

## Dear Parents,

I hope that you have had a lovely week, and that you are looking forward to the weekend ahead. This week, the children have continued to enjoy the ducklings that have been in the school; we watched them grow, and even learn to swim! This has been an amazing experience, as always, for the school and the children.

## School Street:

As you know, we have a school street outside the school on 'Colne Road' but this continues to be a trial. On the next page, there is some further information about 'School Streets' as well as a link to the consultation in which you can share your view as parents of the school. This consultation will focus on whether the School Street should become a permanent fixture outside the school or not. Therefore, please do take some time if you can to complete the consultation.

## Setting:

This term we were going to put back in place the setting system within the core subjects for the remainder of the academic year. However, we have now reviewed this, and we have decided this won't take place until September 2021 so that the children have consistency for the remainder of the academic year / term that has been built up over the spring / summer terms. To reassure, all the lessons that are taught in school continue to be well differentiated to meet the needs of each child and their ability.

If you have any further questions around this decision, please do not hesitate to speak to your classroom teacher.

## School Reports:

The school reports are currently being written by your child's classroom teacher, and will, in summary, provide an overview of learning, attainment and progress for this academic year. The school report will focus on the core subjects (English and Mathematics) as well as all the foundation subjects (e.g. Computing, Science and Topic). We have updated the date of when reports will be coming home to allow for as much teaching and assessment time as possible.

Your child's report will be sent home on [Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July](#).

If you have any further questions once you have received your child's report, please do then make contact with your child's current classroom teacher. Thank you.

If your child is transferring to a new school before the reports are released we will send this on to you and the next school from Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July onwards.



## School Street Information:

# School Run Ready

Remember we have a School Street so please walk, scoot, cycle or park and stride to school for the summer.



### What is a School Street?

A School Street is where one or more roads (or a part of a road) surrounding a school is temporarily closed to most vehicular traffic at the beginning and end of the school day.

Signs at the entrance of the School Street inform drivers of the restrictions.

### Why do we have a School Street?

A School Street aims to make the journey to and from school safer for children, reduce congestion, improve air quality, and promote increased physical activity.

### What does this mean for me?

You will not be allowed to drive your car into the restricted area Monday-Friday during term time at the specific times on the signs. These times are indicated by signs at the start of the School Street and look like this.

### Where are the volunteers and barriers?

There may have been volunteers managing barriers at your School Street which is possibly being phased out now that the School Streets are settling and ANPR enforcement is being introduced. Vehicles driving through the School Street during operational hours without exemption will receive a PCN. Please remember the School Street is still operational, whilst the signage is visible, even if the volunteers and barriers are not present. For more information on the ANPR system please visit: [www.richmond.gov.uk/school\\_streets\\_exemptions](http://www.richmond.gov.uk/school_streets_exemptions). We'd also like to thank the volunteers for their time and effort in helping keep pupils and other road users safe.

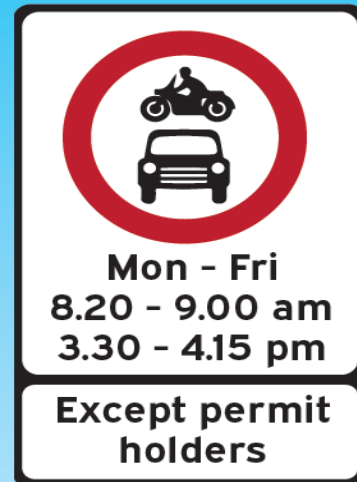
### Have Your Say

School Streets are still being trialled and we welcome your views. The online consultation takes just 3 minutes to do and will help inform us whether the scheme should be made permanent.

