Steam Mills Primary

Newsletter

13.03.20

Coronavirus - Letter from Mrs Davis

Dear families,

We appreciate that lots of families are worried about coronavirus and so please phone us if you have any queries that we can help with. Please be reassured that extra hygiene is prominent at school regarding use and disposal of tissues, handwashing etc. and we are doing all we can to minimise risk. We have not had any confirmation that children have been in contact with anyone who has tested positive and we are following all guidelines and Government advice. Schools are having daily updates from the DfE and we will keep you updated with any changes. The advice over the last two weeks has remained the same in terms of promoting more frequent hygiene routines. Due to the announcement yesterday, we ask you to be vigilant and if your child has a new cough or fever, please keep them off school for seven days. Please follow this advice to minimise risk to others. We will contact you if your child develops any symptoms during the school day so that you can come and collect. Your support is very much appreciated, as always.

In the event of school closure, we will put more links to educational resources on our website for the children and provide ideas for activities.

As always, please phone or come in to speak to us if you have any concerns. Please keep an eye on this section of the website as any updates will be posted here and the link will be copied to the app. Paper copies will be sent out to those who have asked to remain on the paper copy list.

In the meantime, we are making sure that school is normal for the children and they are having a great day today dressed in sports clothes for Sport Relief! Thank you for supporting this as it was short notice, and thank you for sending in money for the charity.

Best wishes, Mrs Davis

School Dinners

Please can we remind parents of their responsibility to book in advance – there is a 48hr cut-off. We are finding an increasing number of children arriving at lunchtimes without meals booked and no sandwich box from home. Thank you

Parents Evenings/Clubs

Reminder that there will be no after school clubs on 18th & 19th March because of Parents Evenings. Breakfast Club and Wrap around care will be running as normal. Bookings for Parent Evenings can be made via eSchools. Please contact the school office if you experience any problems accessing eSchools. Thank you

Diary Dates

March

March	
18 ^{t-} 19 th	Parents' Evenings
20 th	Pre-school Mother's Day
	Afternoon Tea – 2:00pm
23 rd	Class 3 Violin Performance –
	1:15pm
27 th	Football Tournament –
	selected team at St. Whites
April	
3rd	Easter Celebration – 9:15am
Ŭ	End of Term – 3:15pm
20 th	INSET
20 21st	Term 5 starts
2131	Class 4 start Swimming
	No clubs 1 st week back
wile	New clubs start for
w/c 27 th	Summer Term
27 ^m 28 th	
28"	Puppet Show at Woodside
	Primary - PS,C1&C2
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May 8 th	Perels Heliders
8''' 11 th	Bank Holiday SATS week
20 th	Class Photographs – Tempest
oond	Photography
22 nd	Sponsored Walk Day
	End of term
June	Tamas (at anta
	Term 6 starts
2 nd	Class 3 start Gymnastics
3rd-	Y5/6 Residential Trip to
5 th	London
10 th	Pre-school Sports Afternoon –
	1:30pm
11 th	Sports Day – 1:00pm
29 th	Five Acres Welcome Days for
	Y6

	Steam Mills Superstars!
Pre-School	Marigold & Blair
Class 1	Olivia & Primrose
Class 2	Ali & Elwood
Class 3	Oscar & Riley M
Class 4	Callie & Finlay D