

## Spring Term 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back!

Please read on for some important dates and information about your child's learning this term. On the next page you will see an outline of the learning that the classes will be covering in the Spring Term.

### Core Subjects Overview

In **Maths**, we will be focusing on Place Value (within 20), addition and subtraction (within 20) for the first half term. We will then move on to Place value (within 50). After that, we will learn about measurement. In **English**, we will learn the skills needed to help us write instructions, recount, narrative and poetry. In **Science**, our topics are 'Planting -caring for plants, Animals' and 'Seasonal change'.

### PE Times

**Olympus:** Monday & Thursday

**Karisimbi:** Thursday & Friday

**Kilimanjaro:** Thursday & Friday

Please ensure that your child comes to school wearing their PE kit (white top, navy bottoms and black shoes) on PE days and bear in mind that most PE sessions will be outside. Your child will need a pair of trainers please.

### Homework and Reading

Book bags will be sent out on Tuesday and need to be returned on the following Monday.

Spelling homework will be sent out weekly via google Classroom on Friday and we will have a test the following Friday.

For Maths, please download 1-minute maths.

At the beginning of each term, a homework project will be set to be completed by the end of that term. This term our project is on our topic 'Time Machine'. We will be sending details shortly.

### Sharing Assembly

**Olympus:** Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February

**Karisimbi:** Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March

**Kilimanjaro:** Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February

### Term dates:

We break up for half term at 2:30pm on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February**. Children return to school on **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**.

We break up for the Easter holiday at 2:30pm on **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March**.

The Millfields Mag is sent via email and text each Friday. Please read it with your child so that you can keep up to date with what is happening at school. Teachers will also post a summary of learning on Google Classroom each week.

If you have any questions about your child's learning or any aspect of school life, please e-mail [info@millfields.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:info@millfields.hackney.sch.uk) or contact the class teacher directly via email.

Kind Regards

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