



## Dear families

Where do I start? This year has been so good for Tameside. Firstly, we had our long awaited Ofsted inspection in February. The school received good overall with 2 areas being deemed outstanding. That is such an achievement for a school and community that was written off by many. Thank you to all staff, parents, the community and the Trust for all the support given in this great outcome. I take great pride in our efforts and achievements.

Since then, the school has gone from strength to strength. We now have an immersive room for the children to use and 2 new sets of stairs to access site from the Walton Road entrance. We continue to develop site in order to give the children an Academy to be proud of.

Academically, the school has shone again. Last year we were the most improved school in Sandwell; this year we have mirrored and bettered our results. We have had great results in our EYFS and Key Stage 1 year groups where we are above local authority standards and national levels. This picture is mirrored with our phonics scores in year 1. Our Year 6 results are way above national and authority standards which shows what our children are capable of - greatness. Thank you to all staff and parents in your support with this. We are all really proud.

Next year, we plan on building on these wonderful achievements in our pursuit of education excellence. Have a restful Summer recharging those batteries in preparation for next year. Enjoy the Summer— it is well deserved.

Mr Hill—Principal

## Staff news

We would like to say the warmest of welcomes to some members of staff who will be starting in September

- ◇ **Mrs Dutton will be our new Nursery Teacher**
- ◇ **Mr Ramzan will be our new Reception Teacher**
- ◇ **Miss Bollans will be our new Year 1 teacher**
- ◇ **Mrs Gibbs will be our new Year 5 Teacher**
- ◇ **Miss Begum will be our new Year 6 Teacher**

We also have Mrs Chawner in Year 6 who has recently returned from maternity leave.

Miss Hanson and Mrs Bown will be on Maternity leave from mid September onwards, we wish them well as 'mums to be'.

***We say fond farewells to a number of staff too.***

Miss Holland, Miss Williams and Miss Glasford will be leaving to pursue further opportunities in their teaching careers. We wish them all the best.

## Year 6 Farewells

We would like to wish our Year 6 pupils all the very best at their secondary school. The Year 6 teachers are all very sad to see you leave! I'm sure you will agree that the graduation assemblies we had the other day brought some happy memories throughout the years at Tameside. All the pupils enjoyed themselves during yesterday's party also. **Good luck in the future!**

## Tameside 2023 results overview for Expected Standard or above

	Reading	SPaG	Maths	Writing
Tameside Primary Academy	81%	82%	81%	70%
National Average	73%	72%	73%	71%

## Dates for your diary

- ◇ **Friday 21st July - Break up for Summer Holiday**
- ◇ **Monday 4th & Tuesday 5th September - School closed for training**
- ◇ **Wednesday 6th September - Back to School**
- ◇ **Friday 27th October - Break up for half term**

# Summer Fayre Success!



We just want to give a big **THANK YOU** for all your support you have given us, not only throughout the year but for all your donations during the non uniform days we had during June and July. We managed to raise a grand total of **£3,415.24!** We received £600 alone just on raffle tickets. Here are the prizes on display. We couldn't believe the amount of local businesses who made a contribution and have supported us throughout our fundraising. We must mention 'Forget me not' card shop, Asda, Caldmore Hardware and Crankhall Service Station for their wonderful hampers and gifts. Peaky Barbers; Chopping Block; Rambos off licence; New Image; Vards Bait and Tackle; Get Glam; The bike shop; Buttylicious and Brunswick Chip Shop for their vouchers.



I'm sure you will agree, for all those who came along that most parents and pupils particularly enjoyed the 'wet the teacher' stall, where one parent was willing to pay £20 to chuck a whole bucket of water over Mr Hill and Mr Yalluri! A massive thanks goes to all staff who ensured it ran smoothly on the day.

We will be using the money raised for extra curricular activities in the new academic year. We will update you on the future events.

## School Locations for Dropping off / Collecting your child in September

Year group	Start time	Location	Pick up time	Location
Nursery	8.40	Nursery doors	11.40	Nursery doors
Reception	8.40	Reception class doors	3.15	Reception doors
Year 1	8.40	Year 1 door	3.20	Year 1 doors
Year 2	8.40	Year 2 doors near the ramp	3.20	Year 2 doors near the ramp
Year 3	8.40	Year 3 door	3.20	Key Stage 2 playground
Year 4	8.40	Central Year 4/5 door	3.20	Central Year 4/5 door
Year 5	8.40	Central Year 4/5 door	3.20	Central Year 5 door
Year 6	8.40	Year 6 door	3.20	Year 6 door

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