



Message from Mrs Wall

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you had lovely weekend in the sunshine. Please can you all ensure that you have applied a long lasting sun screen to your child and remember to send in a suitable sun hat and water bottle.

Year One and Year R are looking forward to our farm visit tomorrow, see message below for reminders.

We will be in touch soon about arrangements for Sports day and our Year 2 Leavers Assembly.

Thank you to all our parents that are still wearing masks for drop off and pick up, we would still encourage you all to wear your masks. Thank you

Kind regards,

Mrs Wall

Deputy Headteacher



Little Stars!

This week we are celebrating the achievements of the following children who have received awards for exceptional work and wonderful behaviour or attitude to learning.

Head Teacher's Award

Yr R

- Oliver How
- Nathan D

Yr 1

- James Co
- Jaxon S

Yr 2

- Oscar B
- Elizabeth

Class Teacher's Award

Yr R

- Tyler
- Brooke

Yr 1

- Harley
- Mikah

Yr 2

- Sophia
- Isabelle N

Well done to these children!

Miller's Ark Mobile Farm Visit

We are looking forward to the Miller's Ark Mobile Farm visit to our school for Year R and Year 1 tomorrow, **Tuesday 15th June**.

Year R and Year 1 children need to bring a spare pair of shoes to change into, to visit the animals. They will need a sun hat and to have a long lasting sun screen applied before they arrive at school.

Drop-off and pick-up

This is a reminder that our school playground gates open at 8.45am. If you are using 'Kiss and Drop' please do not arrive before 8.45am.

Afternoon pick-up times:

Year R and Year 1: 3.00pm

Year 2: 3.05pm

To ensure that all children are kept safe please do not leave your child unattended outside our school gates. Thank you for your cooperation.

Walsh Care Club Users -

Notification of COVID-19 PCR results

For users of Walsh Care Club. If your child is self-isolating whilst awaiting a COVID-19 PCR result, either for themselves or a member of their household or support bubble, please ensure that you inform Walsh Care Club of the test result, in addition to our school office.

Breakfast Club takes children from 7.30am and as our school office is not open until 8.30am, we are unable to share results that may have been emailed to us before this time.

Coats / sun hats in school

With the warmer weather we are finding that children are coming into school without a coat. Please make sure your child brings a coat to school everyday as the weather can be changeable. Please also provide a sun hat and apply long lasting sun screen when the weather is warm. Children go outside everyday.

Surrey CC communication reminders to staff and families

- All adults and secondary and college age students are encouraged to take a symptom-free LFD test twice a week. You will not need to isolate while waiting for the results of the symptom-free LFD test. Adults can collect a home testing kit from a [designated site](#) or order [online](#). Find out more about symptom-free testing [here](#).
- Please remember if your child or a household member develops COVID-19 symptoms, do not use symptom-free LFD testing. Instead, [book a PCR test](#) or call 119.
- Testing is not a replacement for infection prevention and control measures that education settings, pupils and their households must continue to follow. Remember: HANDS – FACE – SPACE – FRESH AIR.
- We all need to continue to follow national and local COVID-19 guidance in line with the roadmap. In education settings this includes; social distancing between bubbles or cohorts, one-way systems, enhanced cleaning and handwashing, some staggered start and finish times and face coverings where appropriate.
- If you're aged 30 or over you can get the [COVID-19 vaccine](#) (the eligible age is rapidly decreasing). You can [book an appointment](#) at a larger vaccination centre or pharmacy now, or wait to be invited to go to a local NHS service. If you are not yet eligible, the NHS will let you know when it's your turn to have the vaccine.

COVID-19 Tests

We are aware that there is some confusion about the variety of COVID tests now available.

If a member of your family is **showing symptoms** of COVID-19 you must book a **COVID-19 PCR test**, either at a drive through centre or order a postal PCR test kit which is then sent off for PCR analysis. The results of these test normally come back within 24-48 hours.

The lateral flow, rapid COVID-19 tests are **not suitable** for anyone showing symptoms. These tests are for routine use for people who may be asymptomatic.

If any member of your household is showing symptoms you must book a PCR test for them.

If your child is returning to school following self-isolation you must contact the school office, before bringing your child onto the school site. You will need to confirm that a negative PCR test result has been received.

Class PE days—reminder

Monday: Ruby, Diamond

Tuesday: Silver

Wednesday: Gold, Emerald, Sapphire

Thursday: Emerald, Sapphire

Friday: Gold, Silver, Ruby, Diamond

School Lunches

Week commencing 14th June we will be on [Week 2](#) of the dinner menu as detailed below.

