



16/11/20

Dear Parents/Carers,

End of the day pick-ups:

It has been brought to my attention that some parents are finding it difficult to pick up their children from Meon Infant School and walk round in time to be on the playground for 3:05pm. We will now be opening the Crofton gate at the earlier time of 3:05pm to allow those parents coming from the infant school to access site quickly without having to walk round. If any year 3 or 4 parents know they will not be able to arrive at the Shelford gate before 3:05pm please can they also use the Crofton Road entrance.

Any parent that has approached us with a challenge they face around pick up and drop off we have been able to find a solution for. Please do speak to us if you are facing any issues and we will be happy to help.

Teams for Remote Learning:

Thank you to all those families who have completed the parental consent for remote live lessons. Completing this is important to help us prepare in the event that pupils in our school will need to move to remote learning. If you have not completed this, please follow this link:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=s23q1ha_kkmgEHn2jjmNvJX8GCY2FiVCukrRF5ct_CdUNzNGRFIVRFBQTDNXVkc3SVBUVE9UQ1BDRS4u

Accelerated Reader:

As you know, we use the program Accelerated Reader to monitor our pupils' reading progress. As well as completing quizzes after each book they read, your child completes a STAR reader test at the start of every half term. This is a standardized reading test, which gives information about your child's reading age and how he/she is doing, compared nationally with other children of the same age. This week your child's class teacher will share this information with you, so you are able to view your child's results. If you have any questions about this or would like additional information, please contact your child's teacher on the year group emails.

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year4@meonjuniorschool.org.uk

year5@meonjuniorschool.org.uk

year6@meonjuniorschool.org.uk

School Library:

Unfortunately, our library remains closed to parents and children after school at present. In school, we have systems in place for pupils to return and borrow books safely and allow for these to be quarantined or cleaned in between. Each class has a dedicated day to change books so we avoid year groups mixing.

Year 3: Monday and Friday

Year 4: Wednesday

Year 5 :Thursday

Year 6: Tuesday

Remote Learning Books:

As we continue to prepare for the possibility of needing to use remote learning, your child will be receiving a Remote Learning exercise book. The book will contain all their logins and passwords for all our different programs and platforms, as well as information on how to access 'Teams' for live learning. I have spoken to parents who have said there is a lot of information and logins that are sent home for many different programs, so we have decided to give this to you altogether in one book. This book can also be used if you child prefers to work on paper when remote learning and photographed and shared with their teacher.

Parent Survey:

Thank you to all those parents who responded to the parent survey last month. A separate communication will be coming out to share your responses and our actions to address. Parent feedback is really important to us and we will also strive to act on it and make improvements.

Warm Regards



Mrs Sara Paine

Head teacher