


Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to all who attended parents' evenings this week. As usual, we are aiming for 100% attendance, so if you were unable to meet with your child's class teacher for any reason, please reach out to them to reschedule an appointment before the end of next week.

This week I was extremely proud to see all the amazing work that has gone into Anti-Bullying Week. The children have spent time reflecting on important messages that are at the heart of our ethos: "We all belong."

We are also excited to share that we have created a short video highlighting the strengths of our schools and the wonderful achievements of our children and staff. It offers a glimpse into life at our schools and the supportive, vibrant community we are proud to be part of. Welcome to the Tapscott Learning Trust and our schools:

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If you haven't done so already, please complete the Parent's Survey: [parents' survey](#). We truly value your ongoing support in ensuring the success and well-being of your child.

Wishing you all a restful and enjoyable weekend,

Mrs Kettory
Head of School

Big Bean Boost

North Beckton was selected to take part in promotional filming for the Bean Boost project. Year 3 enjoyed a special assembly and fun bean-themed activities, and the team joined us in the dinner hall during lunchtime. They were extremely impressed with our children's enthusiasm and exemplary behaviour. We can't wait to share the finished video with you!



Children in Need & Anti Bullying Week

Children came into school wearing spots, yellow or any creative combination to show their support for Children in Need and Anti Bullying Week. Thank you to the children and parents for their generous contributions, we raised an amazing £338! This will help make a positive difference to the lives of disadvantaged children and young people across the UK.



Lunch Menus

Please talk through the weekly lunch menu with your child/ren to help them select suitable meal choices.(available on to view on our school website):

<https://www.northbeckton.newham.sch.uk/page/?title=Lunches%26%23160%3B&pid=51>

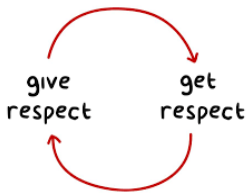
Our 'Thought for this Week'

Everyone shows respect

Why is it important to show respect?

How can you demonstrate respect? Why is it important to listen to other people's ideas?

Treat people the way you want to be treated. Talk to people the way you want to be talked to. Respect is earned, not given.



Key Dates

Autumn 2

Panathlon Bowling trip- **Monday 14th November**

Year 2 Educational Visit to Tower of London - **Wednesday 19th November**

Fair Play House - **Wednesday 19th to Friday 21st November**

3A Visit to British Museum - **Monday 24th November**

3H Visit to British Museum - **Wednesday 26th November**

Year 3 Starry Night Event - **Thursday 4th December 2025**

Last date for clubs - **Friday 12th December**

Christmas Jumper Day - **Thursday 11th December**

Last day of school - **Friday 19th December, 1:00pm Finish**

Attendance Winners This Week

Reception & KS1: **1T**

KS2: **4P**

Perfect Punctuality: **RV and 6R**



Hot Chocolate Morning

Thank you to everyone who came to our Hot Chocolate Morning before half term. It was lovely to see you enjoying a relaxed start to the day! Thanks to your support, we raised an amazing **£144.**



Year 5 - Step Back in Time at the Ragged School Museum

Last week, Year 5 swapped their tablets for chalkboards as they took a trip to the Ragged School Museum in Mile End. The visit brought Victorian history to life with an immersive lesson led by a very strict (but funny!) Victorian teacher. Pupils experienced what school was like over 150 years ago, complete with wooden desks, slates, and the blackboards! Everyone joined in enthusiastically, practising copperplate handwriting and learning about life for children in the 1800s. "It felt so real—like we'd gone back in time!" said one pupil. "I loved every part, I felt like Jim from the Street Child," said another pupil.

It was a fascinating, hands-on history lesson that Year 5 won't forget in a hurry!



Better Points Challenge: Exciting News! North Beckton Primary is currently 3rd in Newham in the Better Points challenge! Haven't signed up yet? Do so now, and check your tracking permissions so your points count. Let's aim even higher!



Newham Schools Autumn Challenge



Let's get active by taking part in a special challenge with the BetterPoints app

The top three schools can win great prizes. Participants can win prizes, plus **£5 and £10** vouchers for getting active.



DOWNLOAD the BetterPoints app with the special code **bettergreen**



PICK your school team



WIN and earn BetterPoints, which you can spend on **shopping vouchers** or **donate to your school** - your choice!



