

Keyworth Primary School

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General update

Dear Parents/Carers,

We again welcomed over 175 children each day to Keyworth this week with the *new norm* feeling more normal! You will have seen that the government announced that in September all children are expected to return to school. Children at Keyworth will return after the summer holidays on **Thursday 3rd September**. We are currently using the government guidelines to make plans for a full reopening and will share the details with you as soon as we are able to do so.

Last day of term

Keyworth will **close to children on Tuesday 21**st **July** for the summer holidays. We were hoping to be able to organise some in-school provision during the summer but we have extensive building works planned throughout meaning that the school site will not be safe for staff and children. Please refer to the changes below in terms of end times for the final day of school this academic year:

Year group	Start time	End time	Arrival/departure gate
All-day Nursery	8:45am	1:45pm	Gaza Street
Reception	9:00am	2:00pm	Gaza Street
Year 1	8:45am	1:45pm	Faunce Street
Year 2	9:00am	2:00pm	Gaza Street
Year 3	9:00am	2:00pm	Faunce Street
Year 4	8:45am	1:45pm	Gaza Street
Year 5	8:45am	1:45pm	Doddington Grove
Year 6	8:30am	1:30pm	Doddington Grove
Afterschool club	There will be no Afterschool club on Tuesday 21st July.		

If you would like to arrange for your children to be collected at the same time, please contact Libby in the school office.

Please note that on 21st July, there will not be an afternoon Nursery but instead an all-day Nursery. Contact the school office if you have any further queries or questions.

Children's new teachers

Next week, we will be sending an email to all Parents/Carers to reveal who your child/children's new teacher/s will be in September. Please ensure that you regularly check your emails as this is the best way for Keyworth to communicate with all families.

Cereal, porridge and baked beans

We have lots of boxes of cereal and porridge, as well as baked beans in school. As we will not be open during the summer holidays, we are making plans for a local foodbank to collect these items so that they can be used throughout the community. If you are worried about providing your child/children with food during the summer holidays and would like some of these items before we send them to a foodbank, then please contact the school office by Wednesday 15th July so that we can arrange for you to collect them from school.

<u>Lambeth and Southwark's Summer of Food and Fun programme 2020</u>

Southwark and Lambeth have joined forces with The Mayor's Fund for London to host an exciting summer programme of food and activities for all families. There are 85 programmes for children of different ages and with different interests. From Wednesday 22 July until Wednesday 2 September, young people and families will be able to access a regular source of free nutritious meals over the summer, whether at a local holiday club or at home, and join an array of community activities including sports, theatre, arts and crafts, and cooking. For further information, click on the link below:

https://www.mayorsfundforlondon.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/DBG0177-Kitchen-Social-Design-AW-Digital-Version.pdf

Once you have read the brochure and to register your interest, you will need to complete this online form: https://www.mayorsfundforlondon.org.uk/lambeth-southwark-summer-food-fun/

Please be mindful of the deadlines as we do not want you to miss out.

Magic Breakfast food parcels

To families who contacted us about receiving breakfast parcels during the summer, I can confirm that we have forwarded on your requests to *Magic Breakfast* and they have agreed to provide this service for you. Please note the following:

- 1. Parents can only cancel their food parcels during the summer holidays by contacting *Magic Breakfast* directly.
- 2. Parents cannot change their breakfast delivery address over the summer.

If you have any further questions or queries, you will need to contact *Magic Breakfast*: https://www.magicbreakfast.com/contact

Summer food vouchers

Children who are entitled to *benefits-related free school meals* have been receiving vouchers each week to cover the cost of their free school meals. This will continue until the end of the summer holidays. A few families have said that their vouchers do not always work when they get to the supermarket so I want to make it clear that Keyworth shares this frustration with you, however we are unable to fix the problem as vouchers are issued through a company called Edenred, who are working with the Department for Education to issue vouchers. If you have any further voucher-related problems, please contact the company directly using their website https://www.edenred.co.uk/reward-recipients/Free-School-Meal-Vouchers/ or via email freeschoolmealsparentscarers@edenred.com.

Southwark Libraries Summer Reading Challenge

A reminder that the *Summer Reading Challenge* has started and will run through to early September. For further information click on the following link: https://www.southwark.gov.uk/events-culture-and-heritage/26927/9611/26927?c=191.

Southwark's Covid-19 support services

Below is an updated link containing Southwark's Covid-19 information and support brochure. Inside there are updated contacts to the Southwark Community Hub, for financial support, for keeping physically and mentally healthy, and for staying safe: file://dc-srv-

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Have a lovely weekend!

Ray Capper

Head of School