



Riverview C of E Primary and Nursery School

Ewell Family Centre with Riverview Daycare

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Headteacher: Mrs M Atkins

9th July 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week:

We were pleased to welcome back Rubies, Silvers and Golds on Tuesday. It has been a challenging week – on Monday 40% of our staff were absent due to having to isolate, the remainder of the week just under 19% were absent.

- Watts Gallery joined Emerald Class remotely on Wednesday.
- Diamond Class assembly was cancelled on Thursday due to the class isolating.
- If you ordered a class photograph from Braiswick this will be coming home with your child today (Pearls, Diamonds and Opals next week)
- Due to a lot of persuasive communication from Mrs Bates with PGL, we managed to secure a full refund for parents of the children in Gold Class who were due to be going to the Isle of Wight on Sunday. Well done Mrs Bates!
- School uniform is now ordered online through Mapac (see attached flyer – or the link on our new website under the tab About Us, School Life and Uniform). This needs to be ordered by 2nd August to arrive in time for the start of school in September.
- However - V-necked sweatshirts are available through ParentMail until Friday 16th July or stocks run-out)
- We have had a total of 14 cases of COVID across the school. Our protective measures are still in place and will continue to be so until the end of term.

Next week:

- Filming of the KS2 production will take place on Wednesday – if your child has not yet brought their costume in, please make sure it comes in on Monday in a named carrier bag.
- School reports will be coming home on Thursday 15th July.
- Unfortunately Silvers Class assembly has been cancelled for Thursday.
- Please ensure your child's dinner money account is paid in-full. All outstanding payments need to be cleared by the end of next week. Payments are made directly to Surrey County Council's bank account through ParentMail.

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- Opal Class were due to attend STEMfest at Blenheim High School on Wednesday, but regrettably has been cancelled.
- 'Careers' week' has been postponed until the next academic year. Thank you to those parents who volunteered to come and talk to the children about their own careers – we hope that you will still be willing to come in when this event is rearranged.
- Gold Class Leavers' service to be held on the school field at 1000 on Friday. Unfortunately we are only able to welcome one parent/carer per child of Gold Class in order for us to comply with our protective measures.
- Lost property will be available to view in the playground at pick-up at the end of next week. Anything that is not claimed will be disposed of.

Staffing update:

We are sad to be saying farewell to Mrs Upton. She has been part of the Riverview team for over 20 years. Thank you Mrs Upton for your immense love and support for the children across the school, most notably in art. Good luck for the next chapter!

Today we have appointed a teacher for Emerald Class. Mr Stewart is looking forward to joining us in September and will be meeting Sapphire Class next week.

FRIDAY 16th JULY – last day of term !

Please note the collection times as follows:

- *Diamonds, Rubies, Silvers – 1320*
- *Siblings – 1330*
- *Sapphires, Emeralds, Opals, Golds - 1335*

**Mrs Atkins
Headteacher**

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