





# THE COMPASS

Southern Road Primary School Newsletter

Wednesday 21st July

### Headteacher's final update of the year

As I write this final newsletter of the year I do so filled with pride and admiration at the way the pupils, staff and school community have responded to the challenges we have all faced. We have been all been affected by the pandemic in many different ways but as a school community we have shown that we can achieve great success together.

Over the last year our pupils have missed over 400 hours of face to face teaching, 400 hours of being with friends and 400 hours of memories that would have been created if the children had been in school. However what astounds me is the amount of progress the pupils have still made in their learning. Being able to provide all our pupils with a device and effective remote learning during the lockdown meant our children were still making strides in their learning.

Since the school reopened fully in March this progress has only continued and the children leave for the summer holidays ready for the next stage in their learning. We will continue to provide them the support they require next year. The teachers have done a truly remarkable job and they themselves should feel immensely proud.

I would like to wish our amazing Year 6 pupils all the best for the future. The graduation event was a fitting end to their time here at Southern Road and we will miss them all greatly.

Our school motto of Strive, Resilience, Pride and Success could not be more fitting.

Have a lovely summer and stay safe.

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### Thankyou, Farewell and Good luck!

We say a fond farewell to Miss Saleh who will be leaving us this year. Miss Saleh has been with us since she was a newly qualified teacher in 2017. She is a passionate, caring and inspirational teacher and will be missed by all. We wish her luck and look forward to hearing about her new adventure in Kuwait.



Charlene Podico our Place2be school project manager will also be leaving us this Summer. The positive impact she has had in being part of Southern Road will be missed and I am sure you will join me in wishing her well for her future endeavours.



Last but not least we of course say goodbye to Mr Crompton. Mr Crompton will be retiring this Summer after working at Southern Road for over 20 years. He has taught many generations of our families over his time here and through his fun, engaging and passionate teaching style has enabled many children to succeed beyond expectations. We wish him all the best in his retirement. I am sure you agree he will be sorely missed.





## Class structure for next year

| Year 6    | Lucy Tripp<br>6LT              | Nicole Austin<br>6NA                      | Mishkat Chowdhury<br>6MC      |
|-----------|--------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| Year 5    | Paul Greengrass<br>5PG         | Vlad Petruk<br>5VP                        | Christine Wolstenholme<br>5CW |
| Year 4    | Liezel Van<br>Schalkwyk<br>4LV | Kim Burgess<br>4KB                        | David Lennon<br>4DL           |
| Year 3    | Caoimhe Dunne<br>3CD           | N   | Tracy Peters<br>3TP           |
| Year 2    | Natalie Wireko<br>2NW          | W E                                       | Laura Piddington<br>2LP       |
| Year 1    | Nadia Sukander<br>1NS          | Lauren Hayward<br>1LH                     | Georgia Sprague<br>1GS        |
| Reception | Tania Begum<br>Green           | Sharon Ormsby/<br>Rasheada Khan<br>Orange | Alison Redman<br>Purple       |
| Nursery   | Gloria Bennett                 |   |                               |





It's the final rockstars chart of the term! Well done to 5VP, 4KB, 6LT and 6MC who had 100% of their players practising their tables this week!

Thank you for all your hard work this year, rockstars! Don't forget to keep practising over the summer break!

#### Southern Road Most Played!

- 1. 5VP 100%
- 2. 4KB 100%
- 3. 6LT 100%
- 4. 6MC 100%
- 5. 3NA 94%
- 5CW 93%
- 7. 4DL 90%
- 8. 4LP 90%
- 9. 6AS 89%
- 10. 2TB 85%
- 11. 2CD 85%
- 12. 3LV 80%
- 13. 2RC 70%
- 14. 3TP 17%
- 15. 5PG 10%



**New school times:** 

Reception-Year 6
Registration-8.45am
End of day-3pm



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