

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for attending our recent Sports Day events; it was wonderful to see so many of you cheering and getting involved. I would also like to personally thank the many parents who shared such lovely feedback with our staff about how much you enjoyed the sessions. It made me feel truly proud of our inclusive, kind, and supportive school community.

The hot weather this week has brought many challenges; however, I am incredibly proud of our dedicated staff and children, who have taken it all in their stride and continue to give their absolute best. It was also a pleasure welcoming you into school for our Parent Evenings over the last two days. We hope you found these conversations valuable and enjoyed celebrating your child's progress. It was a particularly special milestone for our Year 6 families as they prepare for the next stage of their education.

Looking ahead to our plans for September, the children will meet their new teachers and classmates on **Tuesday 30th June**. As in previous years, class groupings will be thoughtfully adjusted to ensure well-balanced classes across each year group. We hope this transition day will support the children in feeling confident and well-prepared for their return in the autumn term.

As a reminder, the final day of term is **Thursday 16th July**, and school will close at **1:00 PM**. Please note that any absences before this date will be unauthorised unless medical evidence is provided to Mrs Omer.

Thank you for your continued support,
Mrs. Kettory
Head of School

Sports Day

From Monday 15th June to Thursday 18th June, our school came alive for a fantastic and truly inclusive Sports Day week. The action kicked off on Monday with our enthusiastic EYFS pupils, followed by Years 3 & 4 on Tuesday, Years 1 & 2 on Wednesday, and a grand finale with Years 5 & 6 on Thursday. Every single student had the chance to shine across a brilliant range of activities, from athletics and target throwing to our inspiring wheelchair races and the infamous water colour race. Competitive spirits ran high during the running events as children raced for gold, silver, and bronze medals—and the adults didn't miss out either, thanks to a hilarious parent egg-and-spoon race! Backed by fantastic weather, it was an incredibly successful week of sport where fun, teamwork, and active smiles took center stage.



Lunch Menus

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

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

Words Have Power!



"The best world shakers were the ones who understood the true power of words. They were the ones who could climb the highest." - Markus Zusak



Key Dates

Summer 2

Young Minds

Charity Event:

Dress up in Yellow

& Bake Sale after

School

Friday 3rd July
at 3:30pm

Last Day for

Afterschool clubs

Thursday 9th July
3:30 - 4:30pm

Summer Fair

Friday 10th July
3:30pm - 5:00pm

Year 6 Leavers

Assembly

Wednesday 15th
July at 2:15pm

YR 6 Prom

Wednesday 15th July
at 4:00pm

Last Day of Term

Thursday 16th July
1:00 Finish

New School Year

Start for Reception
to YR 6)

Thursday 3rd
September - 8:40am

Attendance Winners This Week

Reception & KS1 Winner: **1G and 1T**

KS2 Winner: **6J**

Our current school's attendance percentage is **93%**, let's continue to improve in Summer 2.

Every Day Matters!

Thank you for your ongoing support!

Community News!

Beckton Ward Panel Meeting

The next Beckton Ward Panel meeting has been organised for **Tuesday 30th June 2026** between 7pm and 9pm at ST Marks Church and the Community Centre, 218, Tollgate Road, Beckton, E6 5YA



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Summer Reading Challenge 2026

Our programme - Read to the Beat

Welcome to a fantastic free reading challenge.

The Summer Reading Challenge is an online challenge that encourages children to keep up their reading over the summer holidays.

To take part, **sign up here**. Choose your avatar and log books you read on your profile.

Read three books to unlock special digital badges and a certificate of achievement!

Find out more here.



Year 6 - Geography Fieldwork



Our Year 6 geographers blazed a trail around the Royal Docks recently, putting their expert fieldwork skills to the test. Investigating the overall success of the massive Docklands redevelopment, the pupils conducted rigorous environmental surveys and detailed mapping. Stopping at UEL, Building 1000, ExCeL, and The Crystal, students gathered primary data on sustainability, commerce, and urban design. Back in the classroom, they analysed their findings, weighing the area's impressive architecture against local community needs. We are incredibly proud of our outstanding young researchers for their insightful geographical analysis and exemplary behaviour. The future of urban geography is looking very bright!

