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## Dear Childs Hill,



Hello everyone, I hope that you are enjoying the start to the new school year as much as we are. Our children are doing brilliantly, classrooms are busy and the school diary is filling up with events. It really does feel like we have turned a corner and that things are getting back to normal.

We have been overwhelmed by the positive messages and offers of support we have been receiving. As we continue to open up we will welcome families back into school and, as always, we are grateful for your help. Our first big community event this year when we can all come together is our **INTERNATIONAL EVENING (Oct 14th)** look out for more details very soon. Food, music and fun!

Something else we really need some help with is our children's **READING** progress. It is clear that reading levels have slipped back during the last couple of years. The lockdowns and many other pressures will have of course had an impact. However reading is and always will be the most important learning outcome for primary school children. So, please make sure you read with your children...and practice their phonics sounds and spellings too! Any questions? Please ask, we are here to help!  
***I look forward to seeing you all in the weeks ahead,***  
**Dan**

## World Mental Health Awareness Day

In support of World Mental Health day all children can come in wearing non-school uniform on **Friday 8th October**.

It would be great if children can come in wearing yellow and bring in £1 in support of this great cause! **#helloyellow**

## The Walk of Little Amal

We are proudly supporting the amazing people who have walked across Europe with the 7 ft tall puppet of a refugee girl called Amal. Please take a look and learn more....



[www.walkwithamal.org](http://www.walkwithamal.org)

## Breakfast Club and After School Activities!

Clubs will be run by an external provider called SPACE. To view more information regarding SPACE and to book in please visit

<https://www.spaceafterschoolclubs.co.uk/news-update>

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If you have any queries please email  
[info@spaceafterschoolclubs.co.uk](mailto:info@spaceafterschoolclubs.co.uk)



## Harvest Festival



Thank you to everyone who donated to the Childs Hill Food bank. This is an amazing opportunity for us as a school to give back to the community during these times.



## **MAPAC - Uniform**



MAPAC are now ready to resume their "free term time delivery". Parents choosing this service will be given a delivery date of 'on/around 22nd October' but if orders are ready before they will send them earlier. If you are still waiting on your uniform order, we hope that all uniforms will be delivered by end of October. When they arrive we will send you a text to notify you.

**Thank you for your patience.**





## Applying for a School

### Reception

If you have a child born between 1st September 2017 and 31st August 2018, you will need to apply online for a primary school place to start next September by 15th January 2022.

Current Nursery Parents who have a child that will be 4 by 31st August 2021 will be given an information leaflet with details by the school office.

[www.eadmissions.org.uk](http://www.eadmissions.org.uk)



## School Places Available



Do you have a family or friend who is looking for a school place?

If yes, we will be holding a parent tour on

**Tuesday 19th October @ 10am**

If they would like to view our school before applying now is their chance!

To book yourself in please email

[office@childshillprimary.org](mailto:office@childshillprimary.org)



## Mike Freer Christmas Card



### Competition

Mike our MP is running a competition for primary school children in Finchley and Golders Green to design a christmas card for him.

The successful design will be used by professional printing company to produce the card. Please send in your cards to your class teachers and make sure to write your child name ,age and class.

**The last date to send entry is Thursday 21st October**



## Individual Photo Day



Churchbury will be coming in on

**Thursday 7th October** to take individual

photos of the children. Please ensure all children are in their full school uniform on this day.

**\*Please note: Year 3 class have PE on this day.**

**Please come in wearing your PE kit for the morning and bring your uniform to change into afterwards.**

**Reception - Please come in FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM on this day.**

REMINDER

## Important Message for Year

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### 6 Parents

It is time to apply for your child's Secondary school places. The deadline to apply is **Sunday 31st October 2021**. Apply online at [eadmissions.org.uk](http://eadmissions.org.uk)

If you miss this deadline it is likely that you will not be allocated any of your preferred schools. If you require any assistance with applying please call the school office on 020 8452 453.

**National offer day will be on Tuesday 1st March 2022**

**\*Please check individual school websites for the latest information.**



## Collection at Home time



If your child is being collected at home time by another adult that the class teacher may not be aware of, please notify the office beforehand so they can pass the message on.

If your child is frequently being collected by someone else, please email [office@childshillprimary.org](mailto:office@childshillprimary.org) to notify us

**\*Pupils collected by someone who the teacher is unaware of will not be released with that person, until office staff get clarification of who is allowed to collect from the parent/carer.**



## Dates for your Diary



Tuesday 5th October - Y6 London Zoo Trip

Tuesday 5th October-Year 2 Trip to Childs Hill Park

Thursday 7th October - Individual Photo Day

Thursday 14th October - Black History Day

Thursday 14th October - International Evening



ParentPay

## Parentpay

Please can parent/carers take time out during the weekend to clear any outstanding meal or trip balance.

Thank you



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