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Dear Parents & Carers,

Welcome Back! We hope you and your child/ren had a restful and enjoyable Easter holiday. We are looking forward to our last term together and have planned many exciting activities. This letter will outline some of the important details about this half of Summer Term.

Punctuality & Attendance

It continues to be really important that children arrive and are collected promptly according to the timings below to support social distancing and to keep everyone as safe as possible. A reminder that adults and carers should be wearing a mask when collecting their child.

Contacting the school is more crucial than ever at the moment; it is vital that you call or email the school if your child or any other member of your family develops Covid symptoms and/or you are isolating: **0207 772 8500** or email admin@primrosehill.camden.sch.uk

Attendance is compulsory for all children, but we understand that some absences may occur. Again, regular contact and communication to our office about illness and medical appointments is crucial. Please see our website for our Attendance Policy and Addendum Policy.

Start Time and Gate: 8.45am at the North gate (2 year olds)

Exit Time from the UPPER playground: 3.15pm

Paul's liaison morning: Thursday 8:45am on the Upper playground

Jacob's liaison morning: Friday 8:45am on the Upper playground

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The Office:

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Head Teacher: Phil Allman

Curriculum Overview:

We will continue to adapt the curriculum this half term and beyond to meet the needs of our learners - whilst ensuring it remains broad and balanced. This half term's focus will be STEAM and our topic is 'The Story Begins'. Below is our Summer 1 Curriculum overview with more information.

PE

Your child's PE session with Jordan & Dean will continue to be every **Wednesday**. Children need to come into school in their PE kits on this day. During these sessions, Jordan & Dean will be social distancing from all children in the class. Teaching Assistants from their class bubble will attend these sessions and will administer any first aid required. All equipment will be suitably sanitised between groups and contact sport will be avoided when possible.

They will also have an extra PE lesson on **Friday**. They don't need to wear their PE kits for this but should wear comfortable clothes and trainers.

Music

Music sessions with Tom are being held in the hall to provide extra space for these sessions. As with PE, Tom will be social distancing from all classes and will be supported by the Teaching Assistants from their class bubble. Recorders and other wind instruments will not be used, and all other equipment will be suitably sanitised between groups and suitable music activities chosen.

Home Learning:

Home learning will be shared on Google classroom at 4pm each Friday. We ask that your Child/ren upload what they are able to complete each Wednesday. Spelling quizzes will be done on Thursday.

Reading

Please encourage your child/ren to read for 30 minutes each day. Please now send your child/ren in with their book bags every day as we can now send books home. Keep going with reading eggs.

Water & Dressing for school

It is really important during these Summer months that your child is wearing suitable clothing; as we know the weather in the UK changes daily. We encourage you to dress your child in clothes that are practical for the classroom and ensure your child's clothing is named.

As part of our safety precautions in school, we are keeping the windows and doors open in our classroom to ensure the room is ventilated. This means that it can get cold even with the heating on! Please make sure your child comes in with layers to wear, including a warm jumper.

Please remember to send your child into school with a bottle of water.

Communication:

For further information, please make sure you regularly check the school website www.primrosehill.sch.uk Here, you can find the school's Risk Assessment on the News page - this will be continually updated in response to the most up to date guidance from the Government.

Many Thanks,

Jacob & Paul
The Year 3 Team

Head Teacher: Phil Allman

Year 3

Summer 1 Overview for Parents & Carers

Our termly overviews are going to look a bit different this year as we focus on re-establishing and embedding new routines and expectations, rebuilding our community and relationships and focusing on the wellbeing of our pupils, their families and our staff. Curriculum wise this will mean ongoing and constant assessment; identifying and addressing gaps, particularly in Maths and English, will be the priority. Below is an outline for the first half of the Summer Term. Thank you, the Year 3 Team.

Our topic in Year STEAM this half term will be 'The Story Begins'	
English	<p>English teaching and learning will be made up of English sessions, Guided Reading sessions and spelling sessions. Lessons will be planned in response to the children and adapted to their needs.</p> <p>Our books this half term: Lost Happy Endings & Pebble in my Pocket</p> <p>Our focus this half term is going to be on: Narratives and poetry</p>
Maths	<p>Maths teaching and learning will be constantly adapted in response to the children's needs.</p> <p>Our focus this half term is going to be on: Fractions, Time, Fluency and Problem solving.</p>
Wider Curriculum	<p>Circle Time sessions once a week</p> <p>Other Topic Areas : Rocks and soil & Magnets</p> <p>Music This half-term Year 3 will be exploring composing music for cartoons. We will be looking at Mickey Mouse cartoons and composing brand new music to fit the cartoons. Year 3 will also be continuing to learn ukulele with Ollie every Monday so please remember your ukuleles.</p> <p>PE In PE this half term we will be focusing on invasion games, such as Football and Basketball. This will help year 3 to continue to develop their fundamental skills, as well as other attributes needed in sports, Game awareness, sportsmanship, Teamwork etc.</p>

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