

Knaphill Federation of Schools

Knaphill Lower School and Knaphill School

"Together we are Better"

Weekly Focus

Friday 26th November 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We can't believe that another week has flown by and that December will soon be upon us! It has been lovely to see the children working so hard this week in lessons and to see them dressing so smartly. Thank you for your help in supporting your children to feel a sense of pride in their school uniform and for helping them to have such smart school uniform. We have attached the updated uniform document that we shared last week for your reference.

The children at the Lower School, have enjoyed having a visit from the Life Bus this week. Each class have had a lesson with Mark from the Life Bus, which focused on managing feelings and how to eat healthily. The children really enjoyed these interactive lessons. We are looking forward to seeing Year 6's political party campaigns on Monday— this is such an important opportunity for children to develop their confidence, which is one of our curriculum drivers.

Covid-19 Update— with the rising case numbers in the local area, Surrey County Council advise that all adults within school settings wear face coverings in shared indoor spaces. This means, if you visit The Office or come onto site, you will need to wear a face covering, unless medically exempt.

Best wishes,
The Senior Leadership Team



Weekly focus: uniform

Following our update about uniform last week, we have also reviewed our guidance for hair styles, please can we ask that:

*Hairbands are plain in style.

*Hairstyles do not include tramlines.

*Shoulder length hair is tied back at all times.

Drop off & Pick Up Times

Please remember **drop off** times are:

Nursery—8.45—9am

Reception, Year One and Two—8.45—8.55am

Years Three, Four, Five & Six—8.30—8.40am

Pick up times are:

Nursery—2.45—3pm

Reception, Year One and Two—3pm

Years Three, Four, (3.05pm) Five & Six (3.10pm)

Families Magazine

The Nov/Dec issue is all about Christmas - they list where to see Santa, Christmas fairs, workshops, pantos, days out, Christmas light switch ons and lots more! Check on the magazine at:

<https://bit.ly/FamiliesMagNovDec2021>

Warmer Clothing

In order to keep the air in the classrooms well ventilated we are keeping doors and windows open.

Please ensure your child is wearing enough layers to keep them comfortably warm throughout the day.

A message from the PTA

At the PTA we run a second hand uniform shop as a way to raise money for the PTA and also to provide families with access to affordable second hand uniform.

We have a good stock of most uniform and requests can be made to us at any time by emailing uniform@knaphillschoolspta.org.uk with:

- what uniform you require and the size
- your name and a contact phone number

One of the team will then get back to you with the availability of the uniform and payment information. We can also answer questions regarding any uniform you have to donate.