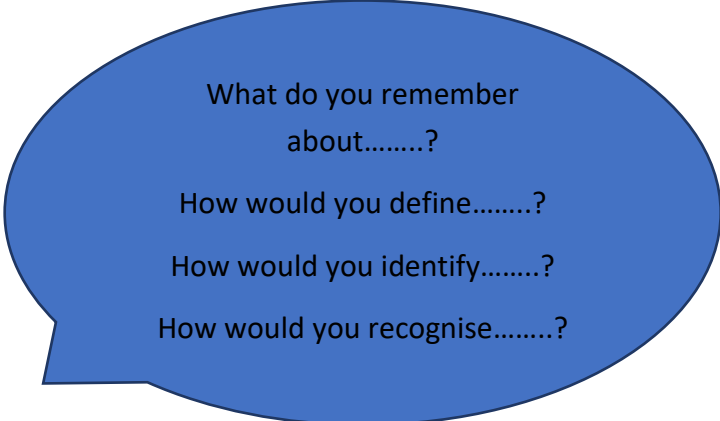
It has been an absolute pleasure to welcome children back to another busy school week. They have settled back quickly into school routines and have been working hard to continue the good progress made during Autumn term. We do however still have a number of children arriving late to school and as a result, missing out on key learning opportunities. Please note that gates are open at 8:40 am and close at 8:50 am; if your child/ren arrive after 8:40 they are missing out on the opportunity to practise key reading skills including the chance to read to the adults in their classes and potentially receive reading support.

As you may be aware children have spent the last 2 weeks focused on broadening and deepening their geographical knowledge and skills:

- EYFS: People in our local area who help us
- Year 1: Flags and capital cities of the UK
- Year 2: Key features of the world
- Year 3: Rivers and how they are formed
- Year 4: Natural disasters with a focus on volcanoes
- Year 5: Weather and Climate
- Year 6: The impact of humans on the planet

Please take a few minutes to speak to your child/ren about their learning.

Mrs Kettory: Deputy Headteacher



OUR NEWHAM LEARNING & SKILLS Newham London

FAMILY LEARNING IN..

Let's improve our English (ESOL)
Let's improve our Maths
Let's improve our English

BENEFITS OF FAMILY LEARNING:

- Support your child whilst you learn
- Develop your skills and abilities
- Build your confidence in maths and/or English/ ESOL

All participants will receive a certificate on completion of the course

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:
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ESOL Course at North Beckton

We are delighted to announce that we are offering parents /carers a chance to develop their English skills and are looking to run some ESOL classes here at North Beckton.

The course will run for a 10 week period and include 2 hour session once a week.

If you would like some support in improving your English skills and please message us on studybugs or come and register your interest at the main office by next Friday 27th January 2023.

Once we have a sufficient interest we will confirm dates and times for the sessions.



Our 'Thought for the week'

In our assemblies this week, we have been thinking about:
"What Unites Us"
"Unity is strength, division is weakness"

How are we similar? Are there advantages in uniting? If so what might they be?

Please be aware that with the cost of living crisis there is a range of support available to you.

Find out more about support available for Newham residents.

<https://www.newham.gov.uk/>

Jewellery Reminder

Due to health and safety reasons the only items of jewellery that are accepted are small studs or small sleepers and watches, **no hoops are allowed.**



The school cannot accept any responsibility for any jewellery that is lost or damaged.

As we continue to experience minus temperatures, please ensure children are wrapped up warm (gloves/scarfs/hats).

Please ensure all items are clearly labelled with your child's full name and year group. If you don't have a permanent marker to hand, we are more than happy to label items for you in school, just ask a member of staff or pop into the school office.



FREE HELP WITH LIVING COSTS



Free help with money

- Our Newham Money: ☎ 020 8430 2041 ✉ ournewhammoney@newham.gov.uk # www.ournewhammoney.co.uk
- Money A+E: money advice & education for Newham residents. ☎ 020 8616 3750 # www.moneyaande.co.uk
- Community Links: for housing, debt, consumer and employment advice, free legal services from FreeLaw. ☎ 020 7473 2270 # www.community-links.org
- Bonny Downs: welfare and welfare benefit checks for over 65s ☎ 020 8586 7070



Free help with housing

- If you're having problems with a private landlord or letting agency, contact: ☎ 020 3373 1950 ✉ privatehousing@newham.gov.uk
- If you're homeless, you can get support from our Homelessness Prevention service at: # www.newham.gov.uk/housing-homes-homelessness/homelessness-prevention-advice.
- If you're threatened with homelessness, contact: ✉ hpas@newham.gov.uk
- Emergency help for families with children: MASH ☎ 020 3373 4600 during office hours (Mon-Thu, 9am-5.15pm or Fri 9am-5pm) ☎ 020 8430 2000 at any other time
- If you're pregnant and need immediate help or you're clinically or physically vulnerable. ✉ AccessToAdultsSocialCareTeam@newham.gov.uk



Free help with food

- Newham Food Alliance ☎ 07790 975 086 ✉ frontdoor@newhamfoodalliance.org # www.newham.gov.uk/newhamfoodalliance



Free help with energy bills

- Our Newham Money: ☎ 020 8430 2041
- East End Citizens Advice: ☎ 020 8525 6379 Tuesdays & Wednesdays 10am-1pm
- Mayor of London Warmer Homes Programme: ☎ 0300 555 0195 ✉ shine@islington.gov.uk



Free help with work

- Our Newham Work: ☎ 020 3373 1101 ✉ ournewhamwork.engagementteam@newham.gov.uk # www.ournewhamwork.co.uk
- Employment Rights Hub for free confidential support and advice if someone is having problems at work ☎ 020 3373 6494
- Work Rights Centre for help with employment rights, CV building and benefits ☎ 030 0400 0100 (EN) 07437 110951 ✉ contact@workrightscentre.org



Free help with stress and emotional pressure

- Free and confidential psychological support for adults: ☎ 020 8175 1770 # www.newhamtalkingtherapies.nhs.uk
- For children (under 18): Talk to your doctor or the school.
- For school health support ☎ 020 3373 9983 # www.newham.gov.uk/schoolhealth
- Mental health crisis line for anyone: ☎ 0800 073 0066 anytime

costoflivingresponse@newham.gov.uk
www.newham.gov.uk/council/cost-living-response

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BECKTON WARD PANEL EVENTS JAN & FEB 2023

Street Audit Community Walkabout

Date: Sunday 29th January 2023

Time: 3pm to 4.30pm

Place: Meet outside Beckton Globe 3pm.

Put on your walking shoes, meet your neighbours and join our team for a walk around Beckton designed to spot and report areas of antisocial behaviour, community safety concern, flytipping, littering, broken street lamps, pot holes, overhanging bushes etc.



If you have some spare time please support our local community. As you can see Oliver in Year 1 has been busy cleaning up his local environment- Well-done Oliver!

As you may be aware, there is planned strike action on Wednesday February 1st 2023 followed by additional dates in March. We will be sending out further information about this shortly.