



As I write this newsletter, I am sitting in the celebration hall, surrounded by The Roehampton Community Boxes. It has been good to be able to speak to so many parents and catch up.

Half Term

Half term is next week 25th – 29th May. Please take the week off and make the most of the weather. I hope lots of you are able to get outside. Google Classroom will start again on Monday 1st June.

School Opening

If your child has been in school for the past few weeks, they will continue to come to school from Monday June 1st. You will receive a separate letter to explain this.

If your child is in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 6, we will find out on Thursday 28th May whether schools are permitted to re-open. Please see the separate letter for all of this information.

If school does re-open, we are initially only offering Nursery places to children whose parents need to get back to work. We will review this on Friday 5th June to see if we can open to more Nursery children.

Lots of parents are telling me that they don't want to bring their children back yet – they want to see how it goes. I have only planned for the children whose parents have confirmed on the telephone this week.

If you change your mind, you must contact the school and agree a start date with us. This may take a few days.

Fencing

The fencing around school continues to be replaced. I am sure you will agree it looks so much better! The gates will also be replaced so I am looking forward to seeing them in action!

School Improvement

On Thursday evening, the governors met via Zoom to receive training on the Ofsted framework. It was delivered by our school Link Inspector. We focused on how children learn and we included a long discussion on how children commit their learning to memory.

Fencing behind KS2 playground

For many months, I have been in conversation with the Local Authority about the wooden fence at the back of the KS2 playground (opposite the Y1 classroom doors). I hope that they are going to be able to replace it within the next few weeks.

Online Learning

If school does re-open:

For Year 2, Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5, we will be continuing with Google Classroom. The teachers will telephone you every 2 weeks (instead of every week) after the half term.

For Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 6, Google Classroom will only stay open for dance and music. The class stream will be closed. Parents can collect paper-based learning weekly from the school office.

Roehampton Community Box

Even though school is closed next week for half term, we are still running the Roehampton Community Box. If you have your box delivered, it will come on its usual day. If you collect your box from school, please arrive 10am – 1pm on Friday. Orode and I will see you there!

	Events
Monday 1 st June	School re-opens for children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 – depending on the government announcement on Thursday 28th May .
Tuesday 2 nd June	
Wednesday 3 rd June	
Thursday 4 th June	
Friday 5 th June	