NORTH BECKTON

**FREE
ENTRY**

Summer fair

**3:30PM -
5PM**

**FRIDAY 10TH
JULY 2026**

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO
RUN A STALL PLEASE
CONTACT MRS OMER AT
NORTH BECKTON -
0207 473 3344

FOOD STALLS
BOUNCY CASTLE
SPLASH THE TEACHER
FACE PAINTING
TOMBOLA
CAKE STALL
TUCK SHOP
ICE CREAM VAN
TATTOOS
AND MUCH MORE...

COME AND JOIN US!

THE READING AGENCY | UNIVERSAL MUSIC GROUP UNITED KINGDOM

READ to the BEAT

Summer Reading Challenge 2026

Join FREE at your local library!

Strike a chord at Newham Libraries!
Join the challenge, groove with us at our summer activities and make reading your summer soundtrack.

Newham London

GO ALL IN. National Year of Reading 2026 | NATIONAL ARTS COUNCIL ENGLAND

Delivered in partnership with libraries
summerreadingchallenge.org.uk

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Visit the world's largest floating bookfair

LOGOS HOPE IS COMING TO LONDON!

DATES: 21st of June to 5th of July 2026

HOURS:

Tuesday to Saturday: 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Sunday: 1:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Monday: Closed

EXCEPTIONS: On the 21st on June, the ship will open from 1PM

PORT: ExCel London Waterfront, UK

Nearest Station: Custom House (Elizabeth Line & DLR)

ENTRANCE: £1 per person

Free entrance for people under 12 and over 65 years old.

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Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.
One adult can supervise 10 children.

Visitors requiring wheelchair assistance are kindly asked to bring a companion to assist with boarding, or contact Visitor.AssistDH.logoshope@gbships.org in advance.





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Speech and Language Support - Under 5's



Every Tuesday from 12:30–2.30pm

Do you have questions about your child's talking?

We can talk about any concerns you have and offer you advice to support your child's communication.

To book an appointment to speak to a Speech and Language Therapist, email **familyhub@newham.gov.uk** or call us on **020 3373 2555**

newham.gov.uk/familyhubnetwork

WE ARE NEWHAM.

DAD READY: Preparing for Birth and Beyond - Fathers Antenatal Workshop



Join our supportive 6-week programme designed especially for fathers. Build confidence, learn practical skills, and connect with other dads as you prepare for birth and life beyond.

When: Every Tuesday, from July 14th 2026 at 10:00am – 11:00am

Where: Kay Rowe Children's Centre, Osborne Road, E7 0PH

Duration: 6 weeks

Format: Face-to-face sessions (with some online options available)

Facilitators: Fathers Inclusion Worker/Midwife/Neonatal Nurse/NCT/Infant Feeding Lead

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What to Expect:

Week 1 – Becoming a Father: Your role and supporting your partner.

Week 2 – Bonding Before and After Birth: Building an early bond with your baby.

Week 3 – Understanding Your Newborn: Sleep, feeding, soothing and safe sleep.

Week 4 – Practical Parenting Skills: Everyday baby care and feeding support.

Week 5 – Baby First Aid & Safety: CPR, choking response and home safety.

Week 6 – Supporting the Family & Your Wellbeing: Wellbeing, relationships and support.

Why Join?

- Build confidence as a new dad
- Learn practical, hands-on skills
- Meet and connect with other fathers
- Get expert guidance from healthcare professionals

Get Dad Ready – because your role matters from day one.

For more information or to book your place, contact us today:
Dads@newham.gov.uk

newham.gov.uk/dads

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WE ARE NEWHAM.

Dads & Stories: A Special Day at Discover Children Story Centre



A free, fun-filled session for Fathers/Male Carers and your children aged 0-5!

Key Information:

Start Date: Every Tuesday from 2nd June

End Date: Tuesday 4th August

Time: 11:45am - 2pm

Location: Discover Children's Story Centre,
383-387 High St, London E15 4QZ

dads@newham.gov.uk

02033732555

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Dads & Stories: A Special Day at Discover Children Story Centre



A great way to bond with your child, spark their imagination, and meet other local families!

Join us every Tuesday from June to August for a relaxed afternoon of food, stories, and play. Start with a free lunch, then dive into an engaging sensory storytelling session led by expert Storybuilders. Afterwards, stay and explore Discover's Story World and garden—perfect for play, imagination, and connecting with other families.

Lunch provided:

Adults: Vegan sausage roll + hot drink

Children: Cheese sandwich, snack, and juice

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