



Newsletter

8th October 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

Harvest Festival

It's a wonderful time of year! We get a chance to celebrate all of the fruits of nature and wonder at all of the delicious food that we are fortunate enough to be able to eat. We missed a year last year, but we will be collecting tins and other dried goods for the Spring Community Hub which is an organisation based in Camberwell that runs food banks. Please bring any items for donation by Monday 18th October so that we can pass them to the charity. Thank you so much in advance for your generosity.



Flu Immunisations

The rescheduled date for the children's flu immunisation by nasal spray is **7th December**. The consent form for this can be found online here: <https://sav.hrch.nhs.uk/flu/2021/southwark> please make sure that you complete the form whether or not you consent to your child receiving the immunisation. Many thanks.

Parents' Meetings

I hope that you have been able to sign up via ParentMail for the parents' meetings with teachers next Friday – 15th October. Please contact the office if you are having any difficulty with this. All the meetings will be held online and I have attached to the newsletter details of how to log on using your child's Google Classroom Account. Nursery parent meetings will be held on Wednesday 13th October.



Pre-Loved Uniform

We have a large amount of unlabelled uniform in our lost property. Firstly, **please make sure that you label your child's property!!** If it is labelled then we are able to reunite children with their belongings. If they are not labelled then they will be made available to parents and carers who need pre-loved items for their children.

The next dates for you to pick up some pre-loved uniform are Monday 18th and Thursday 21st October. We will have a table in the playground at pick up time (or in the hall if it is raining) and you will be able to take what you need free of charge.

Uniform Collections

And please remember that you can collect your uniform orders from the school office from a Wednesday if you have made the order before lunchtime the Monday before.

Stories, Songs and Rhymes

Mrs Townsend will be starting our *Stories, Songs and Rhymes* session for pre-schoolers on 2nd November here at the school. Do come along if you have a pre-school child and make sure that you tell all of your friends and neighbours about it!



Our Safeguarding and Child Protection policies can be found at www.goosegreenprimaryschool.org/about-us/key-information
Please feel free to ask the office for a hard copy of the safeguarding policy if you would like to receive one.

Reception Applications 2022

Applications for entry to school next year are upon us and open day season is here. Don't forget to tell all of your friends and neighbours about how brilliant the school is and that they can visit the school to see this for themselves. Open day dates can be found here: <https://www.goosegreenprimaryschool.org/news/?pid=6&nid=1&storyid=7>

Secondary School Applications

And for our Year 6 parents, don't forget that the deadline for applying to secondary schools is 31st October. Make sure that you get your application in on time!

Values Points Winners

As promised last week, we have a double helping of Values Points winners this week.



Well done to the two weeks' worth of winners: Alexia, Lily-Mae, Dotty, Ava, Baxter and Molly. You are all absolute stars!! You have displayed a range of the schools values and it's great to celebrate that with you!

Kindness, Pride, Aspiration, Trust, Positivity and Equity.

Doodle Cup Winners

We have a new weekly celebration! The class with the most stars on Doodle win our new *Doodle Cup*. The inaugural winners on the podium are:

- First place: Coyote, with 896 stars
- Second place: Raccoon, with 687 stars
- Third place: Impala, with 648 stars



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Have a fantastic weekend, see you next week. Simon Wattam

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