



I hope that you are all keeping well and staying safe in these times – which continue to be very difficult. Remember that the school office is open, so please don't hesitate to call or email us if you need any help.

## Google Classroom

We realise that if children are accessing Google Classroom from a phone, this is really difficult. From Monday, we will start printing out some of the sheets, which should help. You will need to pick them up from school each week. The office is currently open 8.30am – 3.30pm. Where possible, please come between 9.30am and 2.45pm.

## Bank Holiday

There is a Bank Holiday on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May to commemorate the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of VE Day. School will be closed to all children on that day. There will be no Google Classroom.

## Roehampton Community Box

Despite the Bank Holiday, the Celebration Hall will be open on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May for families who usually collect their boxes on a Friday. Please come, as usual, between 10am and 1pm. If you are not on the list, but would like to receive a Roehampton Community Box, please contact the office.

## The Roehampton Community Knock!

The Roehampton Community Knock! is a new scheme that is being launched next week with Regenerate. The aim is to hand-deliver a community newsletter and a small gift to every property on the Alton Estate in Roehampton. If you would like to volunteer to help deliver this, please contact Katie at Regenerate. [katie@regenerateuk.co.uk](mailto:katie@regenerateuk.co.uk)

## Phone Data

The school still has access to data vouchers for your phones. Please contact the office if you would like to receive one.

## School Improvement

This has been a busy week! I have met with the Y6 teachers to project what we think the children would have achieved in their end of KS2 SATS tests, had school remained open. It was so good to hear about the strong progress made by so many children. We also did this for the end of KS1, Y1 phonics check and Reception 'Good Level of Development'. During this week's staff meeting, the teachers watched Mr Howland teach a maths lesson that had been pre-recorded. We discussed the lesson via Zoom and considered how the lesson had been planned and delivered, in order for the children to learn the concept. It was good for the teachers to still have a professional conversation about learning, even though we can't all be in school at the moment.

## Free School Meals

Edenred have been inundated with requests for Free School Meal vouchers and have encountered problems in issuing these to parents. The Edenred website is continuously being improved to meet the demands being put upon it. Please remember this is a nationwide issue as only one supplier is trying to meet the needs of the public. All vouchers originally issued for the week of 14 April did not go through, these have been re-issued and you should receive an email on the 4 or 5 May. All vouchers issued for the weeks of 20 & 27 April have an expiry date of 27 May. These can be redeemed until then. The school is unable to re-issue these until the expiry date has passed. Also please check your spam folder as the email may have gone there instead of your in-box. It is also easier to access the Edenred website via Chrome instead of Explorer and late in the evening as the system gets overloaded during the day. If you still have problems, please contact the office to check that we have the correct email address for you.

	Events
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday – School Closed (except for those families who are collecting The Roehampton Community Box from the Celebration Hall)