



## Weekly Newsletter – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2020

### Message from the Headteacher

The final full week of this academic year draws to a close today. Thank you to you all, whether at school or at home for your continued support. We are all so looking forward now to September and to having a full school of children again.

Children in Class 6 have continued to enjoy wearing their end of year hoodies – a number of staff have bought these this year too so there is a real sense of attention on this particular year group.

#### **Virtual Sports Day Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July**

Have you limbered up? Have you been practising? Are you ready for our whole school – those of you at home and at school – virtual Sports Day on Monday? Remember – children can wear sports clothes to school for the day for this event.

#### **September 2020**

Arrangements regarding the start of the new academic year have now been finalised; look out for letters coming out today.

I am pleased to inform you that Miss Chloe Conway is joining us as class teacher for Year 4 in September. She has written a letter of introduction to the families of her new class and we are all looking forward to getting to know her.

#### **After School Childcare and Breakfast Club**

Government guidelines for the autumn term permit us to run our After School Childcare Service. This will mean that children from class bubbles across the school will be combined so strict social distancing will be in place within this.

We have surveyed families and have an idea of the numbers of families who will wish to use this service. Booking forms will be sent via parentmail.

The nursery are not able to run the Breakfast Club in the autumn term due to restrictions on how they are able to operate. We have decided, therefore, to offer before school childcare from 7.45am – 8.35am in order to help the families who need this service. We will not be providing breakfast, however. The Nursery will review on a termly basis whether they are able to take this service back.

Further details and booking forms for Before School Childcare will be sent out shortly.

Please note that these services will commence the week beginning 7<sup>th</sup> September.

#### **End of Term**

A reminder that this school year finishes on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July. Children at school are to be collected at the time they have been leaving all term.

Helen Comfort





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### Message from the Class R Teacher

Hello Class R,

I cannot believe it is nearly the end of your time in Reception! Thank you so much for a wonderful school year.

I have enjoyed teaching every single one of you and I will miss teaching you. You have learnt so much this year and you have all made me very proud. Remember to always do your best and to be kind to others. Have a great summer and keep smiling!

Mrs Collins 😊

Something to make you smile!

Q: What school do children like to go to during the summer?

A: Sundae school – because of all the ice cream!

### Special Message from Mrs Hoile

Dear Class R,

How are you doing? I hope you are keeping well. I have really missed seeing your lovely faces and spending time with you this year. But I am so happy that I will get to be your teacher again in Year1!

I feel very lucky and I am excited to be making this move with you. I hope you have a super Summer holiday with your families and I can't wait to see you all in September. Take care and stay safe.

With love from Mrs Hoile

### Well Being

A team from South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust are sharing free access to their website: <http://www.cues-ed.co.uk/looking-after-ourselves>. Their aim was to create something fun and interactive for children to help them think about how important it is to look after ourselves, and others, during these challenging times. Primarily aimed at Years 3 and 4, the tips and strategies look useful for us all!

### Useful Weblinks

- Number flashcards and printables- <https://www.activityvillage.co.uk/maths-printables>
- Build a pictures using 2d shapes - <http://www.mathcats.com/explore/polygons.html>

### The Week Ahead!

Week commencing 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020

- **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020** - Virtual Sports Day
- **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2020** - Last day of Term

