



# White Meadows Primary Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Please see the weekly updates for this week:

## OPEN DAY

This year we will be having external tours and virtual tours for our open day. The external tours will take place the week commencing Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November for the week. We have slots available every ten minutes from 9.10am. The tours will be led by a member of the Senior Leadership team. Due to covid restrictions we will only have one family per tour.

If you are interested in the tour please contact the school office to arrange a time and date.

We will also be posting a virtual tour of our school, this will be available shortly and we will notify you.

We look forward to seeing new faces.

## FRIENDS OF WHITE MEADOWS AGM

Would you like to be part of The Friends of White Meadows committee to help raise funds for our school? In the past, we have helped subsidise school trips, resources and leavers jumpers for our Year 6 and much more.

This year will be more challenging than ever and we would love your ideas and support of how to make this our best fundraising year ever!

Due to Covid restrictions, at present, all our meetings will be held via zoom, so you can join in from the comfort of your front room. Please express your interest to the office and we will send out the information to you. If you are unable to attend, but would like to be involved, please let the office know and we will be in touch.

## "Laying the Foundations for Life"



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Our first AGM and Committee Meeting to take place on Monday 19th October at 9.30am.

We look forward to seeing you 'virtually' on the 19th!

## GATES

From Monday, the external gates to the site will be open from 2.35pm. Please do not arrive at the school before this time as there will be no access to the site. This is to allow more time for children to complete PE/outdoor learning sessions safely. Please also stick to your allocated collection time as this is in place to ensure a steady wave of parents on the school site and ensure social distancing.

## **SWIMMING UPDATE**

The children have now started swimming weekly which they are really delighted about. Swimming contributions can now be made for this half term by visiting the link on our school website: [www.whitemeadows.w-sussex.sch.uk](http://www.whitemeadows.w-sussex.sch.uk).

## **SWIMMING HATS**

We are selling swimming hats. These can be purchased on parent pay by using [www.whitemeadows.w-sussex.sch.uk](http://www.whitemeadows.w-sussex.sch.uk) and will be sent to your child's classroom. Hats are coloured by houses, Red-Highdown, Yellow-Tortington, Blue- Slindon and Green-Eartham.

**PACKED LUNCHES REMINDER** that we do not allow nuts, peanut butter sandwiches, chocolates or biscuits that have a chocolate coating or layer as some children may have allergies.

## **COVID SYMPTOMS UPDATE**

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A reminder to all parents/carers that the government has sent clearer updated guidance on the symptoms on COVID:

1. A high temperature: any new high temperature where the person feels hot to touch on their chest or back (you do not need to measure the temperature);
2. A new continuous cough: coughing a lot for more than an hour, or three or more coughing episodes in 24 hours;
3. A loss of, or change in, sense of smell or taste: a noticeable loss of smell or taste or things smell and taste different to normal.

If you, your child(ren), or any member of your household is experiencing any of the above symptoms, please keep your child(ren) at home and arrange for a test using the link:

<https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test>

If your child presents any of these symptoms in school, we will phone you and ask you to collect them immediately. Please ensure we have your most up to date phone number - if you have recently changed this, please send your contact details to the school office email who will update our system.

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