



I hope that you have all had a good week. It continues to feel busy in school with everyone working hard to support the children with their learning.

Coronavirus Update

We are still operating under covid-restricted guidelines. Regular handwashing continues to take place in school to minimise the risk of coronavirus spreading. Can I please remind parents to make sure they are socially distancing from each other on the playground and while waiting outside the school. Parents may wish to wear a face-covering when the children are dropped off and collected; this will help reduce the risk of the virus spreading.

Roehampton Community Box

Last week, the 5000th Roehampton Community Box left Heathmere. This was initially set up during lockdown to support families who needed some extra supplies during a really difficult time. We've managed to secure the funding to continue into 2021. There's no referral process so if as parents you feel a food-box would be helpful, you can collect one from the school car park between 9am and 1pm on a Friday.

Relationships Education

We are currently reviewing our Relationships Education Policy, in line with changes in the government guidance around what schools deliver as part of the Relationships Education Curriculum. At Heathmere, we will be teaching the statutory content only. The draft policy will be shared with governors later this month and then we will be consulting with parents in November.

PE Days

On PE days, children can wear grey, dark blue or black tracksuit bottoms or shorts for the day. They need to wear their usual uniform on their top half. On all other days, children should wear school trousers, school skirt or a school dress.

Year 1 and 2	Wednesdays
Year 3 and 4	Tuesdays and Thursdays
Year 5 and 6	Tuesdays and Thursdays

	Events	Clubs
Monday 12 th October		No clubs this week
Tuesday 13 th October	1.30pm Y1 to Wimbledon Common	
Wednesday 14 th October		
Thursday 15 th October	Individual photos	
Friday 16 th October	Y6 to the opening of the MUGA at Whitley Point	

School Improvement

This week, the teachers have been planning the content of the curriculum for the children's new topics that start after half term.

Nursery	Celebrations
Reception	Traditional Tales
Year 1	Women who Changed the World
Year 2	London
Year 3	Chocolate
Year 4	Living Things and their Habitats
Year 5	The Victorians (continued)
Year 6	Top Secret

If you look at the curriculum page on the school website, you will see the outline of the curriculum for the whole year.

<https://www.heathmereprimary.org/curriculum.html>

House Captains

A few weeks ago, we held the House Captain elections. Any child in Year 6 can nominate themselves to become a House Captain. They delivered their speeches over Zoom and the children voted. The results were:

South America	Mackenzie
Asia	Ramelle
Europe	Marina
Africa	Luca and Furqan (co-captains)

School Ambassadors

School Ambassadors are selected by the Y6 team as a group of children who can represent the school as required. This year, the ambassadors are Ali, Arij, Gabriella, Lilee and Mamoon. They have made a great start to their roles.