



17th June 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

We continue to have a busy term for the children with various workshops and events over the next few weeks. This will include a theatre company working with the Yr3/4 bubble, a CSI workshop for the Yr5/6 Bubble and an outside theatre for all the children, all in line with COVID guidelines.

The Prime Minister's announcement regarding postponing the end of restrictions means the school will continue with the same guidelines until the end of term. We will endeavour to carry out as many events as we can for the children but parents will only be able to be on-site during drop off and pick up of children. The only exception to this will be for the Year 6 leavers service with more details to follow once risk assessments and procedures have been decided. One very positive piece of news is that the Hilltop residential trip, for Year 6, on the week beginning the 12th July, will take place.

Next week on Friday, all the Year 6 children will visit their secondary schools for the day. This will allow the rest of the school to have a 'moving up day' and spend time with their teacher for September. This will take place on Friday 25th June and the children will arrive and leave school at their normal times and normal places. All children will be in their normal school uniform unless contacted before the day. I am pleased to announce that no staff are leaving school in July but there may be some internal movement of teachers and teaching assistants. More information will follow in due course.

On the week beginning 28th June, Year 5 children who have registered, will take the 11+ practise papers in class. The tests will be done in test conditions then marked together. We are also aware that some Year 5 children will be attending a taster day and will not be in school on 22nd June.

Thank you to the PTFA for their Friday lolly sales, this is raising money for the school as well as being a lovely treat to end the week. They will continue to sell lollies every week weather permitting.

Finally, I have observed outside school cars parking dangerously to drop off children around the school site and children also getting out of cars into the road. This is very dangerous and there have been some near misses. Please think carefully about where you park and about the other traffic around the school. Thank you for your assistance with this.

Yours sincerely

Mr D W Hodgson