



Newsletter – 14th May 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

It has been yet another busy fortnight at The Reddings with the children and staff working incredibly hard as we continue our journey of bridging this academic year to the next academic year. It was lovely to share so many successes in our celebration assemblies. This has been a week of celebration; we would like to send a huge congratulation to Mr and Mrs O'Callaghan (some of you may remember Mrs O'Callaghan as Miss Mistry who previously worked at The Reddings) on the birth of their gorgeous baby boy Rory who was born on Tuesday 11th May weighing in at 7lbs 4ozs. Mr O'Callaghan will now be on paternity leave until the end of next week.

For many of our 'Reddings' families, Thursday was Eid Al-Fitr which is the celebration that marks the end of the holy month of Ramadan. May I take this opportunity to wish you a belated Eid Mubarak.

As you will be aware, we move into the next step of the 'out of COVID' roadmap. The local authority have released their risk assessment today and I shall be reviewing the document over the weekend. All current practice will remain in place for the week commencing Monday 17th May. Any significant revisions will be communicated via School Gateway and the reviewed risk assessment will be available on the website. Thank you for your understanding and patience in this matter.

Just a couple of reminders for you this week:

Pick up Arrangements

If someone else is picking up your child after school, please inform your child's teacher / office via email. Due to COVID, staff are restricted from entering other bubbles, which in turn makes it very difficult to pass on last minute phone messages.

School Gates

Please remember that the school gates opens at 8.45am and closes at 9.00am every day. Doors close at 8.55am for Year 1 to Year 6. All children need to be in school by this time so they are 'Ready to Learn'.

Can we please ask that if you are running late and the car park gates are open, you speak to the office on the intercom before entering the school site. Many thanks for your assistance in this matter.

Reminder

We are experiencing a high level of children who are forgetting items for school at home, resulting parents making the extra journey to school to drop items off. We would appreciate if all children could ensure that their school bags are packed and ready for school the night before.

After School Clubs

We are delighted that we are able to offer extra-curricular opportunities after school. All children need to be collected by an adult at the end of the club as the walking home from school permission (Year 5 and Year 6) only covers the normal end of the school day time.

'Ready to Learn' class of the week: Year 4

'Sport Performer' of the week: Zakariah (Year 3)

Stars of the week:

Nursery	Kiara
Reception	Esmond and Joel
Year 1	Connie
Year 2	Hannah
Year 3	Jacob and Jorgi
Year 4	Eva
Year 5	Milly and Mason
Year 6	Prudence

Governor writing competition: Spring Term 2020



We are delighted to present Freya in Year 4 with the Governor Writing competition shield.

Freya won the competition in March 2020 just before the Country went into lockdown and so we have recently had the shield engraved. Congratulations Freya!

The Governors and Mr Rawes are currently in conversation about the competition which is planned for Summer Term 2.