## Olive School Hackney



## Principal's Welcome 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2020

As-salamu alaykum (peace be with you)

Dear Parents,

I hope you and your families are all well and in the best of health inshallah. We're coming to the end of the second week of home learning and it has been good to see what children and families have been doing during this time. We've had lots of photos showing some excellent home learning activities so far!



## **Spring Holidays**

We wish you all a peaceful and safe holiday during the next two weeks. We have updated the home learning section of the school website if you would like to continue with some activities with your children.

Online lessons for year 5 and 6 will start again from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April.



There's good news coming from Africa. After huge conservation efforts, the number of critically endangered black rhinoceroses is slowly increasing, according to the latest figures released by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN). The numbers show that the population has grown at a rate of 2.5% per year over the past six years. The species is still in danger; susceptible to poaching and a changing habitat due to the changing climate. Yet, the population growth provides hope that efforts put into saving the species are paying off.

Things to talk about at home ...

- Can you talk about your favourite wild animals? What is it you like about them?
- Do you think leaders and people in charge of different countries need to do more to help endangered animals, or do you think charities and people need to do more?