

Dear Parents / Carers

RE: Summer School at EGA School

We are looking forward to meeting your child/ward at summer school. This letter is to confirm their place and the arrangements for the week, including the advice around COVID tests.

Timings:

Summer School will run from 9am to 3pm every day. Please arrive a bit earlier than this and enter via the entrance by the art and technology block (towards the top of Risinghill Street). This will be the year 7 entrance in September. Parents/carers are welcome to come into the canteen with your child and meet the year team, but there is no expectation to stay. When the students go into their morning assembly, parents are welcome to stay and talk to the year team until around 9:30am.

Food:

We will provide break time snacks and lunch in the canteen every day. If your child/ward has specific dietary requirements or tastes, we would recommend sending them with a packed lunch. They should bring a refillable water bottle as there are water fountains on site.

Clothing and equipment:

Your child should wear comfortable and casual clothes and trainers, suitable for a variety of activities. They do not need to wear their new school uniform.

COVID testing:

The Department for Education (DFE) is advising COVID tests for students on school sites over the summer holidays. We are asking that you test your child at home the evening before they attend summer school with a lateral flow test.

Test results are reported to school using this link [Covid Test Results \(google.com\)](#) You should not attend summer school if the test is positive and should telephone the school on 020 7837 0739 to report the positive test.

If you need a lateral flow test kit, boxes of these can be obtained from the school reception on Friday 20th August between 11.00am and 1pm and on Monday 23rd August between 9.00am and 3.00pm. They can also be collected for free from any pharmacy. The boxes come with instructions on how to undertake the test and interpret the results.

Reporting non-attendance:

Please let us know if your child is no longer able to attend on any of the days you signed them up for by emailing holly.wilkins@egas.islington.sch.uk

If you have any queries please contact the school.

Yours faithfully



On behalf of EGA School

