



Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

**I would like to start by saying welcome to new parents and carers of our school community. Year 10 and 12 have settled in to our routines really well. They are really ambitious and creative young people and there is a lovely buzz around our building.**

### **Start of Term**

Our induction week went off with a bang! Activities included: outdoor adventure team building, a marketing challenge at the British Film Institute, the Science Museum, the Museum of London and tour of the Barbican and Southbank and a taster day at the University of Sunderland (London).

### **Parent Information Evenings**

Many thanks to the parents who attended the Year 10 information session yesterday. We will be holding information sessions for the remaining year groups:

- Year 11 Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2022
- Year 12 Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2022
- Year 13 Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2022

The aim of these sessions to keep parents and carers informed about the school's expectations upon students in relation to their learning and also to update you about some upcoming enrichment opportunities in Production Arts and STEM. A parents session on Online Safety will follow next half term, further information on this will follow.

### **Open Evening**

Our first Open Evening for prospective Year 10 and 12 students and parents will take place on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October from 4:30pm to 6:30pm. Please share this date with your family and friends.

### **Free School Meals**

A letter and text has gone to parents and carers about what to do if you believe your child is eligible for Free School Meals. Both new and existing parents are required to provide confirmation from the local authority. New applications can be made here: [www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/apply](http://www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/apply)

Yours sincerely,

Ms S Brian  
Acting Principal