



My Lord! Increase me in knowledge (20:114)

# Orchard Times

## Term dates and key events

### **Eid –ul Adha Break:**

3rd to 6th October

### **School re – opens:**

Tuesday, 7th October

### **Pupils Eid Party:**

Friday, 10th October 2014

### **Parents Eid Dinner Event:**

Friday, 17th October 2014

### **Half Term Break:**

27th –31st October

### **INSET Days for staff:**

27th & 28th October

### **School re – opens for Autumn Term 2:**

Monday, 3rd November

## **SCHOOL MEALS**

Parents who are not eligible for free school meals for their children should ensure that all payments for school meals are made in advance to the office.

## **ATTENDANCE**

Alhamdulillah we had 100% attendance during two days in September with all 175 pupils attending school. Well done to all pupils and parents! Please be reminded that requests for leave during term time will not be authorised.

Interim Headteacher:  
Mr Hoosen Randeree

Thursday, 2nd October 2014  
8th Dhul –Hijjah 1435 AH

Assalamu alaikum wa rahmatullahi wa barakatahu

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Dear parents,

I pray that all of you are in the best of health and imaan.

We have come to the end of our first month of this school year. All our pupils have enjoyed a broad range of learning experiences and it has been pleasing to note their progress in all subject areas.

Our assembly themes have received a very positive feedback from parents. The pupils also are really enjoying leading their class assembly on Friday mornings. It is wonderful to see them developing their confidence in being able to speak or perform in front of such a large audience!

Jazak'Allah Khair to all our parents who visited our 'footsteps towards Haj' display and spoke to the children about what they were learning on this important topic.

Thank you also for all your donations towards the Macmillan Coffee morning held on Friday, 26th September. Alhamdulillah, we raised a total of £220 for this charity which supports people with cancer.

Finally, I would like to wish all our pupils, parents and members of staff a blessed Eid –Ul Adha. Please do remember us in your Duas during this auspicious month of Dhul Hijjah.

Was-salaam,

*Br Hoosen Randeree* (Interim Head teacher)

## *Some of our exciting learning during this month!*

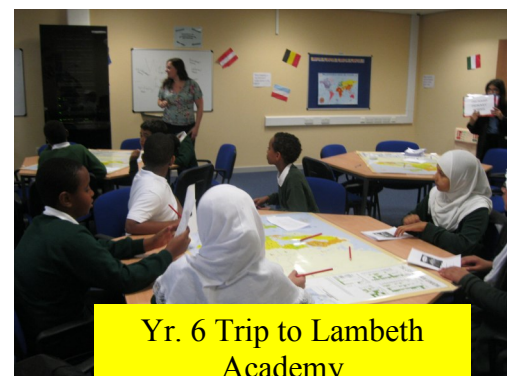
Yr. 1 Assembly



Serving our parents on Macmillan Coffee morning!



Yr. 3 learning about Haj'!



Yr. 6 Trip to Lambeth Academy