

# Whitehorse Manor Infant School

## Newsletter Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2021



### Dear parents and carers,

Welcome back. I hope you had an enjoyable half term break. We have some exciting visits and trips planned over this half term. Reception are having a visit from Zoolab, to support their minibeast topic. Year One are visiting The Horniman Museum as part of their Africa topic. Year Two are going to Morden Hall Park to support their science work looking at habitats. Please see the dates of key events on the reverse of this newsletter.

Now the warmer weather is hopefully here to stay, please apply suncream prior to your child coming to school and send them with a protective hat on sunny days. If you want your child to wear a baseball hat for sun protection, then it is school policy that this should only be a Pegasus baseball hat. These are available to buy online via our website. Other types of sun hat can be of your own choosing. Please ensure all hats, along with other school clothing, are clearly labelled with your child's name.

### Keeping us all safe

We have been working hard since the start of the academic year to have systems in place to keep all of our school community safe. Please ensure you continue to wear a face covering when you are on the school premises. If anyone in your household has symptoms of coronavirus, the whole household must self-isolate for 10 days or until the person with symptoms has tested negative.

### Walk to School Week starting Monday 14<sup>th</sup> June

Over the past few weeks, our student council have been looking at how we can improve our local environment and improve our health. Next week, they are running a walk to school week and they would like as many children as possible to walk, cycle or scoot to school. Each child that takes part will receive a badge and the class that has the most children taking part will win a class treat! It would be great for us to have as many children as possible join us in our walk to school week and together we can make this event a success for the children in our school council.

I look forward to seeing you all walking, scooting or cycling to school.

### Book Amnesty

Please can everyone have a good look at home for any school reading books that you may have that need to be returned. They have the school stamp inside. There will be no questions asked if you have lots. The important thing is that we get them back to restock our book corners.

### Second hand school uniform sale

Weather permitting, we will be holding a second hand school uniform sale before and after school on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> June in the playground outside the hall.

### Half price book fair

We are holding a half price book fair before and after school from Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> June to Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July. There will be a good selection of fiction and non-fiction books to choose from. Come and grab a bargain!

### Punctuality and attendance

The school opens at 8:45am to allow children to filter in from this time. Any child who arrives after **9:00am** is late for school and must be brought to the office to be signed in. Children should be collected promptly at 3:15pm by an adult who is known to us. If anyone different is going to collect your child, please let us know. If your child is absent from school, please inform the office as soon as possible by phone or email to [whinfadmin@pegasusacademytrust.org](mailto:whinfadmin@pegasusacademytrust.org). Please note that if a child is absent due to vomiting, then they cannot return to school for 48 hours after the last bout.

### Contact details

If you have changed your contact details, please let the school office know so we can update our records. We have a school parent texting service so please ensure we have your current mobile phone details.

**You can keep up to date with news and up and coming events by keeping an eye on our website**  
**[www.pegasusacademytrust.org](http://www.pegasusacademytrust.org)**

Thank you for your continued support

Sharon Russell (Head of School)

## Some key dates

Walk to School Week	W/C Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> June
Second hand uniform sale	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> June
Yellow Class visit to The Horniman Museum	Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> June
Green Class and Jade Class visit to The Horniman Museum	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> June
Half Price Book Fair	Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> June –Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> July
Lilac Class visit to Morden Hall Park	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> July
Jade Class assembly	Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July 9:10am
Purple Class and Indigo Class visit to Morden Hall Park	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> July
Green Class assembly	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> July 9:10am
Sports' Day	Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> July 1:30pm
Blue Class assembly	Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> July 9:10am
Yellow Class assembly	Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July 9:10am
Purple Class assembly	Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> July 9:10am
Orange Class assembly	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> July 9:10am
Red Class assembly	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 9:10am
Year Two disco on main site	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 3:30-5pm
Indigo Class assembly	Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 9:10am
Lilac Class assembly	Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 9:10am
Last day of term	Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July
First day of term	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> September