



# Windmill Hill Primary School

11<sup>th</sup> September 2020

Dear Parents and Carers



Welcome back to school! It has been lovely to see everyone and I am very proud of how the children have settled back in to school.

Please find below some reminders.

### **One Way Entry and Exit System**

Thank you for adhering to the one way system at school. Just to remind you; please enter through the pedestrian gate and exit across the field through the old doctors' surgery gate, or across the car park through the big gate. Please try to observe social distancing on the school grounds.

### **Flu Forms**

Flu Vaccination Consent Forms have been sent home this week. Please return your completed form as soon as possible, even if you do not want your child to have the vaccination. The vaccination will take place on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> October.

### **Dojo Communication**

Please ensure you set up your Dojo with your child's class teacher. The teachers are communicating with parents daily about class activities and it is important that you are able to receive these messages.

### **Application to Secondary School 2021**

An email was sent out today to parents of children in Year 6 regarding application to Secondary School. Applications must be made by 31<sup>st</sup> October 2020.

#### **School Day**

School starts at 9.00am and finishes at 3.00pm each day. The doors are open from 8.50am. Please ensure your child enters through their allocated door. If your child arrives after 9.00am, they will need to come in the front door where they will be marked down as late.

#### **School Grid**

Please remember to order your child's meal through the SchoolGrid before they come to school each day. The new system is working very well and the children are enjoying the grab bag menu.

#### **Snack Money**

Snack money is 30p per day or £1.50 per week. Please send the money in with your child, who will give this to their class teacher. Each class teacher records the snack money on their own snack register. ***Please do not send money into the office unless you are paying for the half term. The office cannot guarantee that they will be able to pass the message to your child's class teacher before snack time.***

#### **Free School Meals**

Parents can now apply for free school meals online. If you believe that your child may be eligible to receive free school meals, please can you make an application using the following link - <https://www3.halton.gov.uk/Pages/EducationandFamilies/Schools/FreeSchoolMeals.aspx>

If you have more than one child in the school, you must make an application for each child.

School will then be notified if your application has been successful.

For each child that is eligible to receive Free School Meals, the school receives money which can be used to purchase resources and equipment for school. Therefore, it is vitally important that you check if you are eligible as this money supports our school budget and enables us to offer a more varied curriculum to our children.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards



**Miss P Newman**  
**Headteacher**