Newsletter

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This week

Y2 parents

We would like to invite you and your child to a very quick meeting straight after school next Thursday 18 July. The purpose is to share a few brief messages and to show you next year's classrooms so you know where to drop off and collect your child.

Please collect your child from Y2 as normal at 3:15pm and head over to the KS2 hall for a 3.20 pm start. We anticipate the meeting and classroom visit only taking 10-15 minutes.

Reading Books - EYFS/KS1

Please return all reading books and library books as soon as possible, and by the end of next week. The children will not be bringing home any new books from today but will continue to have lots of opportunities during class.

<u>Surveys</u>

Please see links to Parents Surveys which we would be grateful if you would take the time to complete. Thank you.

Reception - https://forms.office.com/e/HcAykwX9tq
Y1 and Y2 - https://forms.office.com/e/JXssRFr0Rk
Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 - https://forms.office.com/e/JXssRFr0Rk

Stay Put – KS1/KS2

Well done to all the children for being sensible and listening to instructions so carefully during our Stay Put Drill on Tuesday morning.

Carrier Bags - EYFS/KS1

Please send your child in with a named carrier bag to bring home their books and work.

Lost Property

A table will be put out in the playground with lost property laid out on Monday and Tuesday. Anything unclaimed by the end of the day on Tuesday will go to Bertie Bin at Meadway.

Summer safety advice for parents

Rail safety

The rail network is all around us, including rail depots and sidings which are very dangerous places for children to play. Parents can find rail safety videos and resources at https://switchedonrailsafety.co.uk/. Switched On is a new rail safety programme for 3-16 year olds that encourages young people to stay Switched On around the railway. On the website you will find a wide range of age targeted films, interactive games and activities.

Water safety

As we are a school near the River Thames, please remind your children of the dangers of swimming. Richmond council water safety advice video for parents is here

Float to live advice from the London Fire Brigade

Window safety

With the summer approaching and windows more likely to be open window safety is a key area that multi- agency practitioner's can raise awareness about with families.

- Make sure that children cannot reach windows, and that they are kept locked(but easy to open in an emergency)
- •If opening a window, make sure children are supervised
- •Don't keep furniture near windows that could be climbed upon

Sunscreen

Please remember to apply sunscreen to your child before they come in to school in the morning. Once applied before school in the morning, it generally does not need to be reapplied. Also, please remember to send your child in with a sunhat.

School Uniform Policy for the new academic year

You may recall, in November 2022 we held a consultation on our school uniform policy which comes into effect in 2024/25. Our two aims were to have one uniform policy across the Federation so there is less variation across the key stages and to make things simpler for everyone whilst maintaining affordability. As some of you will be looking to buy/replace school uniform items please remember to check the current policy. This can be found on the policies pages of either of our two websites following these links <u>Policies page</u> or <u>Polices page</u> to ensure you buy the correct items.

Governing Body Vacancies

We are currently recruiting for two vacancies on our Governing Body. We are looking for candidates who can bring the following skills to the table: Finance, Health & Safety/Premises, Diversity, Chairing/Team Working/Facilitation. Please see either school website via the following link <u>Governor Vacancies</u> for further information and an application pack.

DIARY DATES

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DATE	YEAR GROUP	EVENT	
Tues 23 July	All	Last day of Summer Term	
INFANT ONLY D	ATES		
Tue 16 July	Y2	Scarlet class Curriculum visit to The Stockyard	
Wed 17 July	Y2	Orange class Curriculum visit to The Stockyard	
Wed 17 July	Y2	Scarlet class assembly at 9.15 am – parents/carers are welcome to come along	
Thur 18 July	Y2	Orange class assembly at 9.15 am – parents/carers are welcome to come along	
Fri 19 July	All	Re-arranged Sports morning	
JUNIOR ONLY DATES			
Tues 23 Jul	Y6	Leavers' Assembly at 9.00 am	

COMMUNITY

National Play Day

See attached flyer.

Free Family Art Trail in Richmond - It Will Be Wild

Go to

https://berichmond.cmail19.com/t/y-l-mjhahl-ddtktdhlll-j/

The Rose Youth Theatre Academy

See attached flyer.

Free Youth Sessions

Richmond Schools Police officers and the local Safer Neighbourhood teams will be running a FREE youth sessions for school years from years 5 to 11 during the school Holidays. See attached flyer.

Richmond Charities

See attached flyer.