Win a Histrionics Show for your school



Family Hub Welcome Wednesdays



Every Wednesday | 9:30am – 12:30pm


Shipman Family Hub, 340 Prince Regent Lane, London E16 3JH




Join us every Wednesday morning at the Family hub for **FREE** advice and support, to help you and your family thrive.

Drop in, meet our friendly team, and access multiple services in one place. All families are welcome. The building is step-free and buggy friendly.

What's On:

 **Family Navigators-** Family support guidance, 9:30 – 12pm

 **Our Newham Money-** Financial advice service, 10 – 12pm

 **Food 4 Me Club-** Healthy eating workshops, 10:30 – 12:30pm

 **CGL (Change Grow Live)-** Substance use support, 10 – 12pm

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Newham Educational Psychology Service

Parent Advice Sessions with an Educational Psychologist (EP)



For bookings, please contact us via email or telephone at

Terrie.Turner@newham.gov.uk

0203 3373 9032

Please choose your preferred date and time. Sessions fill up quickly, so you may be offered another slot or added to a waitlist. You'll receive an email with further information, which we kindly ask you to reply to before your session.

What are Parent Advice Sessions?

The EPS Parent Advice sessions are available to all parents and carers who are residents of Newham and would like to discuss any concerns about their child with an Educational Psychologist. This could include topics such as emotional well-being, challenging behaviours, learning progress, relationships with your child, or personal worries you may have as a parent.

These 45-minute sessions are designed to be supportive, confidential, and informal. Please note that these are one-off, stand-alone sessions and do not involve follow-up work. There is no criteria or threshold to access these sessions – they are completely free and open to all parents and carers who are residents of Newham.

Who are Educational Psychologists?

Educational psychologists (EPs) are registered psychologists with the Health and Care Professionals Council (HCPC), with enhanced DBS checks. EPs work with children and young people (0-25 years old) in partnership with families, schools, and services to promote educational, social, and emotional development.

What do Newham Educational Psychologists do?


Newham's Educational Psychology Service (NEPS) offers psychological services including consultation, advice and training. NEPS input aims to support children & young people to help facilitate their development, including improving learning, understanding their own learning needs, identifying, managing & exploring their emotions, regulating their behaviours, developing their communication and interaction skills and forming/maintaining positive peer relationships. Working with adults who support young people is central to our model of working.

When?

Sessions run termly between 10:00 am and 12:30 pm via telephone, with three 45-minute sessions each morning:

- 10:00 – 10:45 am
- 10:50 – 11:35 am
- 11:40 am – 12:25 pm

Upcoming Parent Advice Sessions

 Please book early to avoid disappointment

- 30th September 2025
- 21st October 2025
- 18th November 2025
- 16th December 2025
- Sessions for Spring and Summer Terms will be released nearer the time.



ATTENDANCE IN ALL WEATHERS



As the mornings become darker and colder and the weather starts to get wetter please be mindful that your child is still expected to be in school.

As we approach the half term, children will start to feel tired and may not want to come in. Please continue to emphasise the importance of school and learning.

If you need support please feel free to speak with the schools Attendance Officer Mrs Omer.



JOIN FRIENDS OF BECKTON PARKS!

Friends of Beckton Parks (FoBP) is a volunteer-led group dedicated to protecting and improving green spaces across East Custom House and West Beckton.

We organise community events, promote sustainability and inclusion, and work with others to make our parks better for all.

WE WELCOME MEMBERS AND VOLUNTEERS

LOVE BECKTON PARKS?
CARE ABOUT SUSTAINABILITY AND INCLUSION?
WANT TO PROTECT AND IMPROVE OUR GREEN SPACES?
HAVE SKILLS OR KNOWLEDGE TO SHARE?



WhatsApp group:
bit.ly/friendsofbecktonparks



friendsofbecktonparks@gmail.com



[@friendsofbecktonparks](https://www.instagram.com/friendsofbecktonparks)



Beckton & Royal Docks Neighbourhood Forum

In-person on Tuesday 14 October, 6-7.30pm,
Beckton Community Centre, 14 East Ham Manor Way, E6 5NG



Join your local Neighbourhood Forum, a space for communities to discuss making the area safer and cleaner.

Find out what the Police and Council have been doing to improve your local area.

Either register using the QR code or attend the meeting on the day.



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