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Dear Parents

Welcome to a new school year. It has been fantastic to see so many smiling faces and enthusiastic children each morning (long may it continue!). School feels like a school again.

Firstly, I would like to welcome the following children and their families to St Peter's:-

Gabriel
Daisy
Salome
Sunny
Scarlett
Shay
Nicole
Arjun

I would also like to welcome Mrs Bulmer who will be teaching in Year 4.

I hope they will be very happy and make many friends during their time at St Peter's. We look forward to welcoming our new Reception class next week.

Staggered start/end to the day

Thank you for your co-operation with the procedures we have put in place to minimise the risk of transmission of Corona virus.

The staggered start to the day is working well but I am aware that it is causing a bottleneck outside the gate making social distancing difficult. Therefore, I propose that you walk up Prospect Road on the school side and walk down on the opposite side after exiting school. If you do have to wait outside the gate please maintain 2m distancing. If you have children in more than one class there is a waiting zone on the playground. During these unusual times, people are anxious and may be more stressed than usual. I ask that you are patient and respectful to all staff when they are asking you to follow a process and in regards to parking in Prospect Road. The same consideration should also be given to our neighbours with regard to parking in neighbouring roads.

Can I also remind you about the one way entry and exit into and out of school.

To comply with social distancing please remember that only one person/family bubble is allowed in the office reception area at one time. No parent should enter the school building without prior permission. If prior permission has been given, please enter via the office to get a visitor badge.

P.E. Kits

For the time being we are asking for your child to come in their P.E. kit on the days they have P.E. which reduces the items going from home to school and vice versa, helps maintain social distancing when changing and reduces the risk of transmission by preventing children putting on somebody else's jumper etc. Your child will be told when their P.E. days are, as will you at the Welcome Meetings.

Welcome Meetings

We will still hold our annual Welcome Meetings where the teacher outlines the routines and expectations of your child's class, however, these will be held virtually via TEAMS using your child's login. New children will be given a login next week.

The dates and times are as follows and the meetings will be recorded so that you can access later if it is not a convenient time.

Monday 14 September 2020	4.30 pm	Year 1
Tuesday 15 September 2020	4.00 pm	Year 2
Tuesday 15 September 2020	4.30 pm	Year 3
Thursday 17 September 2020	4.30 pm	Year 5
Thursday 17 September 2020	4.00 pm	Year 6
Tuesday 22 September 2020	4.00 pm	Reception
Tuesday 22 September 2020	4.30 pm	Year 4

Uniform

We have been informed that Sportcrest no longer have any yellow P.E. polo shirts in stock; from now on we will be selling the yellow P.E. polo shirts in school. Mrs Sandalls has sizes 26" and 28" in stock and has ordered 30/32" and 34". We will let you know when these are available.

It is very important that you order uniform for the beginning of the school year and at the times of change from winter to summer in advance to avoid having to wait as we do not hold or are able to keep a large stock of uniform in school.

Wraparound Care

We are working as quickly as we can to have wraparound care provision available as soon as possible.

Hammersmith Gymnastics Club

The above club are hoping to run a gymnastics club after school on Thursdays.

Please email them direct if you are interested in your child taking part:-

stpetersgym@hotmail.com

Yours sincerely

Miss A McCluskey
Headteacher

