Rest of the Summer Term

Dear parents / carers,

We now have Reception and Year 1 children back in small groups.

Next week we also start to welcome back Year 6 on rotation and hope to have them all back for the last week of term.

We also have a large group of key worker / vulnerable children in school. This group will soon be at full capacity, so if you have not already registered we cannot take any more children. I can direct you to Hackney Learning Trust who will be able to advise and tell you about other services, provision and support.

We are nearing full capacity in all areas due to staffing, social distancing requirements, health and safety regulations and guidance from Public Health England. I have a duty of care to pupils, staff and the community alike.

I would like to give you all as much information as I currently can.

I will never say to you I follow **the** science because so much of what we hear is opinion and hypothesis. However health is our most precious gift and I will try and ensure everyone remains healthy.

Year 6 start back in groups from Monday June 22nd.

In the last week we will open up to all of Year 6 to try and give the class of 2020 the send off they deserve. The webinar this week with Year 6 went well and next week Year 5 will be invited to join a webinar.

In the last week we will also arrange transitions, films and webinars for all year groups to meet their new teacher and look around their new classrooms. Details to follow.

The Reception and Year 1 children now in school will finish for the Summer Term on Friday July 10th.

Key workers and vulnerable pupils group will finish on Friday July 17th.

Please keep a close eye on our school website <u>www.olsjschool.net</u> and look under Home Learning, Lockdown Education Resources and Parents Info Resources. These are being updated all the time. The school Newsletter is published every Friday.

We can't yet say anything concrete about September and when we'll be able to open the school fully. There is constant speculation and much misinformation in the media and on social media but nobody knows for sure. We will continue doing all we can to keep your child happy, in touch and learning and also do our best to keep our school community connected and informed. On with our summer term!

Best wishes and stay safe,

Sean Flood (Headteacher)