

# Heswall Primary School

*'Better Never Stops'*



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Dear Parents,

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It's hard to believe that the Summer Term is here already and I trust that you have enjoyed the Spring break. School will open again tomorrow morning with the first class starting at 8.30am. I look forward to seeing you on the playground tomorrow morning.

## PE Kits

PE will be outside as often as possible. Children have been advised that if they want to wear a tracksuit over their PE kits then they can do so. Previously, this was only children in Y3-Y6 but has now been increased to Y1 & Y2 also due to the increase in outdoor lessons. Please ensure that all children have at least their normal PE kit in straight away. Please note that Y3 children will now have PE on a Tuesday afternoon and Y4 will now have PE on a Wednesday. The first lesson for Y3 is tomorrow (Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April).

## Summer Uniform

Summer uniform can be worn from this point onwards if you should choose for your child to do so. We appreciate that it is still cold though and many children will continue to wear their Autumn/Winter uniform for the time being. Summer uniform consists of a white polo shirt, grey trousers/shorts or a red and white gingham dress/playsuit (some younger children sometimes struggle to access the toilet when wearing playsuits). School jumpers and cardigans are still to be worn. Black/dark shoes or dark/white closed toe sandals can be worn but please no open toe sandals, boots or trainers.

## Ocean Blue T-shirts

We are planning another Ocean Blue environmental day on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> April. This is Earth Day and we are asking all children to wear their Ocean Blue T-shirts on that day. We first used the t-shirts 2 years ago and as a result many of the children may have outgrown their t-shirts. In keeping with our eco and recycling approach, you can send your old t-shirts into school, we will clean and redistribute them to other children. Mrs Bolton is also organising more t-shirts that can be bought after school. More details of this will follow in the coming days.

## Eco Flag

Over the holidays, we found out that we have been successful in the renewal of our Eco Flag. You will see the flag flying proudly on the school grounds when you go past the school and it is a reminder of the commitment that this school has made to cherish and value the environment in which we live. The flagpole itself was a gift to the school from the parents of a pupil that left Heswall last summer to go to secondary school.

## Beehive

A reminder that Beehive is still available for morning and evening childcare. Beehive Club is run by Beth Hallsworth, mum of two children in the school. She is supported by Barbara Ashton and Jan Wright and will all ensure that the children have a lovely time. As the summer comes, the children will be spending more time playing outside and enjoying the school grounds. We offer both long and short term bookings and we will try to be extremely flexible and work with what you need for those extra days. You can complete a booking form or you can contact the school office for more details.

## Lovely News

Mrs Heather Morton, one of our Y5 class teachers and our school SENCO, last week gave birth to a beautiful baby boy. Little Henry weighed in at an impressive 8lb 11oz and both mum and baby are doing really well. Congratulations to Mr and Mrs Morton on the birth of your lovely son.

Best Wishes

Mr J Lawrenson,  
Headteacher

