



Jubilee L.E.A.D. Academy
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Dear Parents & Carers

School visit

Diana Owen, the Chief Executive Officer for the 13 schools within L.E.A.D, visited our school for her termly visit on Thursday. The aim of this visit is to ensure that we are making the right improvements to remove our school from special measures in our next Ofsted inspection. I am delighted to say that she was overwhelmed with the improvements that we have made at school since her last visit in the summer. This of course, is no surprise to me as each and every member of staff at school has been working extremely hard since returning in September to ensure that your children receive the best possible education that they can. She was delighted with the quality of work in books which reflects your child's efforts and also the adults in the class. She was also most impressed by the appearance of school describing the classes as being vibrant and encouraging good learning – indeed the children's work on display is of the highest quality. More importantly, Diana commented on how well parents are engaging with school and how positive that relationship is – something that gives me great pride. Along with our staff and children, you as parents need to have huge pat on the back for the role that you have played this term in making our school even better. I am very proud to be the head teacher of Jubilee L.E.A.D Academy and I promise that we will make the improvements required to really put our school on the map as one of the best schools in Nottingham. Together we can do it!

PARENT GOVERNOR NOMINATIONS – We hope you all received the flyer about Parent Governor Vacancies on our Governing Body. If would like to receive more information please call into the school office or email admin@jubilee.nottingham.sch.uk and we can send you an application pack. This will be a really rewarding role for two of our parents or carers – we would love to hear from you!! Please ask Mr. Tague if you see him around school! **Closing date for nominations is Wednesday 5th October at 3.00 pm.**

Breakfast Club -As previously advised, at the moment breakfast club is free. However, after October half term, we are going to start charging for places. After having feedback regarding the cost, we are proposing a charge of 50p a day per child. This is exceptional value for money as the club is run by dedicated staff and school has to buy the breakfast.

After School Clubs – there are some great clubs starting (or have already started). Just a reminder that we do text out to let parents or carers know if their child has a place or not – please do not assume there is a place at the club unless it is confirmed with you. Do we have your up to date contact details? Please let the school office know if there are any changes to mobile numbers in particular.

Reminders

PE Kit – Another reminder that children need their PE Kit in school all week. As with all clothes, please remember to put your child's name all items!

- Black Shorts
- White/Red T-shirt
- Plimsolls/Trainers



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Uniform – Reminder that all children need to adhere to our uniform policy. Can you check your child’s uniform and if it has another child’s name in please return to school as we have had reports of children losing/misplacing their sweatshirts? Please also clearly mark/label all uniform, coats etc with your child’s name so that we can reunite the lost items with their owners. If there are any other items of uniform you would like us to see if we can source to sell from school – please let us know! Would you be interested in being able to buy a complete PE Kit with a bag? Let us know!

Remember, sweatshirts and sweatshirt cardigans are always available from the school office. Cash or cheques payable to Jubilee LEAD Academy accepted. 😊

Book Bags – We have some new book bags coming into school in the next week or so which are gusseted and have a longer strap – this is something some parents have asked for. These will be on sale for £4.50 from the school office.

Mobile Phones – Just another reminder that school is not responsible for mobile phones brought in with children onto the school premises. If it is deemed by parent or carer that a child has to have a phone with them, the school office is happy to look after them during the school day. However, we accept no liability for lost, stolen or damaged phones as it is against school policy to have them at school.

DATES FOR THE DIARY :		
Wednesday 5 th October		3.00 p.m. – closing date for nominations for Parent Governor.
Friday 7 th October	Whole School	Wear it Pink. Non uniform day – Wear PINK! Flyer sent home earlier in the week.
Monday 10 th October	Year 6	Tudor Day
Thursday 13 th October	Whole School	3.00 p.m. – School closes for October half term holiday
Friday 14 th October	Whole School	School Closed – INSET DAY
Monday 31 st October	Whole School	9.00 a.m. School re-opens for Autumn 2 Term
Tuesday 8 th November		Parents Evening. Details to follow
Wednesday 9 th November		Parents Evening. Details to follow
Friday 18 th November	Whole School	Children in Need – Get Yours Spots On! Details to follow
Wednesday 23 rd November	Years 1, 2 & 3	George’s Marvellous Medicine Birmingham Theatre
Thursday 24 th November	Years 4, 5 & 6	George’s Marvellous Medicine Birmingham Theatre
Tuesday 20 th December	Whole School	3.00 p.m. – School closes for Christmas & New Year break

Yours sincerely

Mr S Tague
HEADTEACHER