



PRESTON HEDGE'S PRIMARY SCHOOL
PRINCIPAL'S NEWSLETTER

Friday 4th September

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WELCOME BACK!



We were so excited to see all of our children coming back into school yesterday, and were so impressed how well they have returned! As a staff team, we would like to say thank you to our families for all you have done over this difficult time. Your children have come into school excited and eager, and ready for all the experiences that school has to offer.

It felt very much like any normal September start, and we are confident that our children should be able to quickly get back into the swing of it all.

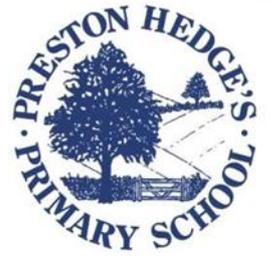
It has been so lovely to see the children with huge smiles on their faces! Long may it continue!

PE



Thank you for bearing with us whilst we look at the safest way to provide PE sessions to your children.

From next week, all PE session will be outside (weather permitting).



Having looked at various ways that we can get children changed for PE, we feel that the safest way to avoid any possible risk is for the children to **come to school dressed in their PE kit** on their PE day, rather than their uniform.

Please see the table below for your child's PE day:

Year group	PE Day
1	Friday
2	Wednesday
3	Friday
4	Wednesday
5	Friday
6	Tuesday

As it will be outdoors, please feel free to send your children in with their winter PE kit of tracksuit bottoms and fleece/jumper as they will be in it all day. We will be sending all PE bags home today.

Apologies again for taking our time with this, but we did want to get it right for our children.

We will make every attempt to ensure that your child has their PE lesson, but as it is outside, they may need to miss their session if it is bad weather. We will however, ensure that we are putting as many other active elements into the school day as possible to keep our children fit and healthy!

READING BUS



Unfortunately, due to the restrictions at this time, we are having to keep our lovely Reading Bus closed to children and parents.

However, we do plan to provide a 'mobile library service' to the children. Our fabulous librarian, Mrs Jan, will be spending the next week or two organising a wide range of



books for each year group bubble, and once this is all in place, she will then take them around weekly on a library trolley to each class for them to change their books.

WELLBEING CLUB



Just a reminder that our Wellbeing Club will start back up next week. Each year group bubble will have access to the Wellbeing lunchtime club, so if you feel your child is in need of this, please do get in touch.

Mrs Kendall, our Pastoral Leader, will also be working with any children who may need a little bit of support in some afternoon sessions.

HOLA, PRESTON HEDGE'S!

Isobel Reverter-Dominguez from Kidslingo will be starting our Spanish sessions from Monday 14th September.

Across the year, all year groups will have a term of weekly Spanish lessons, with our Y1 and Y2 children starting theirs this term. How exciting!

...AND FINALLY...

Thank you so much for helping us over these two days by ensuring you are arriving and leaving in a socially distanced manner.

If you could continue to keep as close as possible to your child's agreed starting time, we can keep that lovely flow of traffic happening.

Have a wonderful weekend!



Just a few images of our fabulous children back at school!

