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Dear Shacklewell Families,

re: Curriculum and Autumn 2 Calendar Dates

I am sure that you are all looking forward to the half term break next week and to spending time together with your children. I hope that you have been able to talk to the children about their learning in geography, science, art, maths and English as well as the many other subjects we teach here at the school.

Thank you for completing the recent questionnaire- I will be writing to you in the new term to share the outcomes from your feedback.

After the half term break we will introduce our first history units for this year. To support the children's learning you might like to consider exploring some of the day trips and resources in the table below.

Year	History Topic	Half Term Free Trips	Useful Links
Y1	Living History	Museum of the Home	BBC Bitesize
Y2	Hackney's History	Hackney Museum	BBC Bitesize
Y3	Stone Age to Iron Age	Museum of London	BBC Bitesize
Y4	The Romans	London Mithraeum	English Heritage
Y5	The Vikings	Vikings Live Online	English Heritage
Y6	Benin	The British Museum	BBC Bitesize

Here you can find some important curriculum documents for the new half term.

History Knowledge Organiser	Curriculum Leaflet	Home Learning
Year 1	Year 1	Year 1
Year 2	Year 2	Year 2
Year 3	Year 3	Year 3
Year 4	Year 4	Year 4
Year 5	Year 5	Year 5
Year 6	Year 6	Year 6

Please see the table overleaf for the autumn 2 key dates. These include key events for Christmas, enrichment activities and parent events.

Have a restful half term break and I look forward to seeing you all at 8.50am on Monday 31st October.

Yours faithfully,

Rory McGrath
 Headteacher

Date	Event
Monday 31st October	School opens for autumn 2 - 8:50am
	Swimming begins for Year 3 (4 weeks - 3S until 11th/ 3W until 25th)
Tuesday 1st November	Reception children visiting Hindu Temple
	IS library visit
Wednesday 2nd November	2S library visit
Friday 4th November	Y1 trip to Islington Museum
	Individual and sibling photos
Monday 7th November	Reception trip to Butterfield Green
Tuesday 8th November	IW library visit
Wednesday 9th November	2W library visit
	Book Fair
Wednesday 9th November- 12.00pm	Y1 Come Dine with Me
Thursday 10th November - 8.30am	Preschool reading breakfast
Friday 11th November - 10.00am	4S Sharing Assembly
Tuesday 15th November	IS library visit
Tuesday 15th November - 2.00pm	Y6 Come Learn with Me
Wednesday 16th November	2S library visit
Wednesday 16th November - 12.30pm	Y3 Come Dine with Me
Friday 18th November - 10.00am	4W Sharing Assembly
Tuesday 22nd November	IW library visit
Tuesday 22nd November - 2.00pm	Y5 Come Learn with Me
Wednesday 23rd November	2W library visit
Wednesday 23rd November - 12.40pm	Y4 Come Dine with Me
Friday 25th November - 10.00am	3S Sharing Assembly
Tuesday 29th November	IS library visit
Tuesday 29th November - 2.00pm	Y2 Come Learn with Me
Wednesday 30th November - 12.45pm	Y5 Come Dine with Me
Wednesday 30th November	2S library visit
	Y4 Sports Festival trip at Britannia
	Y6 Tfl Workshop
Friday 2nd December -10.00am	3W Sharing Assembly
Tuesday 6th December	IW library visit
Wednesday 7th December - 2.00pm	Y1 Come Learn with Me
Wednesday 7th December	2W library visit
Wednesday 7th December - 12.50pm	Y6 Come Dine with Me
Thursday 8th December - 3.45pm - 8.00pm	Parent Consultations
Friday 9th December	Christmas Jumper Day
	Christmas Lunch
	Winter Fair
Tuesday 13th December	KSI/2 Hackney Empire Pantomime trip
	EYFS Bigfoot School Panto
Friday 16th December - 2.00pm	School holidays begin (term dates)