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News

Dear Parents/Carers,

Firstly, we would like to pass on our sincere thanks to everyone who has been involved in supporting the children with their home learning. We have been hugely impressed with the efforts you have gone to and have loved seeing the work the children have produced. We hope you were able to have an enjoyable and relaxing half term and feel ready to embrace the new half term. We are very much looking forward to welcoming all children back into school on Monday 8th March. We will spend the first few weeks re-establishing friendships, school routines and expectations while focusing on assessing key areas of the curriculum.

Important Dates

Thursday 4th March - World book day. This will be celebrated virtually during our class assemblies. Please see separate letter.

Wed 10th & Thurs 11th March - Parent Consultations Postponed until 21st / 22nd April

Mon 15th—Fri 19th March—Science Week information to follow

Mon 29th March—Fri 9th April—Easter Holidays
Mon 12th April—Inset Day

Please take a look at our new website:

www.camptonacademy.org.uk

and follow us on Twitter:
[@CamptonAcademy](https://twitter.com/CamptonAcademy)

March 8th Reopening

Following the government's announcement on Monday 22nd February we are delighted to confirm we will be **open to all children from Monday 8th March.**

We kindly ask all parents to remember the following:

- Your child does not attend school if they, or anyone in your household, develops symptoms of Covid-19.
- You organise for anyone displaying symptoms to be tested, as soon as possible, and ensure the whole household self-isolates until a result is received.
- You engage with any request from the NHS track and trace service to self-isolate.
- Only one parent drops off and picks up.
- Social distance is maintained when queuing outside school.
- Face coverings are worn when close to the school grounds.
- Your child only uses the bus if absolutely necessary.

Reception will enter (from 8:45) and exit (between 3:10 and 3:20) via the drive. All other years will use the main gate to front playground. Drop off for Years 1-4 is from 8:40 and collection between 3:10 and 3:20.

Values - *Our value this term is*

Friendship

*Please feel free to share with us any examples of your child showing friendship using your child's seesaw account or .
sfraher@bestacademies.org.uk*

Remote Learning Reminder

It would be lovely if you could share, via seesaw, one thing your child has achieved each day but please do not feel you have to complete every task/activity that is set. Focus on keeping key skills going— Reading, Writing and Maths but above all else do what keeps everyone safe and happy. If you need any support or advice please do not hesitate to get in touch. If we can help, we will.



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Reminders

After-school pick-up arrangements

Please telephone the School Office on 01462 813359 if going home arrangements for your child are different from normal arrangements that the class teachers are used to. Your **password will be required** for telephone requests.

Please do not email the School Office, as any failure in our Internet service will mean the messages will not get read.

Names

Please name all your child's clothing. Please refer to www.name-labels.com if you wish to purchase children's name labels. The school reference number is 3511.

School Lunch money (Years 3 & 4)

Please ensure that lunch money is paid in advance. This can be done by sending the money to school on a Monday in a named envelope or paying via your Parentmail account. If you have any queries regarding school lunches and/or payments, please contact Mrs Wheatley in the School Office.

Coats

Please ensure your child always has a coat/rain jacket with them every day in school. As you know, our weather is extremely changeable and we don't want children to feel cold when they are in the playground.

Water Bottles

Please ensure your child has a named water bottle in school every day, **it should only contain water.**

Milk

Every child who is under the age of 5 is entitled to free milk in school. Once your child has turned 5, you have the option of paying for them to have milk in school. This is a direct arrangement with a company called Cool Milk.

If you would like to arrange this, please collect a registration form from the school office or register on www.coolmilk.com

Snacks

Can we remind all parents that if you are packing your child a snack that this should only be fresh or dried fruit

After-school Sports Clubs

SSG clubs will recommence after the Easter break. Please note there are no sessions on the following weeks:

Week commencing **Monday 12th April 2021**

Week commencing **Monday 3rd May 2021**

Tuition will also restart after the Easter break.

Social Distancing:

In order to minimise congestion and maintain social distancing, please make sure that only one member from your household is present at the start / end of the school day to drop off / collect your child(ren). We would also recommend wearing a face covering if possible.

Parking:

Please park considerably, on school side of Rectory Road.

Parent Consultations

Teachers are looking forward to discussing how children have transitioned back into school and outlining any targets your child will be focusing on during the summer term.

Wednesday 21st April - 4.00 - 5:45pm

Thursday 22nd April - 4.00- 5:45pm

These will follow the same format as in the Autumn Term with class teachers making contact by phone. A parent mail form will be sent the week before for you to indicate your preferred date and time.

Please remember you can ask questions or raise concerns about your child's attainment and progress at anytime. Either contact the office to arrange an appointment to speak your child's class teacher or contact them directly using Seesaw.

Safeguarding

If you have not already done so, please provide the School Office with a password. This will be requested every time you contact the School Office to make changes to your child's going home arrangements. In the interests of safety please keep your password confidential.

Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Mrs Sarah Fraher, Principal
SFraher@bestacademies.org.uk

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Mrs Carolyn Allen, Pastoral Lead
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