



22 June 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian

Opportunity of a summer school place for your child

As you may be aware, due to the Covid-19 pandemic the Government has announced a catch-up programme with additional funding for secondary schools. Within this catch-up programme, the Government has proposed that secondary schools are able to provide a summer school programme for year 6 students transitioning to secondary school, with the aim of offering a blend of academic education and enrichment activities.

Maiden Erlegh School in Reading is delighted to announce that we will be running a week-long Summer School for year 6 pupils who will be attending Maiden Erlegh School in Reading from September 2021. The programme will run from 26 July 2021 to 30 July 2021 – 9am until 2.30pm, with the option to sign up for a late pick up of 4pm. There is no option to attend on selected days meaning a child must attend all week to take part.

As previously stated, the Summer School will be a blend of English, Mathematics and Science as well as enrichment activities, such as PE, Drama and Music and will be based around the theme of The Olympics.

If you would like your child to attend, please complete the form at the link below by **5pm on Friday 25 June**. If we have a high level of demand, we may need to cap the number of spaces offered. Equally, we may not be able to run the Summer School if there is insufficient demand for spaces. The space for your child will be confirmed to you by **16 July 2021**.

[Sign up here.](#)

For further information or if you have any questions, please contact me via MERoffice@maidenerleghtrust.org.

We really hope that your child will take advantage of this unique opportunity to familiarise themselves with the school building and start to build relationships with our staff ahead of their formal start in September 2021. We are looking forward to welcoming them to Maiden Erlegh School in Reading.

Yours sincerely

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Mr A Sparks
Summer School Co-ordinator