

4th July 2025

Dear Parents & Carers,

Welcome to the conclusion of another eventful and busy week here at Daubeney!

In our usual fashion, please find below our **Golden Expectation and our Word of the Week**.

Golden Expectation: **Listen respectfully and follow instructions**

Word of the Week: **Transition**

This week, I'd like to start by reminding you of some key events happening in the remaining weeks before breaking for the summer. I'd like to start by reminding you of our **Whole School Picnic Day** (9.7.25). To aid with planning on the day, please complete the **questionnaire** below. It will take less than 3 minutes.

<https://forms.office.com/e/qf4DBPcC1k>

If you'd like to read our **dedicated Whole School Picnic letter** access the link below.

<https://www.daubeney.hackney.sch.uk/viewer/1018#sitelive-viewer/>

Looking ahead, a little further we'd like to also remind you of our annual **Daubeney School Summer Fair** on 11 July 2:30-6:00pm. We are accepting applications from stallholders (**please no food or drink stalls**). Tables cost £10. The deadline to apply is 4 July. We will let stallholders know as they apply if they are successful. If you are interested then please complete the form at the following link

<https://forms.gle/TqUPTuF3fnAcSKQ89>

And looking even further ahead than that, to the summer holiday, we're pleased to announce that we will be hosting our **Summer Holiday Camp** alongside our community partners, **Apex Learning Hub (ALH)**. As always, spaces are free for pupils eligible for means tested FSM, but if as a family you have no access to public funds, or are just simply struggling and in-need, please let us know and we will endeavour to facilitate spaces for you, as always. The registration link can be found here- <https://eequ.org/book/apex-daubeney-holiday-club-and-trips-with-apex-17230>
If you have any queries, please contact ALH on 0208 432 6699 or email on info@alh.org.uk

In a similar vein we will be hosting our **It Takes a Village (ITAV)** event on 17th July (3:30pm – 6pm) with the esteemed **Rt Hon. Diane Abbott** as one of key note speakers. It would be great to have packed house for this event (see poster below and access link for more info). <https://www.daubeney.hackney.sch.uk/viewer/1007#sitelive-viewer/>

To recap the week, on Monday, **Y4** enjoyed their **IntoUniversity** experience as part of our collaboration work with this community partner. Significantly on Monday, you would have received letters informing you which class your child has been allocated to for the 2025-2026 academic year. I am pleased to say that everyone appears to be content as I have not had any queries or complaints!

Tuesday was a standard teaching and learning day, however our amazing your **KS2 Junior Road Safety Officers** (JRSO's) taught a group of **Reception pupils** about road safety. They were very caring and understanding of the small children and really helped them with their work. They helped the children complete amazing work, as well as

(arguably most importantly), taught them well about road safety. The children came back to class very happy and excited to talk about what they did in the session.

Wednesday saw our **KS2 Yellow team** members enjoy a visit to Victoria Park as a reward. Our team point trips are to encourage collaboration amongst our pupils across all year groups. The reward also serves to demonstrate that meeting our Golden Expectations does bring its reward!

<https://www.daubeney.hackney.sch.uk/reception/yellow-team-trip-2025>

Thursday, saw us time travel into the future for our whole school **transition day**. Starting with our youngest cohort we had our **new Reception pupils** join us with their parents to familiarise themselves with their new teacher, their new classrooms and new routines in addition to the fact they are starting 'big school' which is a significant moment for many. I was recently speaking with someone who recounted to me quite poetically that he remembered his first day at school, not the second or third, but the first day to this day! 😊 All other year groups 'simply' progressed to the next year group on their educational journey. For our **Y6** pupils transition day was certainly a momentous day as they spent the day at their new secondary school. Many fed back about the rules, regulations and sanctions at secondary school! For all of our pupils we wish them well on the next step of their journey and next week you will receive your child's **EoY report** informing you of the academic progress they have made this year, their successes and their next steps to improve their learning.

As we bring the week to a close it is a relatively quiet standard and teaching day with everyone returning to their 'normal class' and our weekly celebration of our **Golden Achievers**. We look forward to hosting our Golden Achiever of the Year on Friday 18th July.

Looking ahead to the remaining weeks of term (and the new school year) please do visit our **website calendar**.

<https://www.daubeney.hackney.sch.uk/about-us/calendar>

I'd also strongly encourage you to visit our **news and letters tab** to stay abreast of all things Daubeney and also for events/clubs that will be happening over the summer to keep your child(ren) occupied in a positive and healthy way. <https://www.daubeney.hackney.sch.uk/news>

Do check out the fliers below for events happening in the final weeks of term that we'd love to see you at. And finally, please take few moments to watch a video that will inform you about the wonderful services that are provided at our **Daubeney Family Hub** <https://www.daubeney.hackney.sch.uk/childrens-centre-and-family-hub>

Wishing you a glorious weekend 😊

Yours sincerely,



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Head of School



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