

Mount Hawke Academy

Head of School: Miss C Biddick

Friday 3rd July 2020

Dear Parents

As I am sure you are aware, the Department for Education guidance for the full reopening of schools in September 2020 was published yesterday and we are now busily working through every detail so we can formulate a safe, comprehensive and of course, fully compliant plan of action. We cannot wait to see ALL your smiling faces again and we will provide details for the start of the academic year just as soon as we can. Thank you as ever for your patience and support.



School Uniform for September

A message from Keywear, one of our uniform suppliers...I appreciate that we are still in uncertain times but should parents wish to visit the shop rather than ordering online they can now book an appointment via our Facebook page Keywear at a date and time suitable to them. All we ask is that they say Mount Hawke Academy when making the appointment - we then have a point of reference. Online ordering will be as normal - we are offering a free Home Delivery Service on Monday 17th Tuesday 18th and Wednesday 19th August should parents wish to use this service. Many thanks

Is your child moving into Year Three in September?

When your child moves into Year Three, they no longer receive a Universal Infant Free School Meal, so you will have to start paying if you order a school meal for them. See the information below about applying for Free School Meals if you are entitled.

Free School Meals

Many families are sadly reaching crisis point financially due to Covid-19. If your circumstances have changed you may be entitled to Free School Meals. The Government have now confirmed this scheme will run throughout the school summer holidays. Please follow the link and complete the online form: Free School Meal Application

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Kit Amnesty!

If you have any MHA sports kit at home, we would be very pleased if you would return it to school, washed and in a sealed plastic bag before the end of term. Simply drop it into our reception area where we will quarantine it before putting it away. Thank you.

Reports

We have started sending home each child's annual report. If your child is in Longships, Pendeen, Carne or Lamorna you should have had yours. Please don't worry if you haven't yet – the office will be sending them out electronically and you will receive one by Monday 20th July at the latest. These do look different this year. The Government have removed the requirements to report on attendance or achievements, so we have reformatted them to include information on what the class accomplished up until COVID 19 and then the more personal information about your child. Once you have received your child's report, you are welcome to contact your child's teacher via the office, to discuss it with them.

Reading Challenge



The Summer Reading Challenge has now been launched. It is being run online this year, so do register and get reading!

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Best wishes from everyone at Mount Hawke Academy

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