JULIAN'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear New Reception Families,

Update on September 2026 arrangements and next steps for the Streatham rebuild

We are writing to update you on plans for the start of the new school year in September, and to share the next steps in the ongoing rebuild of the Streatham site following the fire in August 2025.

September 2026 – confirmed arrangements

We can confirm that we will continue to operate from our current temporary arrangements at 21 Cunliffe Street, SW16 6DS at the start of the new school year. Staff are already planning for a smooth transition into the autumn term, with a strong focus on stability, high-quality teaching and pastoral care for every child.

We know how important clarity is for families, and we want to reassure you that the arrangements in place will continue to provide a safe, nurturing and well-organised learning environment.

Starting in Reception

We know that starting school is a big milestone, and we want to reassure you that your child will have a warm, stable and positive start to their time at Julian's. Our Early Years team is experienced, nurturing and fully prepared to welcome your children in September.

We are exploring whether a partial reopening of the Streatham site may be possible for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 from September 2026. This would allow our youngest pupils to return to the Early Years and Key Stage 1 classrooms earlier than the rest of the school.

A full feasibility assessment is currently underway. No final decision has been made, and we expect to have a clearer position after the half-term break, once the next stage of technical and safety reviews is complete.

We will update you as soon as we have confirmed information.

In the meantime, we will continue to provide clear information about September arrangements, opportunities to meet the team, and ways to help your child settle confidently into school life.

If you have any questions, please do get in touch.

Warm regards,





Alison Moller

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