

# Primrose Hill Primary School

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**Friday 6th January**

Dear Parents & Carers,

We wish you all a very happy New year and a warm welcome back to school for the first term of 2023! We're sure it will be another busy and exciting term for all our Year 3 children and their families.

## **Curriculum**

This half term's focus is **Let There be Light!** Attached is our Spring 1 Curriculum overview with more information.

## **Reading**

Every child should be reading for **at least 20 minutes a day** at home and recording what they have read on their reading record. Adults in class will acknowledge reading records once a week with a stamp, so it is important that they are brought into school every day.

## **Home Learning**

Home learning, including spelling words, will be posted on **Google Classroom every Friday**. We will also send out a paper copy. Please complete and submit by the following Thursday so it can be shared and celebrated in class. A spelling test and times tables test will take place each week on Friday. You can continue to practice your times tables daily, using **Times Tables Rockstars**.

## **PE & Music**

Your child's PE & Music session will continue to be on **Tuesdays**. Children need to come into school in their PE kits on this day. PE will be held outside where possible so please make sure your child wears their PE jumper.

## **Punctuality & Attendance**

It continues to be really important that children arrive and are collected promptly.

**START OF THE DAY** - It continues to be really important that children arrive before 9am, as the first lesson of the day is an important one. **Our 'soft start' continues between 8:45 - 9:00 am each morning**. After 9:00 am the gate will be closed and any latecomers will need to come through the main school gate.

**END OF THE DAY** - Children will be in the playground when the gates open at **3:25 pm**.

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Attendance is compulsory for all children, but we understand that some absences may occur. Regular contact and communication to our office about illness and medical appointments is crucial.

**The Office:**

Please call the school office if you have any questions. If you do need to come *into* the office you must use the gate entrance from the street and not come in through the school.

Office: [0207 772 8500](tel:02077728500) or email [admin@primrosehill.camden.sch.uk](mailto:admin@primrosehill.camden.sch.uk)

**Additional Key Teaching Staff:**

PE Team - Jordan

Music - Tom

Higher Level Teaching Assistants - Heather Healy, Isabel Murphy, Sandra Grogan & Maggie Muir

**Water & Dressing for school**

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

We encourage you to dress your child in clothes that are practical for the classroom and ensure your child's clothing is named. As we are now into Winter, please make sure that your child comes to school with a long sleeved coat, preferably with a hood or hat.

For further information, please make sure you regularly check the school website [www.primrosehill.sch.uk](http://www.primrosehill.sch.uk)

We look forward to a fantastic term with you all.

Many thanks,

Alice Doran and Paul Baron Thomson  
The Year 3 Team

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