

# FW Update - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2020



Dear Parents,

The pupils have had an excellent few weeks and the teachers have all been very impressed with the high standard of home learning which took place over the half term. Thank you to all the grown-ups for their help and continued encouragement!

Today your child would have come home with their first report of 2020-21. The teachers are looking forward to speaking to parents next week on either Tuesday 24th or Thursday 26th November. We have allowed up to 15 minutes for each meeting as it is the first one of the academic year. We have also reflected carefully on the feedback we received last year and ensured that the reports are available to parents in advance of the meeting so that parents can prepare questions should they need to. A report will follow in the Spring Term when we will report on progress, attainment and attendance.

Please find a selection of photos we have taken over the past few weeks. These photos reflect our vision of happy pupils learning within an environment of high expectations (plus plenty of time to explore and play outside!).





























# **SCHOOL TOUR VIDEO**

We are currently not able to conduct on site tours for prospective parents so we have made a video tour instead! Please click on the link below:

CLICK HERE FOR THE SCHOOL VIDEO TOUR

## **CLASS PERFORMANCES - CONSENT FORM**

Dear Parents,

At Floreat Wandsworth, participation in whole class performances is an important part of learning and development for our children, and something that the entire school community looks forward to each year. This year will be no different!

In the current circumstances, we are unable to invite you into school so we will be sharing the performances with you as video recordings using Vimeo, an internet platform. This means that anyone with the link can see the videos but they are not publicly available on the Internet.

Please complete the form below to let us know if you are happy for your child to be included in videos of their performances which will be shared with parents via Vimeo.

#### **CLICK HERE FOR THE CONSENT FORM**

As always, do not hesitate to call or email if you have any questions.

#### STAFFING UPDATES

We are pleased to announce the following staffing updates:

- Miss Chau will remain as Mandela Class Teacher until the end of the academic year.
- Mrs Fry will return as Assistant Headteacher on a part time basis at the end of this month. Mrs Fry will be the Foundation Stage Leader once Mrs Davies departs on maternity leave.
- Mrs Fry will teach in Darwin Class (Reception) on a part time basis. A co-teacher will be recruited in due course.
- Ms Reid is expecting a baby! Ms Reid will begin her maternity leave in the Spring Term. A class teacher will be appointed in the near future.

## THE SCHOOL STANDARDS BOARD (SSB - our Governing Body)

We are delighted to announce that Shama Sarwar will be joining the SSB as a Parent Member. Please follow the link below to find about Shama and the rest of the SSB.

CLICK HERE TO FIND OUT ABOUT GOVERNANCE AT FW

#### SOCIAL MEDIA

Our happy school community thrives when we work together and we are driven by solutions. We always advise parents to ensure that they do not use platforms such as What's App to raise specific concerns.

With this in mind, please ensure you contact the school if you have a concern or issue.

#### **CURRICULUM OVERVIEWS**

The Curriculum Overviews for this half term are on our website for your reference. Please click on the appropriate year group link below:

NURSERY YEAR 1 YEAR 3

RECEPTION YEAR 2 YEAR 4 YEAR 5

Our Remote Learning Plan can also be found within the link below:

#### **REMOTE LEARNING PLAN 2020-21**

This plan is reviewed and amended on a weekly basis and is dependent on staff capacity.

# **SCHOOL SURVEY - NOVEMBER 2020**

We want to hear about what you think of the school. We very much value parental feedback as it only serves to improve our offer to our community.

In 2020-21 we will be sending out two surveys. The next survey will follow in the Summer of 2021. The results of this survey will be analysed by the school team and the governing body (the SSB).

Please respond to each statement given by answering if you 'strongly agree, agree, don't know, disagree or strongly disagree'. There is a space at the end of the survey where you can add additional comments should you wish to.

Please ensure you only submit one response per parent. More than one parent per family can complete the questionnaire for their child or children. This provides for the possibility that parents may hold different perspectives about the school.

We have provided an optional 'Year Group' section. This will help the team to analyse the results in more detail. We appreciate that some parents may wish to stay anonymous so please feel free to skip this question or answer 'I prefer not to say'.

Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey - your voice matters!

### CLICK HERE FOR THE NOVEMBER 2020 PARENT SURVEY

Kind regards,

The Senior Leadership Team

#### SECONDARY SCHOOL PRESENTATION

Mrs Marsden (Head of Inclusion) and Miss Weeks (Key Stage Two Phase Leader) have made a video about the transfer to secondary school which you may find useful. Please click on the link below:

CLICK HERE FOR THE SECONDARY SCHOOL TRANSFER VIDEO

### **E-SAFETY**

Please click on the link below for a parent video about staying safe on the internet. It is made by our E-Safety Advisor, Alan Mackenzie, who would usually visit us each year.

#### **CLICK HERE FOR E-SAFETY VIDEO FOR PARENTS**



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#### **AUTUMN PHOTO COMPETITION**

Thank you for all the wonderful entries! The standard was exceptionally high and Miss Bunn had a tough time choosing the winners who are listed below. Congratulations - do see Miss Bunn for your prize!

Nursery & Reception: Saffiya (top left) & Buddy (top middle)

Year 1 & Year 2: Lexi (top right) & Arlo (bottom left)

Year 3, 4 & 5 Entries: Isabella (bottom middle) & Monty (bottom right)















