



As the sun continues to shine, thank you to parents for being so flexible with KS1 sports day today. I have just been to visit and all the children are having a great time. By moving it to the morning, we will be finished before the sun really heats up.

We are also now going to have the EYFS sports day in the morning as well. See you at 9.15am on Wednesday.

## Roehampton Reads

Thank you to everyone who came along to the first ever Roehampton Reads. There were books, burgers, storytellers, authors and a fantastic theatre show - a great day! It was so lovely to see the children enjoying the different activities and getting the chance to meet people like Kes Gray - the queue to have their free copies of Oi Frog! signed was quite a sight. We will hold Roehampton Reads again in June 2019.

## Y1 trip to West Wittering

Year 1 had a fantastic day out at West Wittering beach yesterday. If you haven't been, I would thoroughly recommend it as a day trip – there is a very large, sandy beach there. Thank you to the staff for arranging the trip and for the parents who helped out on the day. I am sure the Year 1 children slept very well last night!

## Punctuality

I have spoken to the children in assembly this morning – there was a very high number of lates last week. If your children come to school on their own, please make sure they leave in plenty of time. For everyone else, parents please make sure you get your children to school on time. **Children are expected to be in school by 9am.**

## School Improvement

The teachers have been taking part in something that we call 'Learning Studies' over the past few weeks. Teachers have worked in their phases (Early Years, Y1/2, Y3/4 and Y5/6) to investigate how we can improve the feedback that children receive. This can be through both verbal feedback and written feedback (marking). The national research states that improving the quality of feedback that children receive can be a significant factor in improving the children's progress in learning. We have been experimenting with some different methods and we will be selecting the most effective ones to work on next year.

## Head lice

I have spoken to several parents recently who are telling me that their children keep getting head lice. We have spoken to Maddie our school nurse about it. She said that the treatment should take no longer than two hours and after the head lice has been treated, children can come into school.

Can I politely request that all parents check their own children's hair regularly and do not send children into school with head lice unless it has been treated.

## Attendance

Whole School Attendance 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> June: 95.3%

|    | Attendance | Lates |    | Attendance | Lates |
|----|------------|-------|----|------------|-------|
| RL | 91.1%      | 6     | RB | 96.0%      | 1     |
| 1B | 94.2%      | 2     | 1M | 97.1%      | 5     |
| 2L | 98.1%      | 8     |    |            |       |
| 3M | 99.4%      | 6     | 3H | 99.0%      | 2     |
| 4R | 90.9%      | 11    | 4T | 97.7%      | 6     |
| 5D | 98.6%      | 7     | 5B | 95.2%      | 6     |
| 6C | 98.2%      | 13    | 6B | 93.3%      | 11    |

|                                | Events   | Clubs   |
|--------------------------------|--|---|
| Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July    |  | Y4/5/6 Ninja Fit – Mr Meghie<br>Y1/2/3 Dodgeball – Tim  |
| Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July   |  | Y4/5/6 Cricket - Matt<br>Y1/2/3 Ninja Fit – Mr Meghie   |
| Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> July | Trumpets<br>9.15am Nursery and Reception Sports Day<br>Some Y5 children to the Alligator's Mouth book shop                   | Y1/2/3/4/5/6 Performing Arts – Mr Meghie<br>Y4/5/6 Tag Rugby – Mr Mtya                              |
| Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> July  | 9am 1B Class assembly<br>Y2 Swimming<br>Some Y4 children to London Youth Games<br>Y3 to Richmond Park<br>Y5 to Polka Theatre | Y1/2/3/4/5/6 Yo-Yo Yoga – Mr Meghie<br>Y3/4/5/6 Tennis – Matt<br>Y5/6 American Football – Mr Burton |
| Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> July    | KS2 Sports Day   | Y3/4/5/6 Girls Only Sports – this is a free club  |