



June 2021

It is hard to believe that we are now heading into our last half term of this academic year. What a year it has been! I would like to thank all parents, carers and families of Harrow Gate for all your help and support through lockdowns, bubble closures and helping us follow COVID safe protocols. We cannot wait until we are able to come together as a school family again, welcoming you all into our school building, sharing our learning and celebrating events together.

School Calendar 2021 – 2022

Attached to this letter are the school term dates from September 2021. This is also on our website:

<https://www.harrowgateacademy.org/term-dates>

PE days:

Nursery	Wednesday
Reception	Monday
Year 1	Thursday
Year 2	Tuesday
Year 3	Friday
Year 4	Thursday
Year 5	Tuesday
Year 6	Monday

Children are to come to school in their PE Kits.

- **White polo shirt** – NO T- shirts with pictures
- **Black / grey tracksuit bottoms or leggings** – No stripes or large logos
- **Red / Black shorts** – under their tracksuit or in a bag
- **BLACK trainers** – NO white sole, branding, coloured

The children are to wear their red jumper or cardigan with their PE Kit.

School Uniform:

Full school uniform policy applies to **all** children. I am aware that some children have struggled to get uniform during the lockdowns and closure of shops. Access to all uniform has now returned therefore all children are expected to wear the correct items:

- Red jumper / cardigan
- White shirt / polo shirt
- Grey or black trousers / skirt / leggings
- Red gingham summer dress
- Black school shoes or all black trainers - NO BRANDED TRAINERS

NAME IN ALL JUMPERS AND COATS! Please help us to reunite all children with their lost items by putting their name in their clothes. School will not accept responsibility for property that has not been named.

ART Awards

We are still celebrating the children's success through our core values of **Achievement**, **Resilience** and **Trust**. Unfortunately, we are still unable to hold assemblies where we share the successes of your child/children. I will continue to send photographs of the children with their awards home to families and children will celebrate their success with their classmates and teacher in their classroom.

Celebration of the year

Friday 16th July we will be having a celebration day with the whole school. We have many exciting events and activities happening through the day that all our children will enjoy. All of our children have worked so hard and shown true resilience in their 'home learning' and returning to class so positively.

