



Khalsa VA Primary School

NEWSLETTER

1st February 2021

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COVID-19

We are currently in a National Lockdown. Make sure that you are following all of the rules.
<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/national-lockdown-stay-at-home>

**COVID 19 rates are very high in Southall.
It is absolutely vital that everyone follows the rules and not putting others at risk.**

COVID 19 - National Lockdown

Please follow government rules to keep yourself and others safe. The number of people testing positive in Ealing is still very high. It is really important that you stay at home and only go out if it is essential. Wearing a mask when you go outside is important. Remember to wash your hands regularly and also remind your children and maintain social distance.

In-school Provision for Children of Critical Workers and Vulnerable Children

Please remember that you **must not** send your child to school if anyone in the household has any symptoms of COVID-19. If you send your child into critical worker provision when someone in your household has symptoms, you are contributing to the spread of the virus and putting other families at risk.

Free School Meals

For those children who are eligible for Free School Meals, you should by now have received your vouchers by email. If you have any queries about the voucher scheme, or have not received yours and you know your child is entitled to Free School Meals, please contact the school office.

If you think that you might be eligible for Free School Meals, please apply directly through the Local Authority, who will then inform the school of your entitlement.

Parents' Meetings

Thank you to all parents who attended these meetings last week. It was great to see so many parents in attendance so that the teachers could share important information about remote learning.

Vocabulary Research Study

Miss Harrid is conducting a research study focussing on vocabulary acquisition. The aim is enrich pupils' vocabulary and to support their understanding and use of specific words in different contexts. All pupils will be involved in this study from Year 1 to Year 6. Miss Harrid will be closely working with a small group of pupils to evaluate the impact that this research has made. All data analysed will be anonymous. If you do not wish for your child to participate in this study, please inform the school office by Friday 5th February.

Communication with School

During this unprecedented time, it is vital that parents feel that they can communicate with us if they need any help or support. If you need to ask your child's teacher a question about the learning or classroom routine, you can send a private message via Google Classroom. For other queries, such as reporting a pupil absence or requesting technical support, please call or email the school office.

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Do small things with great love

Remember to thank God for keeping you safe.