

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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RICHARD COBDEN
PRIMARY SCHOOL



As we approach the end of term, I want to thank you all for the efforts you have put in to either bringing your children in to school, or in ensuring they continue with their home learning. When they return in September, we will be assessing them all and we will be able to see the benefits of all the work they have undertaken at home, so well done to everyone for your hard work.

We are expecting to see all pupils back to school on the 7th September. You will be receiving a letter to let you know the drop off and collection arrangements for your child/children. Please follow the instructions carefully so that we can all be as safe as possible.

On our website, you will find a very helpful information booklet about children returning to school. This has been produced by the NHS. Please take the time to read the booklet. It is available in English, Bangla, Somali and Arabic.

On behalf of all the staff and governors, I would like to wish you all a very enjoyable holiday. I hope we all begin to feel the benefits of getting out a bit more and start to get a greater sense of normality back into our lives. It would be fantastic to have 100% attendance on our first day back – my challenge to you all. Don't let me down!

Have a restful break and see you all on the 7th September.

Best wishes,

Mrs Bannon

Farewell to Year 6

It's the end of an era for our Year 6 children as they leave Richard Cobden to move to secondary school. Class parties were held to give the children the opportunity to say goodbye to each other and celebrate the time they have shared together here.



The children in school made some lovely decorations, there was delicious food and cake and the children enjoyed watching a presentation of photos from their years at the school.

It was sad to say goodbye, but exciting to look forward to the next chapter of their education with all of its challenges and opportunities. We will miss them and wish them the very best of luck for the future.



Young Readers Project

Thanks to a kind donation from the National Literacy Trust, Year 1 and Year 3 were delighted to receive a fantastic non-fiction book to take home, read and keep. We were also able to purchase extra books for our library collection, which the whole school will be able to enjoy. As a farewell gift, our Year 6 pupils received an atlas, which they can keep and use to help them with their learning at secondary school.

Camden Active Schools League

Richard Cobden came 4th out of the 41 schools who entered the Camden Active Schools League for 2019-20, winning six trophies (in rugby, basketball and hockey) before the competition was cut short by the school closures in March. Many congratulations to all of the children who took part in training, friendly matches and competitions.

