Heswall Primary School

'Better Never Stops'



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Dear Parents and Carers.

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Welcome to another academic year at Heswall Primary School. It's the end of week one and already the children and teachers are getting back to their normal classroom routines. An extra welcome to all our new children starting Foundation 2 (Reception) for the first time. We hope all the children have a fantastic school year and as always if you have any concerns or questions, please get in touch as soon as possible. All classes (Y1-Y6) had an email that was sent earlier this week and our teaching staff will do their best to respond as soon as they can.

Uniform

It is still very warm so we are happy for your children to continue wearing the summer uniform for the first half term. All uniform details are on the school website.

Extending the School Day

We need to extend our school day slightly so that we are in keeping with the new government recommendations of 32.5 hours. We therefore are giving you advance notice that we intend the school day to finish at 3.25pm rather than 3.15pm from the start of January. If you have any concerns about the time change, please let us know by emailing us at schooloffice@heswall-primary.wirral.sch.uk. Plus Club is not impacted by this change.

PE Days

Children have tracksuits that they are to wear for their PE sessions. This year, the children will have PE on the following days:

- Y1- Monday and Thursday
- Y2- Friday
- Y3- Tuesday
- Y4 –Thursday
- Y5 Wednesday
- Y6 –Monday

Normally we ask for the children to keep their indoor PE kit (White T-Shirt and Red Shorts) in school however the current weather is still very warm. We are happy for children to come to school wearing their indoor PE kits should the weather be too warm for tracksuits. Most children wore a combination of their indoor kit with their tracksuit top last summer and could then take off their jumpers when they felt too warm. Our F2 class will receive details for their class directly from the class teacher's communication.

Toast

To make the school completely cash free, you can now purchase toast for the full term on ParentPay. The rest of this half- term will cost £6.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Lawrenson, Headteacher















