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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for your attendance at Parents Evening. It was great to speak to you all about your child's progress. Your child's annual school report will be given out mid-July.

School Street

We are pleased to announce that our school's application for School Street has been approved. The next stage is to meet with residents and parents to discuss logistics. We will let you know of any dates once confirmed. Of course, this initiative can only be run successfully if we have volunteers to help manage school drop offs and pick-ups.

Lateness

Can we remind you that your child will receive a late mark if they are not present for the register at 8:55am. We are having a few families presenting late after 9am and this has an impact on their education as they are missing valuable learning time. We will be asking families to come in to discuss this with us.

School Nurse

Please find attached below the Summer Primary School Newsletter from Trafford School Nurses.

St George's Day

Tomorrow any children who are in Beavers, Rainbows, Cubs, Brownies or Boys Brigade can come to school in their uniform.

Reminders

Friday 26th April – Own Clothes Day for children in Weir House only. (House Team Winners)

Friday 26th April – All children to come in their PE kit on Friday, however those in Weir House can participate in their own clothes.

Please ensure your child's sponsorship form is in at the latest on Thursday 25th April.



Yours sincerely

Mrs Atherton and Mr Smith

Trafford School Nurses Newsletter for Primary Schools

Issue 6 - April 2024



Hello and welcome to summer term!

Trafford School Health Team would like to welcome you to the sixth edition of our newsletter. The newsletter is issued each school term letting you know what our school nurse team will be doing each term and sharing some useful information. Find out more about our service on our [webpage](#).



What we're doing this term

Puberty

All our year 5s and Years 6s (dependent upon schools) will be offered a session around puberty. Parents will be informed by school when the session is due to take place.



Hearing tests

In line with our universal school nursing offer, all reception children who have not been opted out of the school nursing service by their parents/carers will receive a hearing test by the school health support worker. If any concerns are highlighted around your child's hearing, the team will contact you directly.



National Child Measurement Programme

Our school health support workers continue to deliver the NCMP programme for reception and year 6 pupils. For year 6 pupils the team deliver a healthy lifestyle lesson prior to the measurements.

Children have their height and weight measured individually in a private area and no data is disclosed to the child. Each parent will receive a letter advising them of their child's measurements.



If you opted out of the programme then your child will not be measured.

Public Health messages

Sleep

Sleep is an essential part of good health for primary school age pupils. If your child is struggling with sleep hygiene (getting good sleep), Trafford have a service called Trafford Sleep Services that can help. The service offers parental webinars to support parents with their child's sleep.



- Visit www.sleepandtherapyservices.co.uk

Rise in measles cases

Cases of measles within the Greater Manchester area are increasing. Measles is a very infectious disease – just a cough or sneeze can spread the virus to other people. It spreads easily and quickly among those who are not vaccinated, especially in nurseries and schools. Measles can also be very dangerous. Some people get very sick from measles and can develop pneumonia and meningitis. One in five people with measles will go to hospital.



That's why vaccination is so important. If your child has not received two doses of the MMR (measles, mumps and rubella) vaccine then please contact your GP practice.

- **MMR Information on the NHS website** - www.nhs.uk/vaccinations/mmr-vaccine/

Is your child eligible for free school meals?

During these challenging times we encourage you to check if your child is eligible for free school meals.

- **For more information, including how this is assessed and to complete the online form,** visit www.trafford.gov.uk/contact-us/Free-school-meals.aspx

School Nurse Contacts

- **North Trafford** (Stretford and Old Trafford) and West Trafford (Urmston, Flixton and Partington) School Nurse Teams – **0161 549 6290**
- **South Trafford** (Altrincham, Timperley and Hale) and Central Trafford (Sale and Sale Moor) School Nurse Teams – **0161 912 2340**



You can also find information on our services on our webpage:

- www.traffordlco.org/school-nursing