

Newsletter 26 – Monday 20th April, 2015



It was great to see everyone back on Tuesday last week! The Summer Term has started brilliantly: the sun is out (most of the time) and our children look wonderful in their Summer Uniforms! Welcome to all the new children and parents/carers who have joined us after Easter. It is great to see new children join our classes!

Please, remember to make sure your child wears the correct school uniform. There are still a few children coming to school in their Autumn/Winter uniform.

Reminders:

- white socks for girls, if they're wearing dresses
- if it's a bit cold, girls should wear white tights (as opposed to grey)
- hair should be tied back (white or blue hair bands)
- ties are not necessary

School Summer Hats: children should wear their own hats during hot weather (labelled with your child's name).

Sun Cream: As per school policy, and to follow health and safety guidelines, 'parents are reminded that children should have sun cream applied at home before school, as staff cannot apply it. Year 2 children may bring sun-cream to put on themselves at playtime/lunchtime, though they may not share this with others (bottles need to be clearly labelled with the children's names).' (Adverse Weather Conditions Policy – JUNE 2014)

Embroidered School Polo Shirts will be available for sale next week. We will have two options: 100% cotton (£7.50) or 50% cotton/50% polyester (£5). Payments will need to be made on ParentPay.

School Rucksacks will also be available next week for £12. **School rucksacks should be used for Swimming.** They can also be used for PE and Clubs. However, they cannot be used as book bags. Payments will need to be made on ParentPay.



Dates for Summer 1

- Friday 24th April: Share in Learning
- Friday 1st May (straight after drop off): Whole-Academy Photograph
- Monday 4th – Friday 15th May: Charity Fortnight
- Friday 8th May: Coffee Morning
- Friday 15th May: Share in Learning
- Monday 18th May to Friday 22nd May: Walk to School Week
- Friday 22nd May: Coffee Morning

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Attendance – Remember, our target is 97.5%

ATTENDANCE	MARIE CURIE	YANNICK NOAH	ANTOINE DE SAINT-EXUPÉRY	GEORGE SAND	TOTAL
LAST WEEK	98.9%	98.3%	94.9%	97.8%	97.3%
SINCE SEPTEMBER	96.4%	96%	96.8%	96.3%	96.4%



This year, National Walk to School Week takes place from Monday 18th May to Friday 22nd May. This year, the challenge is called Foot Notes. It is a 5-Day Walking Challenge based around four themes: fun, health, safety and environment.

More information will be available soon.

For children to take part (and receive prizes), please let teachers know by Thursday 23rd April by leaving a note in your child's bag. Children, to take part, should walk to school (or for part of their journey to school).



Beach Trip

As you know, we will be taking the children to the beach on Wednesday 15th July (with Year 2 staying overnight, and coming back on Thursday 16th).

The cost of the trip is:

- Reception and Year 1: £27.50
- Year 2: £30.00

Apologies about the error made on ParentPay. Prices have been rectified.

Your payment will cover transport, food, and activity costs.

Payments need to be made by Wednesday 20th May.

For families which might find the cost prohibitive, please do not hesitate to come and speak to Dr Chapleau. Discussions will be treated confidentially.