

# The Bulletin



'Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Always remember, you have within you the strength, the patience, and the passion to reach for the stars to change the world.'

Harriet Tubman



## GRAZEBROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL - UPDATES

19TH JANUARY 2021

Message from Mrs Beecroft

Dear Grazebrook families

### Thank you!

All the Grazebrook staff have been so impressed by the children's focus and engagement both in school and at home over the last fortnight. We would like to extend a huge thank you to all of you who are juggling work and childcare with home education at the moment. We are extremely grateful of your support and think you are doing an amazing job.

### Contact with the school

If you need to contact your child's class teacher please use Google Classroom, the year group email address or leave a message with the school office. If you have any workload issues, need support with technology, have any questions or concerns linked to wellbeing or safety or need to let us know of any changes in family circumstances including illness and bereavement, please continue to use the year group email or contact the office. Your message will be forwarded to the most appropriate member of staff.

### Devices and data

We have begun to receive our allocation of wireless routers and data packages. If you haven't already, please let the office know if you have limited or no internet access at home. We will try to support you as much as possible to ensure that your child can access all live and recorded lessons at home.

### Free School Meals

All families entitled to free school meals should have received an email including a 16 digit code to access vouchers yesterday. Please check your inboxes and junk mail. If your circumstances have changed and you think you might now be eligible for free school meals, please visit the Hackney Education website [here](#) to apply.

### School Streets

All existing School Streets in Hackney have been temporarily suspended during lockdown. This means that the "Pedestrian and Cycle Zone" signs around the school are now closed and enforcement, including the issuing of PCNs, will be suspended until further notice. If your child travels to school without an adult, please remind them that vehicles will be travelling along Grayling Road as usual. If you have any concerns about the temporary suspension of the School Street, please contact [sta@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:sta@hackney.gov.uk).

### Webinars



20/01/21  
2.00pm & 4.30pm  
Top Tips for  
Google Classroom  
(Key Stage 2  
families)

27/01/21  
2.00pm & 4.30pm  
Using iPad to  
showcase learning

03/01/21  
2.00pm & 4.30pm  
Our approach to  
marking online

Click on the link to  
book a place:  
<https://bit.ly/NW11121>

The Google Meet  
link will be shared  
with you on the  
morning of the  
webinar.

Items for the Parent  
Council Meeting on  
Friday 29th January  
should be  
forwarded to your  
class rep or directly  
to Lisa Langley in  
the school office by  
Thursday. Thank  
you.