

# Meadow View Primary School

## Newsletter – July 2024

### Sports Days

Thank you so much for the wonderful support that our families gave to our pupils during their sports days. The children thoroughly enjoyed having you cheer them on and all events went perfectly. The winning house overall was team wellness. Well done to all the children for taking part and competing with respect and resilience.

### Grass Banking

Please can I remind families to walk on the footpaths and not on the grass banking. Our grounds maintenance team work hard to ensure our grounds look immaculate and we can support them by doing this. Thank you.

### Magic Breakfast

Excitingly, we have formed a relationship with a charity called Magic Breakfast. From Wednesday this week ALL children will be offered a toasted bagel as they enter into their classroom as a breakfast to prevent them from being hungry during the morning learning. We are hoping that this will be warmly received by the children. Children can still have their breakfast at home and have an additional bagel when they get to school. If you have any questions about this please speak to a member of staff.

### Parking

Thank you to all the parents who are supporting the school by parking safely and following procedures to ensure that drop off times and collection times are safe for all. We would just like to remind parents that in order to use the staff car park at the bottom of the hill, parents are required to complete a form, which can be obtained from the school office, in order to seek permission from the Head Teacher. All cars should have their engines switched off when stationary to avoid our pupils and families having to walk through pollution from exhausts.

### Subsidised Trips

We recognise that the cost-of-living crisis is putting significant pressure on families and that the cost of school trips can be an additional pressure. In response, the school is now in a position to subsidise all school trips. From September 2024, all school trips will be charged at a standard cost of £5 and school will subsidise the additional costs.

### School's Games Mark Gold



The schools' games mark is a government-led awards scheme that rewards schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community. As you will be aware, we want all pupils to live happy healthy lives and this includes have a healthy attitude towards exercise, being active and engaging in sport. The pupils at school are able to compete in a variety of sports both in school and out of school, access active playtimes, engage in forest school, attend lunchtime and after school clubs and take part in community club taster days. All of this hard work has been recognised with the gold award. Well done Mrs Kartout and Miss May.

### School End of Year Reports

The children's end of year reports will be emailed out to you this week. Y5/6 reports will be sent out on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July, Y3/4 reports will be sent on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, Y1/2 reports will be sent on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July and EYFS reports will be sent on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July. If you do not receive your child's report, please inform us urgently. Reports will be translated for those families that require this.

### Children's University

In September we will be launching children's university within our school. This is a charity that encourages, celebrates and rewards children learning outside of the classroom. At first, whilst we learn how to manage the system, we will only be recording activities that the children do in school, however once we are confident with the program, we will expand this to include out of school clubs and activities. To find out more about this please visit their website.

<https://www.childrensuniversity.co.uk/about-us/what-we-do-and-why/> There is a video that will explain more.

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