

Hayes Primary School Weekly Reminders

Friday 25th September

School Office is currently closed

Please be reminded that the main School Reception is currently closed, and therefore we are not able to accept forgotten items. If you could please ensure your child has all of their belongings with them when they come into school in the morning that would be really appreciated. Many thanks for your support in this matter.

Special Lunch Day

Please be advised that on **Thursday 1st October**, we will be having a special lunch day. Please see the attached flyer for the menu. If your child would like to have this special lunch next Thursday, they need to inform their class teacher at morning registration. This meal will need to be paid for in advance via ParentPay. This also applies to all of those children who usually have a packed lunch, but would like to have the school dinner on this day.

HPS PTA Rainbow Day

Join us on **Friday 23rd October** for the HPS PTA Rainbow Day. Please see the attached flyer for full details.

Harvest Festival

On **Tuesday 29th September**, we will be celebrating Harvest Festival. Please see the letter circulated on Friday 18th September for full details.

School Fruit and Vegetable Scheme for EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2

The School Fruit and Vegetable Scheme (SFVS) is a government programme that entitles every child in England in EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2, to a piece of fruit or vegetable each day. When we returned to school before the summer holidays, the government put this scheme on hold due to the Coronavirus. We are happy to inform you that they have now reinstated the scheme. Therefore, from **Monday 28th September**, if your child is in EYFS, Year 1 or Year 2, please do not send your child in to school with a snack from home as they will be provided with a piece of fruit or a vegetable at playtime.

Nasal Flu Vaccination

Many thanks to those of you who have returned the Nasal Flu Vaccination form. If you have not already returned the form, it is very important that this is returned **as soon as possible.. This form needs to be returned even if you DO NOT provide consent.** Many thanks for your cooperation in this matter.

Year 6 – Secondary Transfers

Following the communication sent out on July 10th, please be reminded that the closing date for applications for places in September 2021 is **October 31st, 2020**. Applications must be completed online with all necessary supporting documentation. National offer day is Monday 1st March 2021.

BYMT Music Lessons

Please be advised that Music Lessons are available to children in KS2. The BYMT application can be found on our school website. If you would like your child to have music lessons, please complete the application form and return to school by email to admin@hayes-pri.bromley.sch.uk. We will then forward these on to BYMT who will contact you directly.

Parents Evenings

We are currently looking into ways we can facilitate parent's evenings at the end of the Autumn Term. Once this has been finalised we will send out further information.

Reporting Illnesses

Could we please kindly ask that when you are reporting an absence for your child due to illness, that the full symptoms of the illness are provided. We are then able to record the illness absence correctly, and are able to identify common illnesses in a particular class or year group. Please see and follow the COVID-19 Symptoms Protocols circulated on September 9th should your child display any of the COVID-19 symptoms. We appreciate your cooperation and support in this matter.

Please be reminded that any absences have to be reported to the school no later than 9am. ***An absence MUST be reported every day until your child returns to school, even if this is a continued absence.***

This ensures we can follow our Safeguarding procedures

Bentley Photographic

As per the letter dated September 8th, Bentley Photographic will be in school on **Wednesday 30th September** to take individual pupil photos. Should you wish to opt out of having your child's photo taken, please advise your class teacher via the school office at admin@hayes-pri.bromley.sch.uk. Please be reminded that there are no sibling photos due to year group bubbles needing to be maintained.

Change of Collection

Please be reminded that, should you have a change in collection and the person collecting is not on your authorised list, please ensure an email is sent to admin@hayes-pri.bromley.sch.uk **before midday** on the day of collection. This is to ensure the message is received and acknowledged by class teacher before the end of the school day.

Parking and Driving on George Lane

Please be reminded to remain courteous towards our neighbours, and to park and drive sensibly in George Lane. Parking and driving inconsiderately can cause serious congestion to our neighbours trying to enter and leave their properties, and would block access for emergency vehicles. KS2 parents should only come into George Lane if it is absolutely necessary.

Upcoming Dates

Tuesday 29th September – Harvest Festival

Wednesday 30th September – Bentley Photographic – Individual photos

Thursday 1st October – Special Lunch Day

Tuesday 20th October – Nasal Flu Vaccinations

Friday 23rd October – HPS PTA Rainbow Day

Saturday 31st October – Closing Date for secondary school applications