



Friday 19th June 2020

Tutoring

Hopefully all children in receipt of Pupil Premium will be provided with a tutor at some point over the next few months. Further details will follow and we shall be contacting parents of eligible children when we know more.

Free School Meals Provision

All disadvantaged children who are entitled to Free School Meal vouchers, as you no doubt will have heard, will receive support throughout the summer holidays. Again as soon as we are made aware of the details we will contact you to arrange provision.

Transition

For those Year 6 pupils who will be attending Ludlow School in September, we have arranged a transition meeting with Mrs Hughes, the assistant head, on Wednesday 1st July in the afternoon.

We hope to invite all Year 6 children in for one day towards the end of the term, for them to celebrate their time at St. Laurence's, say goodbye and have a bit fun. As you can imagine all of this depends on the circumstances; as soon as we can arrange something we will let you know.

Thank you to Year 6 parents, due to your prompt responses the leavers hoodies have all been ordered.

Reception

For all of our new children coming into Reception next term, we shall be contacting all of you and distributing induction packs. We have also created a virtual tour of the Reception class – which explains to the children what to do when they arrive and will be published very soon on the website.

If you have got any queries please do not hesitate to contact school and we will be happy to help.

Lastly, I would like to share something that happened this week that made us all smile: yesterday afternoon after all the children and staff had left, one of our cleaners knocked on my door and told me that there was something she needed to show me in the boys toilets. Well, I was dreading the worst but I was delighted to find a beautifully written, witty thank note from one of the year 6 children. In fact there were notes in all of the washrooms.

It made our day. All of the school staff are working hard but for the children to appreciate the important contribution of our cleaning staff in keeping us all safe was touching. I am very proud (as always) of the children for their thoughtfulness.

The children, who have been in school this week, have had an enjoyable time, despite the weather. We do, of course wish that all of our children could be here and hopefully the day when this will be a reality, is not too far away. If you have any questions, concerns would just like to talk you are more that welcome to contact me.

Mr S Matthews