



A message from Mrs Chambers

Dear Families,

We are nearly at the end of another very busy term. Our children have enjoyed many activities planned for them this term which have enhanced their learning opportunities - from school trips, to a Royal Shakespeare Production show, from Genius Hour projects, to producing an Art Mural for the community, from various themed workshop visits to sports matches, from a themed day of reading related fun during World Book Day to our OPAL play afternoon. We cannot thank our staff enough for planning these wonderful opportunities for our children and we also wish to thank each of you who have helped to support the school in one way or another to make these activities possible.

This term we are sad to be saying goodbye to Sarah Crook who has worked at Repton as our FLO for the last 2 years. Sarah has worked with many of our children and families since she started at Repton Manor and she will be missed by the team. However, Sarah has gained the wonderful opportunity to begin a new career as a Social Work Assistant, working with children with disabilities, and we know how amazing she will be in this role. We wish her all the very best for the future.

We are also excited to welcome some new members of staff to our team over the next couple of weeks.

Talia Clark, who is an ex-Repton pupil herself, has returned to the school family as a member of staff. She has joined us as a Teaching Assistant and is Repton's first member of staff who has also been a pupil at our school! We are very pleased to welcome Talia back.

Viv Morris, who was previously a Teaching Assistant at Repton Manor, will be returning to our Repton Family to the position of SENCO Assistant to cover Katie Allen's maternity leave. We are very excited to welcome Viv back to our staff team.

Laura Holmes will also be working within a slightly different role at Repton after the Easter break. We are excited to let you know that Laura has been appointed as a Nurture Practitioner for Repton Manor. Laura will be leading many of our nurture groups but will still be working with classes within her role and so our children will still see lots of her. We hope you will join us in congratulating Laura on her appointment to this role.

Medal Assembly – Thursday 28th March

Earlier this year we decided to change the medal assembly slightly. However, we can confirm that we will be keeping the medal assembly times as they were previously:

**KS1 9am
KS2 10am**

**Jackie Chambers
Head of School**

Reception	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Please ensure your child has a PE kit in school. We'd be very grateful if you practice the skill of dressing and undressing independently in preparation for PE lessons. ❖ PE is on a Monday and PE kits can stay in school all term. ❖ Pirate day – 27th March
Year 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ PE days will be Tuesdays and Fridays ❖ Dinosaur and fossil workshop – 26th March
Year 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ PE days will be Tuesdays and Thursdays

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Y2 KS1 SATS info evening - Wednesday 27th March (5.30pm)
Year 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Please ensure your child reads at least 5 times a week and that you sign your child's reading record. ❖ PE days: Wednesdays and Fridays
Year 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Please can all children be reading and parents ensuring that books are signed ❖ PE Wednesdays and Thursdays
Year 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ PE Mondays and Wednesdays ❖ Hever Castle – 27th March
Year 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ PE Tuesdays and Fridays ❖ Homewood Transition Week is on the following dates this year: 1st July - 4th July (so just the 4 days Monday to Thursday).

Whole school	<p style="text-align: center;">https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🔗 Strictly no peanuts or peanut butter products in school please. 🔗 Please be reminded that the front car park is for badge holders only. 🔗 Please allow 2 working days for email responses. Should your query be of an urgent nature please do call the office. 🔗 Please ensure that you sign up for trips <u>before</u> the deadline. 🔗 ALL medications must be bought directly to the office. We ask the children do not come into school with medications in their bag please ✗
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