

Dear Parents and Carers,

## NEW SCHOOL LOGO

Our Primary Leadership Team (school council) have been working throughout the year on the development of a new school badge to link with (what will hopefully be in the near future) our new school build. The children started by encouraging their class to design a new badge thinking about it being unique to Moorfield. From the many designs they received they didn't find one that stood out from the rest so made the decision to take the best bits from the designs they liked the most. Many designs included trees (we have lots of them at Moorfield) and our school values. They passed their ideas to one of our parents, Mrs Berry, who kindly helped to create a number of designs and this was the design they liked the most. They thought it looked modern and included our school colours (red leaves and black tree trunk) our house colours (blue, purple, yellow and green) as well as our school values.

This will start to appear on school messages and letters from September. Please don't worry about school uniform at this point. We will be liaising with our uniform provider next school year and won't be introducing this until 2024/25. We will also be allowing uniform with the old school badge on beyond this school year as we don't want to add an unnecessary cost to family budgets.



## SCHOOL CAR PARK

It is becoming more and more difficult to accommodate the needs of our Kaleidoscope families wanting to use the school car park for drop off and pick up and we are anticipating an increase in September as we are opening up another classroom to children with SEND.

Can I ask all of our Kaleidoscope parents, who currently use the school car park, to please think whether walking to school is an option or parking away from the school and walking a short distance. We will monitor the situation in September and make further decisions if the situation doesn't improve. We are however, in a very difficult position as the car park isn't big enough to accommodate both school staff and parents.

For all other parents, we can only allow the use of the school car park if you are a blue badge holder and therefore you or your child has a need that requires parking within the school grounds. Without a blue badge we will be unable to accommodate you. We will expect the blue badge to be displayed when you are parked.

Can I also ask that all of you leave as soon as possible after collecting your child to allow other parents to take car parking spaces where necessary.

Also a reminder that parents/carers of children in Kaleidoscope continue to use the KS1 gate to access school. Please do not use the car park as a short cut. At the start and end of the school day the gates are open and cars and minibuses are coming in and out. This isn't a safe space for a child.

## FAMILY PASS FOR LYME PARK

You will have received an email this week with a free family pass to Lyme Park for over the summer. Please be aware, you have to be a Stockport resident and may be asked to provide proof of address. The barcode on the pass can be used on your phone or printed as a hard copy and you'll we asked to provide this at the entrance.

## AND FINALLY.....

We finish today for the summer break and return to school on TUESDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER 2023. We wish Year 6 good luck on their journey to high school, we look forward to welcoming our new reception families and we look forward to seeing everyone else back in September as well. Have a great summer!

Best wishes,

Paul Anderson Headteacher

# Family Support Vouchers

Help for families with school-age children

As part of Stockport Council's delivery of the Department for Work and Pensions' Household Support Fund, vouchers are being issued to families with school-age children who receive income-based free school meals, those in early years with equivalent eligibility, and those households in receipt of Local Council Tax Support and/or Housing Benefit paid by Stockport Council.

Eligible families are receiving a **Family Support Voucher** worth **£97.50 per eligible child**, which can be redeemed at a Post Office<sup>®</sup>. The voucher is to help with the cost of household energy and other household essentials.

Be sure to check for your voucher: Letter vouchers (if we don't have an email address) from **12 July 2023** Email vouchers from **18 July 2023** 

## Don't miss out!

Redeem your voucher at any Post Office branch before it expires

More information about your voucher can be found online at <u>www.stockport.gov.uk/fsv</u>

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Tips

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# 10 Top Tips for Helping Children

er the summer our children will/of course, have significantly more spare time now they are out of school. For many young sters, it may be that a considerable amount of this extra freedom is spent online, using social media apps, video games, streaming services and other digital tech to have (un. For that reason, it's even more important for trusted adults to focus on online safety during the summer break — ensuring that our children are not only aware of the most common threats but also know what to do if they encounter something in the digital world that upsets or disturbs them. Over the summer our childre

#### 1 ENGAGE WITH

## 2 FOSTER CRITICAL THINKING

## 3 BE A DIGITAL ROLE MODEL

#### 4 EMPHASISE THE SAFE ENVIRONMENT

## Meet Our Expert

## 5 FIND A BALANCE

#### 6 STAY AWARE

# 10 REMEMBER TO HAVE FUN

### 9 KEEP DEVICES UPDATED

#### 8 TEACH BASIC SECURITY

## TAKE (PARENTAL) CONTROL

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