

Moorfield News

Responsibility Perseverance Compassion Thankfulness

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after the Easter holiday. I hope you all had an enjoyable break.

As we move into the summer term, we are all hoping for a consistent period of education and the opportunity for all of our children to have a wonderful term in school. Hopefully the weather will continue to improve and there can be plenty of outdoor learning throughout the last few months of the school year.

Crossing Patrol

We now have a crossing patrol in place outside school and I encourage you to use this service for the safety of you and your family. I appreciate it may require some of you to take a slight detour in your journey to and from school, however if you need to cross over Lyndhurst Avenue then please consider this as an option.

Parking outside school

For those of you who drive your child to Moorfield we seem to again have the ongoing problem of parking outside the school and the surrounding roads. I have been contacted by a resident of Mostyn Road who is particularly concerned with the parking around the T junction of Mostyn Road and Lyndhurst Avenue, which caused a significant problem before the Easter break as the refuse collectors weren't able to carry out their duties due to what was described as 'abandoned' cars on the road and pavements. It is essential for the safety of other road users, pedestrians and local residents that due care and attention is taken when driving and parking within the vicinity of the school. Please think about parking well away from the school site and walking that little bit further to ensure everyone around the school is safe.

RSHE

You received a draft copy of the Relationships, Sex and Health Education (RSHE) policy earlier in the week to follow on from the presentations available on the Discovery Education website which we shared with you at the end of spring term. If you have any questions about this policy or programme please contact headteacher@moorfield.stockport.sch.uk before 30th April.

Parents Evening

We will be sharing with you in the near future our plans for the next 'Covid safe' parents consultation evenings which will take place on Tuesday 4th and Wednesday 5th May using an online parents evening programme called SchoolCloud. Some of you may be familiar with this programme if you have any children at secondary school.

And finally

Some of you have spoken to me this week to ask about when 'things will get back to normal'. I can confirm we won't be making any changes to current provisions until summer 2 at the earliest. We still request that you arrive and leave the school at the staggered times and wear a mask when on the school premises. We will not be admitting parents and carers into school unless it is absolutely necessary.

I hope you have a great weekend—the weather is looking good!

Best wishes,

Paul Anderson
Headteacher



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What's going on this week?



The Union Jack will be flown on UK Government buildings every day of the year under plans to celebrate the United Kingdom's heritage and pride. Ministers are set to issue new guidance this week to get the world-famous flag displayed all year round – not just on designated days. Under current guidance, the flag is only required to be flown on all UK Government buildings in England, Wales and Scotland on special days, such as the Queen's birthday.

Things to talk about at home...

- 🌱 Aside from being used for countries, do you know any other organisations that use a flag? Are you part of one?
- 🌱 How many different countries do you think you could identify?
- 🌱 Why do you think flags are considered very important to some people?