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Apex Bulletin

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WELCOME TO THE APEX NEWSLETTER

With the challenge that the current pandemic has presented, our students at Apex have continued to persevere their way into 2021, making sure that the impact of current lockdowns and school closures upon their education is kept to a minimum. Looking forward, our teachers and staff at Apex are working tirelessly to ensure the success of our students in their academic results this year.



NEW YEAR AND THE VIRTUAL ERA

With the arrival of the new year, we have adapted quickly and seamlessly to being able to provide our tuition online.

Our aim is to motivate and encourage our pupils to perform the best they can during the sessions.





Whilst our students may not be able to attend our centre, we strive to ensure our students receive support towards their learning, even from the comfort of their home through online sessions.

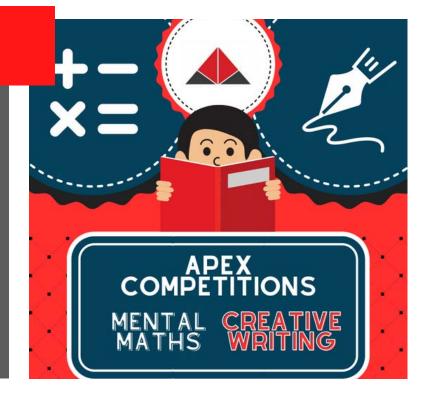
If you require guidance or have any concerns regarding online sessions, please get in touch with us.

Soon, we will also be starting our fourth Saturday session, from 3:30pm to 5.15pm.

CHANNELING COMPETITIVE SPIRIT

In addition to our regular sessions, our students will have the amazing opportunity to display their skills in both creative writing and mental maths competitions. These competitions will be scheduled to take place very soon.

We can't wait to see our students show off their talents and excel in these competitions!



REWARD A FRIEND!

For existing students, Apex has a refer a friend scheme in which you can receive *£50 for the referral of every parent who enrols their children at Apex.

The new student and existing student must stay with us for that period to get in on the scheme, there is no limit to the number of students you can refer, so let your friends know!

*Terms & Conditions apply

MEET SOME OF OUR TEACHERS



MR JAMES
STUDIED NATURAL SCIENCES AT
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON (UCL)
TEACHES SCIENCE AND MATHS



MISS LORIG
STUDIED ENGLISH LITERATURE AT
THE UNIVERSITY OF YORK
TEACHES ENGLISH AND MATHS



MISS VENUS
STUDYING POLITICS AT
QUEEN MARY UNIVERSITY
TEACHES ENGLISH AND MATHS



MISS YASMIN

STUDYING HISTORY AT
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON (UCL)
TEACHES ENGLISH AND MATHS



APEX IN THE COMMUNITY



Our 'Apex in the Community' initiative has a clear mission, 'to address the educational inequality in our communities' by improving access to a multitude of provision which includes supplementary education through the Apex programmes; reinforcing inclusion and equity in education.

'Apex in the Community' utilises it's network of contacts so that more and more young people can access a whole range of provision, with a strong focus on supplementary education to narrow the widening attainment gap. Our programmes are tailored to each young person so that it is designed to work for them. Taking a multi-faceted approach to provision 'Apex in the Community' arranges sessions for young people, reaching some of the the most disadvantaged in our communities.

We strive to make a huge social, mental and well-being impact on the lives of young people in Hackney and the UK.

DAUBENEY OCTOBER HALF TERM

During the October half-term holiday, our students from Daubeney Primary School engaged in an amazing week of fun and joyful activities.

The students had the chance to participate in; exceptional drama workshops surrounding October's focus on Black History Month, tuition and learning in support of autumn term education and sports activities such as football and cricket.

We were also honoured to be able to support footballer, Marcus Rashford MBE, in his campaign to provide free school packed lunches during the October half-term.





Click the photos to view our Daubeney Half Term video



NARROWING THE ATTAINMENT GAP



QUEST QUEST

Immediate Theatre



Apex in the community has launched a brand new initiative which will provide 'catch-up' tuition classes for young people who have been affected by the pandemic.

