

# LONDON MEED PRIMARY SCHOOL

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19<sup>th</sup> July 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are eager to restore some elements of normal school life in September whilst still keeping everybody safe. Following current government guidance we will no longer have children working in bubbles. This means that children across the school will be mixing at playtimes, lunchtimes and other points during the school day. We can't wait!

## **Drop off arrangements**

Playground gates will open at 8.45am and close at 9am. Registration will take place at 9am. Only EYFS parents will be permitted onto the playground to take their child around to The Orchard playground. All other children are to be dropped off at the appropriate playground gate where teachers will be there to greet them.

## **EYFS/KS1 Collection arrangements**

The playground gates will open at 2.55pm. Parents will be able to enter the playground and wait for their child to be dismissed from the classroom at 3pm.

## **KS2 Collection arrangements**

The playground gates will open at 3.10pm for parents and carers to enter the playground to wait for their children. The children will be dismissed by their teacher at 3.15pm.

The Holmesdale road gate will be open as an exit only in both the morning and afternoon. A member of the SLT will continue to be available outside during drop off and collection. This arrangement has worked well this year.

## **Lunchtimes**

We will be resuming normal lunchtime service. A hot meal option will once again be offered to KS2 pupils. To place an order for a KS2 pupil please go to [WS Meal Selector | Home](#)  
The cost of a hot meal from September is £2.33.

## **PE Days**

The amount of lost property has decreased considerably this academic year and much time has been saved by children not getting changed in and out of their PE kit which means more time to deliver high quality PE lessons. Therefore, we have decided to continue to allow children to wear their PE kit on their allocated PE days. Please see the timetable below which starts the week beginning the 7<sup>th</sup> September 2021.

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Class/Year group	PE Day
Apples	Monday and Thursday
Cherries	Tuesday and Friday
Year 1	Monday and Wednesday
Year 2	Tuesday and Friday
3W Zephaniah	Monday and Friday
3C Dahl	Tuesday and Friday
Year 4	Monday and Tuesday
Year 5	Wednesday and Friday
Year 6	Monday and Thursday



## **Birthdays**

We really want to be able to celebrate children's birthdays with them. From September we will be inviting children to come to school in home clothes on their birthday. Everyone will then know it is their birthday and will be able to wish them a Happy Birthday.

If a birthday falls on a PE day the children can wear trainers or wear home clothes the next day. When a child's birthday falls on a weekend or holiday they can choose to wear their home clothes on the nearest Monday or Friday.

## **Clubs and Extracurricular activities**

Staff are thinking about the clubs they would like to offer at lunchtime or after school. Further details will follow in September in preparation for all Clubs to start the week commencing the 27<sup>th</sup> September.

## **Community Events**

We are desperate to have parents back in school for: assemblies, to celebrate children's work, attend workshops, Head's coffee morning and face to face parents' evenings. We have missed you all! As soon as it is safe to do so we will be in touch.

We will keep you all informed of any developments or changes.

Kindest regards,

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