

Robert Le Kyng Primary School

Newsletter Date — 2nd October 2020



Covid update

Once again, I would like to offer a huge thank you to all of you who are helping us to implement the safety measures required to keep the school open during this time. Even in the rain this morning almost everyone used the one-way system and walked the extra yards. You will be glad to hear that we are investing in some school umbrellas for the staff who stand outside!

You will have noticed that we have not sent homework books this term. This is to minimise the amount of things travelling to and from school. Please do remember to keep up the reading at home – at least 5 times a week – and most children will also have spellings to learn. Practice of number bonds and times tables is always useful if you have the time as well.

There will be no term 1 parents' consultation evening this term. Instead we are going to send home a mini report on how your child is settling into their new class. There will be a space for you to send back any comments you need to for the teacher. We know this limits the amount of face-to-face interaction between teachers and parents, so if there is something that you would like to talk to the class teacher about, please do let the office know and they will give you a ring when they are not teaching.

Please ensure that your child has a either a school meal booked or a packed lunch daily. Some children seem to have both which is creating waste as our kitchen staff cater for the number of meals booked. Due to current Covid restrictions, many of our PE lessons will be outside this term and your child will need warm clothes. Please provide your child with daps or trainers, a woolly hat, fleece (or hoodie/school jumper) and tracksuit bottoms as well as the indoor kit of t shirt and shorts.



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The RLK Supporters' Annual General meeting (AGM)

A reminder that the Supporters AGM is being held on Friday 9th October at 7.30. The meeting will be held virtually due to the current restrictions. If you would like to attend the meeting virtually, then please email the Supporters at the email address below and the link will be sent to you nearer the meeting time.



The Supporters need you!! We are looking for parents and carers to come and join us. If you are interested in becoming involved with the Supporters, or if you have any fundraising ideas, please speak to Mrs Beale, or email us at **Supporters@robertlekyng.swindon.sch.uk** REMINDER :- Nasal Flu Immunisations will take place at school on **Wednesday 25th November 2020** and are available to all children at RLK. Your child will not receive the immunization unless they have been registered using the following link. <u>https://schoolimms.virgincare.c</u> o.uk/flu/2020/swindon



Parentmails have also been sent with the link to register your child.



Please can you ensure that your child follows your good road safety example by using the pedestrian crossings outside of school to cross Westcott Place.