



RL Hughes Primary School - Newsletter
14 May 2021

Covid Tests

There seems to be a bit of confusion regarding the use of lateral flow testing kits. These tests are only to be used if you do not have any covid symptoms.

If your child has any covid symptoms eg. cough, temp you **MUST** take them for a PCR covid test at a testing centre and keep them off school until you receive the results.

School Photographs

Today is the last day to return proofs and payment to school for your child/children's photos.

Nursery

If your child is due to start Nursery in September 2021 and you would like a place for them at our nursery please ensure that you fill out a form at the office ASAP.

FORLH

Thank you to everyone who has signed up to support our school on easyfundraising, we have raised £102.20 with 42 supporters so far. You can share this with family and friends even if they don't have children that attend our school - anyone can sign up! Help raise FREE funds for our school whenever you shop online!

Use easyfundraising to shop with over 4,000 big name retailers including John Lewis, Very, Uswitch, GoCompare, Just Eat, Deliveroo, Expedia, and many more - when you shop, you'll raise a free donation for R L Hughes Primary School every time, it's that easy!

To make it even easier you can also download the App and click on that every time you need to shop online.

Please help support us:

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/r-l-hughes-primary-school-wigan/?utm_campaign=raise-more&utm_content=fb5

Friends of R L Hughes: Sunflower Competition

Thank you to everyone who took part in our sunflower competition, we raised a total of £111.90.

Ashton food pantry

Opening times

11-12 Tuesday

3-4 Thursday

11-12 Saturday

3-4 Sunday

It's £5 for an annual pass, then each time you shop you pay £3. You can shop twice weekly and choose up to 20 items per shop. The pantry is at St Thomas's church hall, Ashton and you can park right outside.

If you want to donate more money for your shop, please do, likewise if you cannot pay the £3 no one will be turned away. You won't get your whole shop here but you can get lots, save money and stop things going into land fill, therefore reducing our waste.

Mayfield Street - Parking

Please do not park on Mayfield street, **this is a no parking zone**. A parent has informed us that cars are parking on Mayfield street - half on the road and half on the pavement which is forcing parents to walk their children on the road due to social distancing rules. This is to ensure the safety of all our children and families.

FACE COVERINGS - IMPORTANT!

We have noticed that a large amount of parents are not wearing face coverings/face masks when dropping and collecting their children. Unless you are exempt from wearing a mask due to medical reasons, please ensure you wear a mask/face covering while on the school premises. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Congregating in school grounds

We ask that parents please leave the school premises once you have collected your child and do not congregate on the pathways.

Covid protocol

If your child develops a cough/temperature or **any covid symptoms**, they need to be tested before they will be allowed back into school. Test results should be sent to your child's class teacher via class dojo before they return to school.

School meal payments - School Grid

REMINDER - Meals must be paid for, in advance, on a Monday morning unless you have signed up to a direct debit. If you get into arrears with your child's account then you will be asked to bring a packed lunch in for your child and they will not be allowed a school dinner until the account is cleared and a direct debit has been set up. If you require help setting up an account please see a member of the office staff.

Health Care Plans/ Asthma inhalers

Please contact the school office as soon as possible if there has been a recent change to your child's health care plan. Please ensure that all relevant medication remains in school at all times, including asthma inhalers. Thank you.

Car park

The school car park is for staff and official visitors only. Parents are not allowed to park in the school grounds. This is for the health and safety of all our pupils. When parking outside the school grounds please do not block the residents' entrances.