

Friday 7th May 2021

Weekly Newsletter



Dear Parents,

Marvellous Me and Essential Information

We are continuing to use Marvellous Me (and Tapestry for EYFS) as the main way of communicating essential messages to you as parents. The way we use it includes:

- Celebrating your children's achievements by awarding badges and certificates
- Letting you quickly know any crucial news (especially out of hours)
- Setting homework and learning tasks
- Sending messages from the class teacher to you as parents on learning and curriculum

If you have deleted the APP or no longer know how to log into it, please contact your child's class teacher or Mr Butters who will be able to help you. We can see immediately which parents have viewed any messages sent, so it provides an effective way of us knowing if you have received key messages. The Marvellous Me APP is a great platform that we will continue to subscribe to long into the future.

Hub start time changes

From Monday we would like the Hub children to begin school at 9:00am – they need to line up in their usual place.

Year 5 Entrance changes

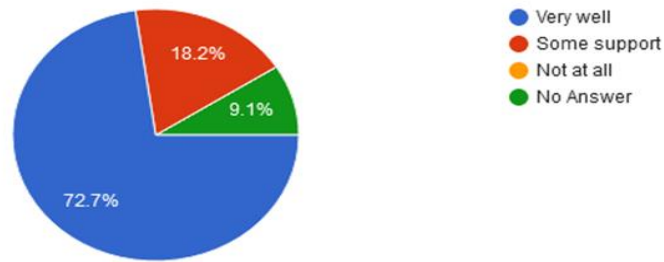
To ease congestion around the front entrance in a morning from Monday onwards we would like Year 5 children to come onto the main playground and line up for a 9:10 am start. They will leave at the end of the day in the same way as they do currently via the main door (Amazon) and Wheeler street door (Volga)

Parent Survey

A massive thankyou to those parents that completed our recent survey. Your views really do matter and we use all the feedback you give us to help us plan the next actions for improvement. You overwhelmingly gave us positive feedback on the support you and your children received during lockdown and that means a great deal to the team .

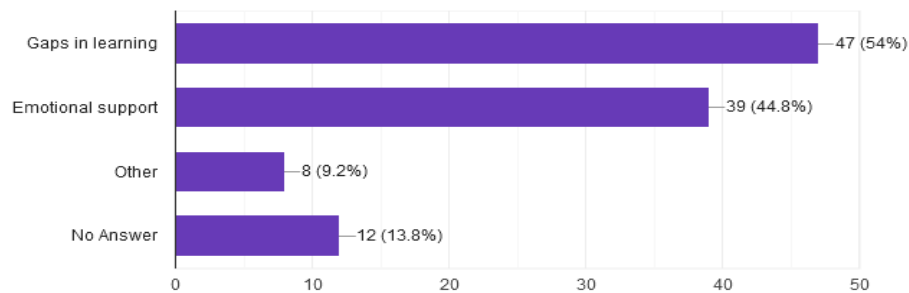
How well did you feel your child was supported with their remote learning?

88 responses



What is the biggest priority you feel your child needs now they have returned to school?

87 responses



We are currently working hard as a school to support your children by:

- Adapting the curriculum so that we are focusing this term on the biggest gaps in learning
- Using assessments to pinpoint where children need the most help
- Clear interventions for children who need it most across the school
- Extra support for children's emotional well being and additional PSHE lessons
- Extra support for reading across the school and more time dedicated to reading in the daily timetable
- Investment in new reading books, technology and outdoor learning in EYFS
- Catch up tuition after school for Year 5
- The development of a specialist 'in school' nest for our youngest children who need a small nurture provision.
- Investment in outdoor play equipment to support every year group to play again at breaktimes
- Investment in enhancements to school life such as gardening, Hull FC, scooter training and swimming

Hair styles

A gentle reminder that children should not come to school with brightly dyed hair or extreme haircuts. Thank you for your continued support in ensuring children come ready for learning.

POP and Shop Every Thursday at 3pm

We have lots of lovely items available weekly from our 'Pop and Shop. Any 5 items a £1 and a warm welcome guaranteed. We also have a confidential food bank service with help from Reverend Jonathan should you ever need support. Just ask for Mrs Wardell or Mrs Gray at the main office if you ever feel you need help during these financially difficult times.

Breakfast and After School Club

Just a reminder that ALL places must be pre booked for both breakfast and after school club. Unfortunately, if your child has not been booked in then they will not be able to attend. This is due to the Risk Assessment and our ability to maintain bubbles and keep everyone safe.

Key Dates -SUMMER TERM

Close for Whitsun Holiday	for 27th	Re Open to children	9th	Close for the Summer Holiday
Thursday		Weds		Friday 23 rd July
May		June		

COVID Update

We have not had to close any further bubbles this week so thank you for your vigilance and co-operation. If your child has had to isolate then they must not be on the school site at anytime. This is to protect everyone and prevent any potential transmission. We are really heartened to know that infection rates are continuing to fall across the city but must all continue to work together. If your child presents with any illness please help us by informing the school on their first day of absence of the nature of their symptom so we can offer you the best advice.

What do I do if someone in my household has symptoms of COVID 19 ?

As always – any person with Covid 19 symptoms will need to isolate and seek a test. Please keep your child at home if they are unwell and have one of the following symptoms and seek advice by contacting NHS on 119.

- Loss / change to sense of taste or smell
- New or continuous cough
- High temperature

You can always contact out of hours by emailing either myself or Mrs Scowen with any COVID-19 related issues:

Claire.Mudd@hcat.org.uk

Paula.Scowen@hcat.org.uk

Menu for next week (vegetarian hot options available daily)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Pizza served with potato wedges and seasonal vegetables.	All day breakfast: Sausage, bacon, omelette, hash brown, beans & toast.	Chicken curry served with rice, naan bread and seasonal vegetables.	Roast dinner served with mashed/roasted potatoes, stuffing and seasonal vegetables.	Battered fish served with curly fries, peas and bread and butter.
Jacket potato with beans.	Tuna sandwich.	Jacket potato with tuna mayonnaise.	Cheese sandwich.	Jacket potato with beans.
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Shout Outs

- The children in Green Base for being such amazing custodians of the caterpillars that are now beautiful butterflies!
- The children and team in Humber for being so resilient during their bubble closure and a special mention to Miss Creighton and Mrs Graham
- Year 1 Seine – 100% regular readers this week and last
- Volga for their fantastic remote learning and a special mention for Miss Van Der End for being absolute star in supporting Mr Kemp!