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...Learning for Life

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Important Dates

Tuesday 29th January

Friday 15th February

Parent Board Meeting

Sports Day



Welcome back for what promises to be a successful and fun filled 2019 at NISL.

We have had a busy and productive four days and students seem refreshed and eager to learn.

To those families returning next week due to authorised leave; we do wish you a warm welcome back too.

After School Activities (ASAs)/Daycare

These commence next week and are very much being talked about by the students who seem excited by additional choices. Those of you who are interested in swimming will have been informed of some changes. Both (younger and older) swimming classes will now take place on Saturdays; no more Monday swimming this Term.

Please ensure that children are picked up promptly after all ASAs/Daycare.

There are no Saturday Activities tomorrow. These commence on Saturday 19th January.

Head Lice Check

This is a routine check that we arrange for after each main school holiday with a group of volunteer mums. The check will take place on Monday 21st January.

Staff Update



We are happy to introduce Mrs. Gloria who will be supporting the children in Maximax whilst Mrs. Zainab is off on Maternity Leave.

“Hello everyone. My name is Mrs. Gloria Ibekwe and I have 4 children. My favourite colour is blue. I have been a Teaching Assistant for 13 years and think that teaching children is the greatest gift from God.”

Staff Training

In line with our motto “Learning for Life” we are targeting teacher training this year to stay up to date with changing initiatives and new educational concepts. This week Monday we spent time with two external consultants on; critical thinking/higher order learning and creativity in the EYFS/progression. Interesting, exciting and worthwhile indeed for US and hopefully for the direct benefit of all students too.

Sun Hats

Please be reminded that as our days get hotter and longer; we must encourage our children to wear sun hats for their own safety and skin protection.

School Council – Fun Friday

On Friday 18th January; SC will be selling Picnic Packs after school. Staff, Parents and of course CHILDREN can pre-order these (this will help us to plan how many to make). Some families may even want to order a couple spare for siblings or friends!

Once you purchase your Picnic Pack;

you can take it home or join others on the grass/mats to enjoy a healthy bite in the sunshine.

Order forms and more details will be sent home on Monday next week.

After School Play

- Monday to Thursday; Minimax, Maximax and Pre-Reception children should not play on the main Jungle Gym after having been collected. The traffic circuit is also in use at 12-12.30pm Monday to Thursday. Older children are playing and may innocently hurt the younger ones. Once collected; our younger children MUST head home please.
- Feel free to let children of these younger age groups play on the Jungle Gym/Traffic Circuit areas on Friday after pick-up if supervised by yourselves or your designated pick up adult.
- Most families with older children at the 2.30pm pick up time understandably head home to avoid traffic but in the rare occasion of staying on to play; please be reminded NO PLAY EQUIPMENT/FOOTBALLS can be used and parental supervision is a must.
- The traffic circuit is an out of bounds play area for any age group after school hours as more adult eyes are on the main playground/at the Parent waiting area.

THESE RULES ARE BEING REITERATED FOR THE SAFEGUARDING OF ALL CHILDREN AND WITH GOOD INTENT. THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNDERSTANDING

Kind regards from The Team