



Heathfield
PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Friday 11th June 2021

Happy Hardworking Courageous Kind

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2020- 21

July

6th—transition day for N-Y5

7th—Teacher Training Day

July - 16th - Break up for summer
(NO FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB)

2021- 22

September

2nd - Teacher training day

3rd - Teacher training day

6th - First day of Autumn term

October - 22nd - Break up for half term

November - 1st - Back to school

Head of School: Mrs F Atherton

Deputy Head: Mrs S Richards

Assistant Headteachers:

Miss E Dicken, Mr R Jackson

Inclusion Lead: Ms J Tulloch

Pastoral Manager: Mrs H Toth

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE



Dear Parents and Carers,

We are approaching the final part of the year and there is lots happening in school. While continuing to adhere to our Covid risk assessment, we have started

to engage the pupils with external visitors. We have had lots of

photographs and videos taken this week for our new digital prospectus which will be out next year.

And have a look at our back page for more details on what Year 5 have been doing.

Miss Dicken will be sending out information shortly about transition arrangements for the children joining us next year—however our arrangements are dependant on the advice from the government and Birmingham Local Authority. Therefore, these may not be the same as in previous years.



Both Mr Mazhar and Mrs Pilbin have been working with our local supermarkets so look out for more information about how you can help us get some much needed funds for our outdoor environment. We will soon be featured in the Aston branch of Tesco under their Bags of Help scheme and Asda Perry Barr's green token scheme.

**ASDA
FOUNDATION**
"Transforming Communities. Improving Lives"

We have also recently become involved with the Lozells Health Commission and are partnering with other local organisations to help support our community further. We will be sharing the findings of the commission and letting you know where you can get further information on health services in Lozells. The Rights Respecting School steering committee are working hard with our Academy Chair, Councillor Zaffar on an action plan to improve Lozells over the next ten years so we will also be sharing more information on that.

Have a lovely weekend and enjoy the sun!

Mrs. Atherton

EEDI MATHS PROGRAMME

Mr Jackson has emailed a letter to Year 5 and 6 parents so they can sign up for their children to join a free 5 week maths summer programme ABSOLUTELY FREE! The link to sign up is:

<https://eedi.com/summer-club?via=teacher-invite>

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Starts 5th July - Limited Seats!

**Learn maths
over the
summer, the
fun way!**

- ✓ Review key topics to succeed in the next school year with only 30 minutes a week
- ✓ Personalised live teacher feedback and support
- ✓ Get motivational achievements and rewards

**LIMITED SPACES
AVAILABLE!**

COVID- 19 RISK ASSESSMENT:

As a MAT we have been regularly reviewing government guidance and our risk assessments. This has included assessing any changes needed as we progress through the 'road-map'. Currently, the 21st June roadmap marker seems uncertain. This also falls quite late into our school year. As a result, we have decided to make no changes to the control measures in place. It is important to us that we keep as vigilant as possible with regards to the virus and new variants, reducing the risk to all, by maintaining our high standards.

The following control measures will therefore remain in place until we break up in July:

- Class bubbles (including lunchtimes)
- Regular handwashing
- Application of antibacterial hand gel at regular intervals across the day
- Mask wearing for adults on site during drop off and collection
- Mask wearing for staff in shared areas and on playground duty

We thank you for your continued support with these.

'HEATHFIELD WAYS' AWARD WINNERS

Shout Out!

Who has been demonstrating the 'Heathfield Ways' consistently in school this week?

The awards go to...

CLASS winner: 3M

STAFF winner: Anisa Azam



A special thank you to all of 3M and to Mrs Azam for their huge efforts this fortnight.

LUNCHTIME CLASS OF THE WEEK

WB 24th May: 6M

WB 7th June: 2R

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AWARDS THIS FORTNIGHT

Focus: Being green-fingered and being proactive in helping the environment

Nursery Maya Zara & Myiesha Akthar

RA Zoya Ayana Khan & Muhammad Adyan

RT Alayna Nawaz & Amaya Hussain

IB Mhd Ibrahim Miah & Mikael Zaffar

IP Arham Ali Mushtaq & Madiha Alam

2E Plaul Shawnim & Musa Ojella

2R Nayaab Khan & Albert Serigu Roman

3H Tazmeen Hussain & Yunus Ali

3M Adyan Islam & Aklima Begum

4C Suhana Ali & Faizaan Sohail

4C Ruqayyah Khan & Zayan Khan

5A Anisha Bhuiyan & Rehan Ramzan

5N Mahfooza Yusuff & Nabihah Naveed

6M Khadeeja Patel & Suman Khan

6W Tahrina Afroz Amrein & Amina Jamil

RIGHTS RESPECTING SCHOOL

This fortnight we are looking at **World Refugee Day** which has been recognised by the United Nations since 2001. A refugee is someone who has had to flee their home because their lives were in danger in their home country. World Refugee Day is on 20th June 2021 and helps to raise awareness of the lives and experiences of refugees.

This year's theme is **'Together we heal, learn and shine.'** On **World Refugee Day** Article 22 and Article 10 are particularly important:

Article 22 (refugee children)

If a child is seeking refugee or has refugee status, governments must provide them with appropriate protection and assistance to help them enjoy all the rights in the Convention. Governments must help refugee children who are separated from their parents to be reunited with them.

Article 10 (family reunification)

Governments must respond quickly and sympathetically if a child or their parents apply to live together in the same country. If a child's parents live apart in different countries, the child has a right to visit and keep in contact with both of them.

Activity:

You have the right to be safe. Which people keep us safe? Which people help you? Can you draw some pictures of people who help you in your community?

Miss Elahi



SUNCREAM AND HATS

The weather has finally improved and it is of great importance that children bring a named sunhat with them to school and apply suncream in the morning before they come to school.

Learn more about the science behind why the sun can burn you on the NASA website here:

<https://spaceplace.nasa.gov/sunburn/en/>

Please make sure your child has a water bottle in school with them every day. We will continue to encourage them to drink water regularly throughout the day.



YEAR 5 CHALLENGE YOUR IMAGINATION WORKSHOP

Year 5 took part in a STEM workshop with Learning by Design and had a fantastic time exploring and programming robots!

