



# Principal's Welcome 30th March 2020

As-salamu alaykum (peace be with you)

### Dear Parents,

I hope you and your families are well inshallah. I would like to thank you for your patience during the past 10 days, I know that things have changed very quickly with your children now being taught at home. Please don't think you are alone, although the school is physically closed, we are there for you behind the scenes, working hard to make sure that we keep in touch with you and your children, that they have a good supply of school work and that you feel supported.

# **Communication**

Each week your child's class teacher will ring you to make sure that you and your child are well and that your child is completing their school work appropriately.

If you have a query please email the admin account – <u>info@olivehackney.staracademies.org</u> where your email will be answered as soon as possible.

The school newsletter will continue to be sent to you on a weekly basis.

#### **Online Learning**

At the moment the teachers are organising online learning for Years 5 and 6 this week. If this is successful more year groups will follow. Instructions about how to join the Microsoft Team classrooms is on the Home Learning page on the website. Year 5 children will receive their own usernames and passwords this week.

# **Home Learning**

We have put lots of extra work and online websites for you to look at on the Olive School website. This work is optional and can be used to supplement the homework packs that your child has, please don't feel that your child needs to complete all of the online work.

If you have not collected your child's homework, the packs can be collected from the school office on Cazenove Road between the hours for 8am-3pm this coming week.

# **Keeping in Touch**

We will be keeping in touch with you in different ways during the next few weeks. This week we would love it if you could share the work your child has completed – some of which will go onto out Twitter feed! Please take a photo of your child's work with their name and send it to the school's email account <a href="info@olivehackney.staracademies.org">info@olivehackney.staracademies.org</a> Please only send photos with your child in if you consent to them being on our Twitter account.