

Stormont House School Matters



STORMONT HOUSE SCHOOL
achievement for all

Our vision

Achievement for all in a unique world-class school

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Reminder from our School Nurse - Parents / Carers please sign and return your child's Health Care Plan to her ASAP

Panathlon Footballing Success: We're going to Wembley!!!

On Wednesday 17 October students from Stormont House represented Hackney in the East London Panathlon Football Cup Competition at Newham Powerleague Norwegian Playing Fields. Mr Hajdrych entered 2 teams - Under 13 / Under 16, the teams played squads from: Barking & Dagenham, Newham, Islington and Redbridge.

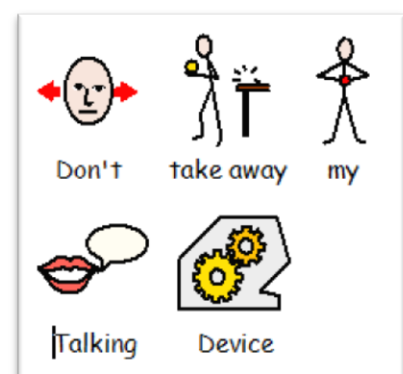
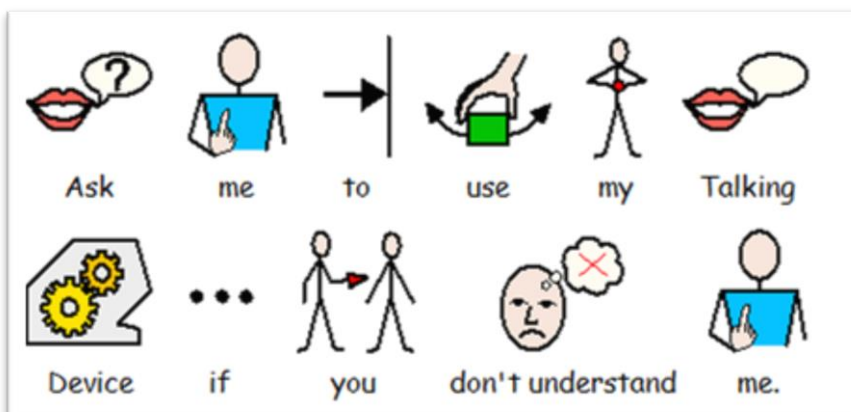
Our footballers managed to win most of their games, performing to the best of their ability, showing fantastic team spirit and supporting each other throughout the competition. As a result both teams qualified in first place, putting them through to the finals at Wembley, where we will play against the other regional finalists from across London. The finals will take place on Tuesday 28 November 2018.

The students that represented Stormont House and Hackney borough were: Under 13 team: Angelina, Callum, Joel M-D, Kishone, Anthony, Mohamed O and Cohen. Under 16 team: Moses, Kelvin, Sunny, Arjun, Cavonte and Humza. Well done everybody. You made our school and Hackney Borough proud again!!



SPEECH AND LANGUAGE CORNER – Different ways we communicate

Ms Anstee and Ms May are the Speech and Language Therapists working at Stormont House and they have enjoyed supporting students to achieve their goals so far this Autumn Term. At Stormont some students communicate using a total communication approach. They may use a combination of speech, signing, facial expression, body language, writing, pictures, or a talking device to understand and express themselves. In a recent school assembly a selection of students showed how they use their talking devices and pictures. The formal name for these are AAC (alternative and augmentative communication). AAC has been in the press quite a lot lately, an AAC user won Britain's Got Talent! Please remember these top tips from our students when supporting your child with their talking devices:



Stormont House - A Hundred Years Ago

Take a look at the link to the 'Stormont House Centenary' project - it is located in the 'About Us' area on the school website:

Stormont House Team



www.stormonthouse.hackney.sch.uk/website/about_us/73504

The award winning Theatre Company, Fifth Word ran an exciting First World War project entitled 'Stormont House Centenary' in partnership with Hackney Museum, Hackney Archives and was supported by Hackney Council's Leisure and Green Spaces. The project was undertaken by our present year 10, they investigated the history of Stormont House when it was a Red Cross Hospital during the First World War.

Agora ePayment System Coming Soon

CAPITA SIMS AGORA



Our school will soon be taking online payments for school meals

the easy way to pay



The new Agora ePayments system is the quick and easy way to accept online payments to the school.

Watch this space for more information coming soon

Supporting Relationships and Behaviours - Weekly Parent / Carer Group

We will be running a parent / carer group at Stormont House in the Autumn Term. The parent / carer group will be held every Monday from 4 - 5pm. Students are welcome to stay at school and participate in the cricket club which takes place from 3.30 - 5pm.

Dates:

Monday 5 November, 2018

Monday 12 November, 2018

Monday 19 November, 2018

Monday 26 November, 2018

Monday 3 December, 2018

Monday 10 December, 2018

Monday 17 December, 2018

This group will look at ways to support children around puberty, public and private behaviours, and relationship boundaries. These skills are crucial in developing independence and making sure children and young people are safe in the wider community. Refreshments will be provided, the sessions will be run jointly by the school SENCO Miss McCluskey and Speech and Language Therapist Aria May.

Please email Aria May on aria.may1@nhs.net to let us know if you are able to attend the group.



Term Dates for your Diary

Year 12 Open Evening for Parents / Carers

Year 9-10 Parents / Carers

End of Autumn Term

Spring Term Start

Spring Half Term

Staff Training Day

End of Spring Term

Staff Training Day

Summer Term Start

Summer Half Term

End of Summer Term

Tuesday 13 November 2018 - 4.30 to 6.30pm

Thursday 15 November 2018 - 4.30 to 7.30pm

Friday 21 December 2018 - School closes at 1.15pm

Monday 7 January 2019

Monday 18 to Friday 22 February 2019

Monday 18 March 2019 - School closed to students

Friday 5 April 2019

Tuesday 23 April 2019 - School closed to students

Wednesday 24 April 2019

Monday 27 May to Friday 31 May 2019

Friday 19 July 2019