



Godwin Newsletter 9th September 2016

Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a great first week for everyone!

It has been fantastic to see the children putting the Godwin 5Cs (Courtesy, Consideration, Commitment, Co-operation and Care) into practice and they have made a very good first impression. They have obviously come back to school eager to learn and ready to embrace new routines and challenges. We all look forward to helping them achieve their very best this year.

Please make a note of the diary dates below, in particular next week's 'Meet the Teacher' sessions.

Enjoy the weekend and Eid Mubarak to all who will be celebrating on Monday.

Diary Dates

Wednesday 14th Sept 3:45pm Years 3/4 and 4:05pm Years 5/6
Meet the Teacher – Brief drop in session to meet your child's new teacher.

Thursday 15th Sept 5:30pm **Year 6 Transition Meeting**
All year 6 parents/carers invited to find out about the secondary school transition process.

Tuesday 18th Oct and Thursday 20th October **Parent/Carer Conferences** – More details to follow.

Eid Ul Adha

We wish all who are celebrating a very happy time with family and friends.

If your child is not attending school on Monday 12th September please contact the school office to inform us of their absence for religious purposes.

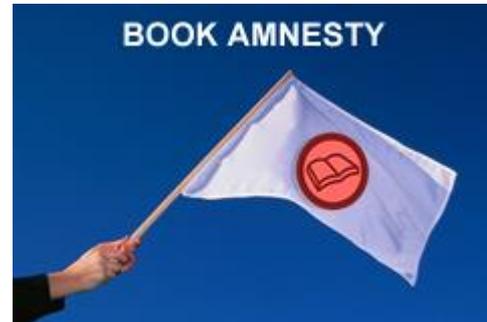


Congratulations

Many congratulations to Forest Gate Community School whose students achieved fantastic results in their GCSE examinations this year. 75% of students gained 5 GCSEs A* - C with English and Maths. They were the best performing secondary school in Newham!

Book Amnesty

Please have a look this weekend for any Godwin Junior School books that are still at home from either the school library or class reading corner. They need to be returned to Ms Smith (year 6) who will keep a tally and the year group who return the most books will receive a prize!



Roald Dahl Day



Tuesday 13th September
The Gate Library
4 – 5pm Roald Dahl Quiz
5 – 6pm Roald Dahl Readings



All welcome to celebrate Roald Dahl's 100th Birthday!
Prizes for quiz winners and performers – register at The Gate to perform your favourite passage or rhyme.

LATE ARRIVAL

Children are allowed to enter their classrooms from 8.45am onwards. The school day officially begins at 8.55am.

If your child arrives after the school bell has rung at 8.55am they must enter school via the school reception office to ensure that they are marked present on the school register.



PARKING

Thank you to all parents/carers who use a car for the school run who park away from the school gate area.

The safety of all our children as they arrive and leave school is a responsibility we all share and we hope that this positive start will continue throughout the school year.

