

# NEWSLETTER

11th September 2020



## Diary Dates

**WE ARE NUT  
AWARE  
SAY NO TO NUTS!**



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### Dear Parents and Carers

Our first full week back and everyone is looking a little tired. We will build our stamina over the next few weeks though and be back to normal before we know it. I want to say a huge thank you to everyone for ensuring the re-opening has gone well. Drop-off and pick up are working well and we are getting into a better routine with lunches. We are missing assemblies where we can all gather together but next week I will be going in to deliver an assembly to each class which I will aim to do each week until it is safe for us all to be together again  
*Miss Doonan*

### Hand sanitiser and tissues

Children are welcome to bring in their own sanitiser, in fact we would encourage it for the older children as it would make moving from the classroom to playground and vice versa quicker. Can we ask if families could donate a box of tissues to their class, we are going through them quickly and it would be a real help.

### Healthy Food policy

Please find attached to today's email our healthy school policy as a reminder and information for new parents. Please can we ask that children only bring fruit for morning snack and that lunch boxes do not contain the items listed in the policy. We are trying to help our children learn that some food items should only be seen as treats as part of a healthy lifestyle. Thank you

### Medical Advice

Can parents please be mindful that our office staff are **NOT trained medical professionals**, they only hold First Aid Certificates and so cannot give advice around COVID. If you have concerns that your child has COVID symptoms please call 119 for advice. For other medical concerns please contact your GP or call 111.



### Music Lessons—Stage Talent

Mrs Cingo, our music teacher, runs a company offering private music tuition in a number of instruments. Enrolment for Piano, Guitar, Base Guitar, Recorder and Flute is now open. If you wish to register your interest please go directly to their website:  
[www.stagetalent.co.uk](http://www.stagetalent.co.uk)



### Lost Property

Please note, due to issue with cross contamination we do not currently have a lost property box. Please encourage your children to take care of the belongings and make sure that everything is clearly labelled with their name.

### Starting Primary School September 2021 Children born between 1/09/2016- 31/08/2017

The application process has begun, to apply for a place in Primary School next year. Please visit [www.hillingdon.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/schooladmissions)  
**Please remember that you must also collect application forms from the school office.**

### Starting Secondary School Sept 2021 Children born between 01/09/2009— 31/10/2010

The application process has begun, to apply for a place in Primary School next year. Please visit [www.hillingdon.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/schooladmissions)

### Douay Martyrs Catholic School

Application forms (SIF) and Certificate of Catholic Practice are available of their website:[www.douaymartyrs.co.uk](http://www.douaymartyrs.co.uk)

### Herschel Grammar School

Herschel are holding a Virtual Opening Evening on Monday 14th September between 6:00-7:00pm please visit their website to Register [www.herschel.slough.sch.uk](http://www.herschel.slough.sch.uk)



### Friends of St Catherine School (FSCS)

Bag2 we are hoping before half-term but please watch out for confirmation of date. There will be no bags issues this year, please use black bags or any of your own bags. We will be collecting from church car park in order not to impact the school systems in the playground.