Please visit:  
[www.richmond.gov.uk/consultation](http://www.richmond.gov.uk/consultation)

### I have more questions. Who can I contact?

Please see the FAQ's page of our School Street website  
[www.richmond.gov.uk/school\\_streets](http://www.richmond.gov.uk/school_streets)  
or email:  
[schoolstreets@richmond.gov.uk](mailto:schoolstreets@richmond.gov.uk)





## Photography Competition:

Thank you to all the children and families that took part in the PTAs photography competition. The theme for the competition was 'Diversity' and there were some beautiful entries that were very creative! It was very difficult to make a choice but the below entry is the winner. This photo was taken by Jasminder in Potter Class Year 1. This entry will be blown up into a full size picture and hung up in the school. Well done Jasminder for your beautiful photo, I think you will agree that it is a brilliant reflection of diversity.

Next Friday, (25<sup>th</sup>) we will celebrate further with our whole school 'Diversity Day'



## Charity:

Please consider joining in with Esme's Man-icure challenge this father's day. Esme, 9, is receiving treatment for leukaemia at the Royal Marsden Hospital in London. Some of you may know Esme as she attended Trafalgar nursery and infant school prior to moving to Lingfield a few years ago. Her Dad would do anything to make his little girl smile so, one day he let her paint his nails during a pamper session on the ward. Now, Esme is encouraging others to join 'Esme's Man-icure challenge' by painting their dad's, grandads', brothers', uncles' and friends' nails to help raise money for Young Lives vs Cancer, who have helped the whole family deal with the impact a cancer diagnosis bring. Of course, mums, nans, sisters and aunts can join in too. If you'd like to get involved you can post a photo on Instagram using #esmesmanicurechallenge and/or donate using the just giving link below.

Thank you, Verity Roberts

[https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/esmes-man-icure-challenge?fbclid=IwAR0la8P7r4vzKX\\_gJOs5nb1lVEa9v-gn3LCvnXgX39ahX4fE1Gy7YpUbPS8](https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/esmes-man-icure-challenge?fbclid=IwAR0la8P7r4vzKX_gJOs5nb1lVEa9v-gn3LCvnXgX39ahX4fE1Gy7YpUbPS8)



## Office News:

### Medication:

There have been a few cases recently of medication being brought into the school that has not followed the school medication policy. Only medicines / creams that are prescribed can be brought into school, these should be brought straight to the office or handed in on the school gate with a Medicine Form. These will be stored in the school office / medical fridge appropriately and administered as required subject to checks. Please state if the medicine needs to be sent home daily so we can ensure it is handed to an appropriate adult at dismissal time.

**Medicines prescribed 3 times a day** – all doses should be given at home unless the prescription specifically states it should be given at a set time.

**Medicines prescribed 4 times a day** – 1 dose can administered in school unless the prescription specifically states it should be given at set times which requires more than 1 dose be given in school.

Inhalers / Antihistamines (non-drowsy) / Creams – where prescribed these can be signed in provided a prescription supports it can be administered as required.

In all cases, where you are not sure please contact the school office to discuss or request a form.

### Sunscreen / Footwear

A reminder that sunscreen should not be brought into school, on hot days please apply all day screen before your child attends, has a water bottle and wears school shoes (unless PE day). Please do not send your child in wearing sandals or open toed shoes.

### Key Dates: The next two weeks at Twickenham....

Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	World Music Day
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Diversity Day
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Enterprise week begins
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Enterprise week – stalls will not happen; a flyer will be sent home with what your child is selling and the cost. You will be able to purchase this via parent mail.

### Collective Worship:

Date	Theme
21 <sup>st</sup> June	World Music Day
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Sun Safety
5 <sup>th</sup> July	Enterprise Celebration Assembly
12 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Assembly

### House Points:

House	Last Week	This week
Gandhi	2432	2760
Shackleton	2467	2785
Pankhurst	2478	2789
Parks	2456	2788



## Attendance:

Year Group	Percentage
Reception	97.4
Year 1	97.4
Year 2	97.6
Year 3	97.1
Year 4	96.7
Year 5	96.1
<b>Whole School</b>	<b>97.0</b>

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