

FOREFIELD MATTERS

A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FOR THE FJS COMMUNITY

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Dear Parents/Carers and Children,

I can't quite believe that we have reached July – but as we reach the final few days of this academic year, unfortunately, we are still affected by new cases of the virus, isolation and testing. You will be aware that, locally, many schools have had to close classes – in some cases more than one. We are doing our best to keep pupils and staff safe, but each day we are responding to staff absence as best we can!

The three main recognized symptoms for COVID-19 are:

- A new continuous cough
- A high temperature (hot to touch or recording 37.8)
- A loss of, or change to, your sense of taste/smell (anosmia)

If your child, or anyone in your household are showing one or more of the three main symptoms, everybody who lives in the household must isolate and book a PCR test for as soon as possible. Lateral Flow Testing (home testing) should not be used for those showing symptoms. You must complete 10 days of isolation from when symptoms began if the test result comes back as positive.

Where pupils show symptoms during the school day we will contact you to come and collect them. School should be informed of any subsequent test results, as we may need to close the class. Please also let us know if the result is negative before your child returns to school.

If you need to report a case or a test result, please use schooloffice@forefieldjuniors.co.uk

Thank you.

Arts Week

Next week, we will be promoting 'The Arts' – music, drama, dance and art. Each class will be learning about a different artist and exploring many of the skills and techniques that they may have missed out on over the last few months. Hopefully, we will have a fantastic week!

Lunch Money!

From September, there will be an increase to the daily cost of school meals. Every lunch will have the new price of £2.40.

Remember: Please arrive and leave the school site promptly to avoid gatherings. Children should not be using the car park as a play area – there is a designated waiting zone.