Week 2 – 14 Jun

<u>Monday</u>		<u>Tuesday</u>		<u>Wednesday</u>		<u>Thursday</u>		<u>Friday</u>	
Red BBQ Quorn sausage pasta bake & peas (v)		Red Mediterranean style pork meatballs with rice & sweetcorn		Red Roast British Chicken with stuffing, roast potatoes, green beans & gravy		Red Beef lasagne with spring salad & home-made croutons		Red Breaded fish fillet with oven chips & peas	
Green Spring vegetable pide (Turkish flat bread) with country style potatoes & carrots		Green Tagliatelle Neapolitan with homemade bread & peas		Green Quorn fillet with roast potatoes, carrots & gravy		Green Beetroot tortilla samosa filled with summer vegetables & beans with noodle salad & crudites		Green Vegan sausage roll with oven chips & baked beans	
Jacket & cheese		Jacket & cheese		Jacket & cheese		Jacket & cheese		Jacket & cheese	
Jacket & beans		Jacket & beans		Jacket & beans		Jacket & beans		Jacket & beans	
Jacket & tuna with mayo		Jacket & tuna with mayo		Jacket & tuna with mayo		Jacket & tuna with mayo		Jacket & tuna with mayo	
Pudding Summer fruit crumble with custard (v)		Pudding Mixed melon salad (v)		Pudding Citrus shortbread (v)		Pudding Selection of fruit yoghurt (v)		Pudding Vegan choc & beet brownie (v)	

Reminders

What to do if a member of your household is showing COVID symptoms

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

- **a high temperature** – this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- **a new, continuous cough** – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- **a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste** – this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

(Most people with coronavirus have at least 1 of these symptoms.)

This is a reminder of guidelines sent out earlier in the autumn.

- The person showing symptoms should request a test and the entire household must self-isolate at home pending the test result.
- This means that you should keep your children at home until the result is received. Please inform the school on the first day of absence.
- If the test result is positive your whole household must continue to self-isolate until the date advised by the NHS. Please advise us of this date.
- Please keep in communication with the school and inform us if any other member of your household develops symptoms and subsequently has a positive test result, as this could impact on our school bubbles.
- If the result is negative we ask that you send your child back to school as soon as possible. Please send them in on the day that the result is received if that is practical, or on the next day if that is not feasible. If your child is the one who had the negative result they can return as soon as they are well enough. Please inform the school of the negative test result.

Please follow these guidelines very carefully to help us keep our community safe.

Asymptomatic testing information for parents and adults in households with children at school or college

NHS Test and Trace announced earlier this week, that all adults in households with school and college age children without symptoms can now access regular rapid coronavirus (COVID-19) testing (laminar flow test).

Test kits can either be collected or ordered online, as set out below.

Please share the information below with your parent networks to help answer any questions they may have:

Undertaking regular, rapid coronavirus (COVID-19) testing helps reduce transmission of the virus. Parents and other adults in households with children at school or college, who do not have symptoms, can now access regular, rapid coronavirus (COVID-19) testing. This includes childcare and support bubbles.

Tests are fast, easy and completely free. There are [different ways](#) for a household, childcare or support bubble to collect their test to take at home, twice-weekly:

- through your employer, if they offer testing to employees
- by collecting a home test kit from a local test site – anyone aged 18 or over can collect 2 packs of 7 tests
- by ordering a home test kit online – please do not order online if you can access testing through other routes, this frees up home delivery for those who need it most.

If you have any queries about the tests, and you live in England, please call 119 (free from mobiles and landlines). Lines are open every day from 7am to 11pm. Tests are **not available from schools or colleges**.

Children of primary school age (and below) without symptoms are not being asked to take a test.

Testing is voluntary, but strongly recommended to all who are eligible. Alongside the vaccine, washing hands, wearing face coverings, and maintaining social distancing, rapid testing plays a vital role in reducing transmission rates. Getting into the habit of regular testing as part of our everyday lives will help us all to play our part and do what we can to protect each other.

Dates for your Diary

Date	Event	Time
	Summer Term	
Tuesday 15th June	Miller's Ark Mobile Farm visit for Year 1 and Year R	
Tuesday 15th June	Ruby Class parent interviews (rescheduled from April 2021) Via Teams	1.00pm—4.30pm
Wednesday 16th June	Ruby Class parent interviews (rescheduled from April 2021) Via Teams	9.00am—10.30am
Wednesday 30th June	New EYFS outdoor induction visit— group 1, invitation only	As arranged
Wednesday 7th July	New EYFS outdoor induction visit— group 2, invitation only	As arranged
Wednesday 14th July	New EYFS outdoor story time— groups 1 and 2, invitation only	As arranged
Tuesday 20th July	Last day of summer term	Approximate finish 1.10pm (to be confirmed)
Wednesday 21st July	INSET Day—school closed to children	All day
	Autumn Term 2021	
Wednesday 1st September 2021	INSET Day—school closed to children	All Day
Thursday 2nd September	Year 1 and Year 2 children return to school	8.45am
Tuesday 7th September	EYFS (Year R) children start school— morning only	8.45am— 12.00noon
Wednesday 8th September	EYFS (Year R) children in school full time	8.45am—3.00pm

Inset Days 2020/21:

21st July 2021

Inset Days 2021/22:

1st September 2021