



## Term 3A Newsletter Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Assalamu Alaikum,

Ramadan Karim! We hope you are enjoying the blessings of Ramadan. We look forward to seeing all the children back in school on **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2022.**

**We have a planned Eid party on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2022. Children can come to school in their Eid clothes!**

### Ramadan 2022

**If your child is fasting during Ramadan, please provide written consent via email in advance to the school office.**

### Year 2 and Year 6 SATS

Children's preparations for KS1 and KS2 statutory tests which will take place in May in 2022 are still ongoing. Please ensure you help and support your child at home. If you would like to find out more, there are details and examples of past test papers on the government website.

### PE Lessons

#### Please note a change to PE days!

The table below provides you information about PE lesson days in each year group. Please ensure your child is wearing the correct PE clothes.

**This half term the Year 3 and 4 class will have their lessons delivered by our PE coach!**

Year Groups	PE Lesson Day
Year 1 and 2	Wednesday
Year 3 and 4	Monday
Year 5 and 6	Tuesday

### Theme of the week Term 3A

The aim of the weekly themes is to promote development of knowledge and skills which provide an experiential dimension for spiritual and moral areas of the curriculum.

Week	Theme
Week 1 18.04.2022	Theme 26 Breaking relationships is forbidding
Week 2 25.04.2022	Theme 37 Prohibition of backbiting
Week 3 02.05.2022	Theme 34 Dua/Prayer
Week 4 09.05.2022	Theme 29 Being pious and God conscious all the time
Week 5 16.05.2022	Theme 33 Telling other to do good and forbidding evil
Week 6 23.05.2022	Theme 8 Always tell the truth

### Safeguarding

We believe safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. At Fig Tree Primary we are committed to keeping our children safe from harm. **Mrs Hussain is our DSL lead; Mrs Kulsoom is Deputy DSL for safeguarding and child protection.**

If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us, we always take action to protect a child and we will inform the relevant agencies where necessary.

### After School Club

This half term we are offering the following after school Clubs, please email the school office if you would like your child to take part.

After School Club	Day and Timing
Sports Club	Monday 3pm-4pm
Maths SATS Club (Compulsory for Yr6 children ONLY)	Tuesday 3pm-3:30pm
English SATS Club (Compulsory for Yr6 children ONLY)	Wednesday 3pm-3:30pm
Crafts Club	Thursday 3pm-3:30pm

**Please note: All clubs will commence from week 2 in Sha Allah.**

### Swimming lessons

Once again, we have secured swimming lessons at Djanogly leisure Centre.

The sessions will last for 7 weeks, **every Tuesday morning.**

The lessons will commence from **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2022 to Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2022 inclusive.**

**Please ensure your child brings in the correct swimming kit and a towel.**

**Please note:**

- Jewellery will not be allowed to be worn in the pool.
- Ensure boys' swimming trunks do not have pockets.

**The swimming lessons will be at a cost of £20 per child.**

A letter will be sent out this week, regarding swimming lessons, please ensure you sign the consent form along with the payment and post it through the drop box. You can also make a payment into the school account. Please reference the payment with your child's name and 'swimming.'

## Punctuality and attendance

We have had an increasing amount of holiday requests during term time. We ask ALL parents to book any family holidays within the 13 weeks of school holidays, so it does not impact your child's education.

It is important that children attend school regularly in order for them to achieve their maximum ability. ALL holiday requests during term time will be marked as 'UNATHORISED' unless there is an emergency situation.

As KS1 and 2 SATs are fast approaching, it is vital that all children attend school.

If your child is not well or is late for school, please inform the office as soon as possible. It is parents' responsibility to inform school of any absence or lateness.

End of term attendance award will be awarded based on both attendance and punctuality.

Congratulations to all the children that achieved 100% attendance for term 2!

## Milk Money

Please pay **£6 every half term** for your child to drink milk at school. Please pay this amount to the school office.

## School Dinner Payment

We kindly request parents to pay for their child's dinner money in advance **every Monday** morning. Please also confirm what days your child will be having lunch.

## Healthy Eating

This half term there will be a big drive on healthy eating in school. We aim to raise awareness of how to keep ourselves healthy. Packing healthy snacks for school not only keeps away hunger pangs but will also improve concentration and academic performance.

Here are ideas for healthy snacks for break;

- Fruit- apple, banana, strawberries, berries, pineapple chunks
- Vegetables- carrot sticks, celery stick
- Dried fruit
- Cereal bars
- Cheese sticks
- Yoghurt
- Crackers
- Bread sticks
- Pretzels
- Baked crisps **ONLY**- wotsits, tortilla chips

## Zakah

Fig Tree Primary accepts Zakah money; keep us in mind when you are giving your Zakah. If you would like to discuss this further, please contact the school office.

## Food Donation

We greatly accept food donations such as pasta, rice, cooking oil and tinned food.

If you would like to make a donation, please contact the school office.

We appreciate all your help and support.

## Dates for your diary

Term 3A starts	<b>Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2022</b>
May day (School Closed)	<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2022</b>
Eid holidays (School Closed)	<b>Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2022 Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2022</b>
Eid party	<b>Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2022</b>
Year 6 SAT's week	<b>Monday 9<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> May 2022</b>
Mental health awareness week	<b>Monday 9<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> May 2022</b>
Swimming lessons commence	<b>Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2022</b>
Whole school assessments	<b>Monday 16<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> May 2022</b>
Walk to school week	<b>Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> May 2022</b>
Body changes workshop (Yr4-Yr6)	<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2022</b>
Queens Jubilee celebrations	<b>Week 6</b>
End of term 3A	<b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022</b>
Inset day (School Closed)	<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022</b>
Start of term 3B	<b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2022</b>

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Primary Team