

Dear Parents

Summer 2018, Newsletter (1)

## REMINDER

### **Jewellery**

Because of health and safety regulations laid down by Essex County Council, we do not allow jewellery (other than pierced earrings) to be worn in school. If your child has pierced ears we permit small studs only, but even these must not be worn when children have physical education lessons. Once you know when PE days are for your child, we recommend that they do not wear earrings at all on that day. If they do wear them, we will ask your child to take them out before starting the lesson. No hoops or dangly earrings are permitted.

Please note that earrings cannot be covered for PE, and so if your child wants to have their ears pierced, it will always need to be done at the start of the summer holidays, so that by September, earrings can be removed.

### **School uniform**

Our school is a uniform school. This means that we expect all pupils to wear the school uniform each day. Our school colour is bottle green with grey trousers or skirts/pinafores. The uniform is intended to be smart, practical and economical.

School uniform items: White shirt or blouse; white polo shirt – plain or with school logo; bottle green jumper, cardigan or sweat shirt (with or without WBS logo, NOT GREY); grey flannel trousers; (grey shorts if preferred in summer); grey pinafore dress or skirt; green and white check summer dress; green, grey or black tights, or white or grey socks; appropriate black school shoes (trainers and sandals are not permitted).

Physical Education kit- Reception and KS1: black plimsolls preferably Velcro or slip-on; black shorts; White Bridge logo green round necked T-shirt.

KS2 black plimsolls or plain black trainers; black shorts; White Bridge logo green round-necked T-shirt; plain track bottoms, grey or black.

School uniform with the logo is available from Forest Casualwear in Loughton High Road.

Please make certain that ALL items of clothing are labelled clearly with your child's name to avoid items going astray.

### **Book Bags**

From September due to extremely limited coat peg space, the children WILL NOT be able to bring back packs or large bags into school on a daily basis. All they will need is a drawstring bag for their PE kit and a standard school book bag which will be stored in class.

Lunch boxes will go straight on the lunch box trolley as they do now.

Children may only bring an additional bag if they have an after school club.

### **Music Lessons**

We still have space for children in KS2 who would like to have Guitar and Keyboard lessons. If you are interested please contact Mrs Green in the school office.

## **Cheques**

All cheques should now be payable to **Epping Forest Schools Partnership Trust**.

## **Kingswood**

If you have not already paid it, the balance was due for Kingswood last Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> April.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher