

# Olive School Hackney



## Principal's Welcome 27<sup>th</sup> April 2020

As-salamu alaykum (peace be with you)

Dear Parents,

Ramadan is finally upon us – I wish you all good health, strength and tawfeeq to value and cherish this blessed month. May your fasting, prayers, recitation of the noble Qur'aan, qiyaam and all good deeds during the nights and the days be accepted.

This week the staff have been busy organising activities for your children to complete during this holy month. We would love it if you could share photos of your child completing the activities – please email to @ [info@olivehackney.staracademies.org](mailto:info@olivehackney.staracademies.org) and write the year group in the heading. Please state whether you agree for your child's picture to be included in our twitter feed. We're excited to see what your child can make! You can find the work for each year group in the home learning section under the heading **Ramadan**.

## Star Coronavirus Appeal

This year we are fundraising for our community and for those around the country who are in need of help during the pandemic. The money will be used for:

- ✓ food vouchers to Star family members who cannot afford to feed themselves
- ✓ toiletry and home hygiene vouchers to Star families who are in financial difficulty
- ✓ provide PPE packs to local care homes, GP surgeries and hospitals
- ✓ advice and support for those in fuel poverty
- ✓ access to technology and stationery to any Star pupils who do not have these resources in their homes
- ✓ a telephone helpline to support parents requiring advice about home learning

You can transfer money directly into our Donations Account at:

**Bank:** Lloyds Bank

**Account name:** Shine Charity

**Sort code:** 30-90-87

**Account Number:** 19642768

Please email [info@shine-charity.org](mailto:info@shine-charity.org) with your donation details so that we can send you a receipt.

**DONATE**



Star

**CALLING ALL ARTISTS!**  
GIVE THANKS CREATIVELY

**STARS OF HOPE**



Well done to everyone who took part in the Stars of Hope Competition! The Trust have been overwhelmed with the amount of entries - they had over 400! Watch this space to find out if Olive Hackney has any winners!



## Picture News

at Home

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What's going on this week?



The World Health Organisation (WHO) have partnered with technology companies around the world campaigning to show how gaming can help fight coronavirus and 'save lives'. The WHO and computer game producers have come together to work on the #PlayApartTogether campaign, which aims to spread the importance of WHO guidelines, that will slow the spread of COVID-19, including staying inside, to the global audience of the gaming industry.

*Things to talk about at home...*

- 🕒 Have you ever played on a video or computer game? If so, what was it? Did you enjoy it? If not, would you like to play on one?
- 🕒 Why do you think video games are as popular as they are?
- 🕒 Do you prefer video games, or real-life games? Talk about why.