

Heswall Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Friday 22nd November 2024

Key Stage 2 Morning Arrangements.

From Monday, we will be reverting to all KS2 children lining up on the yard. The teachers will be on the playground from 8.45am and they will take the children to classrooms at 8.50am when the morning bell rings. We hope this additional opportunity for communication with the staff and extra visibility of teachers will be helpful. The teachers will talk with parents where they can but they may not always be able to have extended conversations at this time of the day and may request that you email or make an appointment to meet them away from teaching time.

Year 3 and Year Four will line up at the Jungle Gym side of the playground and Y5 and Y6 will line up on the field side of the playground. Red dots have been put on the playground to mark the point to line up.

After the classes have entered school, the external doors will be closed and locked and then at 9am, the caretaker will lock the external gates. Those parents attending pre-school will be able to exit from the path on the carpark side of the school. Any children arriving late will report to the school office. The children all undertake start of the day tasks and therefore it is important to arrive on time to avoid disrupting the other children. A reminder that although the pre-school day begins at 9am, all classes from F2 to Y6 start at 8.50am.

Rainbow Raffle Day

The PTA have arranged a non-uniform day on Friday 29th November as a reward for children bringing in non-perishable items for the Rainbow Raffle. They have requested that the children bring in an item of a colour that has been allocated to each class. F2 and Provision Classes have red, Year 1 have pink (e.g. pink bubble bath etc.), Year 2 have yellow, Year 3 have green, Year 4 have orange, Year 5 have purple and Year 6 have blue. Plus club children can bring in any coloured item. The PTA will put the donated coloured items together for prizes for the Christmas fair which is being held 5-7pm on Thursday 5th December.

Santa at the School Fair

Santa has asked if he do things a little different at this year's school fair as he will be hosting Storytime with Santa. For £4, the children can meet Santa and he will read groups of children a story and will answer lots of questions too. There will be a number of sessions throughout the evening and this should mean more children will enjoy the evening rather than having to queue up. You can book on to this by visiting the school office and signing up to secure a session.

Photographs

For children that missed the individual/sibling school photographs last time, the photographer will be returning this coming Thursday 28th November. Please let us know if you want us to take your child's photograph.

Kind regards,

Mr J Lawrenson, Headteacher