"Narrowing the attainment gap" will run until the end of the 2021 academic year and is supported by our trusted partners; Hackney Quest, Immediate Theatre and Salaam Peace.

Our mission is to reinforce inclusion and achieve equity in education.

OUR PATRONS



COUNCILLOR HUMAIRA GARASIA

"I feel lucky to be a patron of this wonderful organisation. I've seen the change they make within the community. When I go to the classroom sessions, I see the great work that they do. Apex is a fantastic organisation that makes a real difference"

COUNCILLOR SUSAN FAJANA-THOMAS

"Im proud to be a patron of Apex. They do fantastic work in Hackney and we want to see our young people succeed"





COUNCILLOR KAM ADAMS

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IMPORTANT NOTICES

KEEPING UP WITH ABSENCES

In the event of absence, please notify us via admin@alh.org.uk.

All missed classes are to be made up, to ensure consistency in student tuition.

STAYING IN CONTACT

Please save the following phone number, 07849 840 854, in your contact list to ensure that you recieve all of our important news broadcasts and notices through WhatsApp.

FEES MADE EASY

Payments for sessions are due at the beginning of each month.

As of January 1st 2021, book fees can only be paid online.

ONLINE LEARNING

Upon completion of a book whilst learning at home, please attend our centre on; Friday's between 4pm - 7pm or Satudrday's between 9am - 4pm, to drop off the completed book. We will have the next book ready for collection.

TESTIMONIALS FROM OUR COMMUNITY

Father of year 6 student

"Apex has motivated my son, especially during the lockdown to improve considerably. Well done Apex!"

Mother of year 2 student

I am extremely happy with my daughter's progress since joining. She is more confident in the subjects and enjoys the challenge given by Apex. Keep it up!"

Mother of year 9 student

"Really appreciate the support given to both children by building their confidence and giving additional life skills".

Father of year 1 student

Apex has provided me with an amazing opportunity to exceed my son in his learning. Apex do as they promise - and more!

Year 11 Student

"Has helped me excel in my revision in both my English and Maths. The staff are not only just teachers, but are role models in my community!"

Daubeney Primary

School

Year 11 Student

"The subject specialist teaching I receive has really helped me improve. The care the teachers take in helping me with the curriculum is perfect!"

"Apex have risen to the challenge of the current lockdown, providing remote learning sessions to pupils who were receiving supplementary tutoring at Daubeney Primary School.

The community partnership between Apex and Daubeney has gone from strength to strength, especially with supporting the community with IT equipment and a summer camp after the first lockdown.

We eagerly await the opportunity to have Apex back on site, improving outcomes for our pupils!"

Gregory Logan Head of Daubeney Primary School "At Hackney Quest, we've been collaborating with Apex for just over a year. A number of our young people attend Apex sessions, and they are gaining a lot from it.

We share a vision to support local young people to reach their potential, and to overcome any barriers they may be facing to academic and personal development.

We look forward to continuing to work with Apex to the benefit of young people and families in our local community."

Luke Billingham Hackney Quest

KEEPING OUR STUDENTS 'COVID SAFE'

Since our return from the first lockdown last summer, we have continuously been working in line with government coronavirus (COVID-19) prevention guidelines to keep both our students and staff safe.

Starting from the moment our students arrive at our centre, the use of hand sanitisers as well as the practice of handwashing is regularly promoted. Throughout our centre, and in all of our classrooms, sanitising stations are present to help reduce the risk of the disease spreading.

Alongside this, our classrooms are arranged to ensure social distancing is observed throughout. From having our students seated two metres apart to limiting class sizes, our classrooms are equipped with the measures required to maintain the safest learning environment for our students.





THANK YOU

We would like to say a massive thanks to all parents for their continued support towards Apex, in addition to our students' education. If you have any queries or enquires, please don't hesitate to get in contact.

We hope our community of students, parents and staff stay safe during these unprecedented times and wish you all the best!



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