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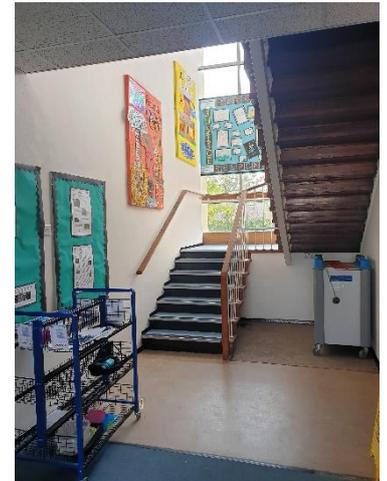
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Dear Parents,

We've had a busy week this week preparing the school for welcoming back our Year 6's and extending our Reception provision into the afternoons starting on Monday 29th June 2020.

Work on our new ICT suite has begun, Mr Russel has started clearing out the furniture from the group room, ready for the builders to move in next week.

The Junior Hall has been painted, as well as the stair wells and corridors - so the Junior building is starting to look fresher and brighter.

The LSAs and Teachers have been creating displays of all the children's work over lockdown, so when they return in September they can see all the amazing things which have been happening in children's homes.

Furthermore, the teachers are designing a new, exciting and vibrant recovery curriculum for our children, so that they can quickly catch up on their learning whilst having fun and enjoying being together again.



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Virtual Sports Week

Congratulations to all the children who took part in this event - particularly to Water who were the overall winners!
Well done everybody!



Virtual Sport Week Winners!

Thank you to everyone who took part in our Virtual Sports Week! We have really enjoyed watching all the videos and seeing pictures of all the children having fun with the challenges each day!

However, there can only be 1 winner!

In 4th place with 201 points is Earth.

In 3rd place with 208 points is Fire.

In 2nd place with 223 points is Air.

The winners in 1st place with 240 points are Water!

Well done to everyone in Water house!

Year 6

Year 6 children will be welcomed back to school on Monday 29th June, from 9 am till 12, Monday to Thursday.

For those children who have requested a place, access their classrooms in the morning, as normal, via the Junior's gate and make their way round to their normal classroom. At the end of the session, the teachers will walk the children round to the side gate to be collected by their parents.

If you wish your child to walk home by themselves, please email Mrs Hogg confirming this on: admin@williammartin-inf.essex.sch.uk.

Their teachers are very excited to see them all back in school!

Reception

For those parents who have requested a place in the afternoon, a full day session is from 9am to 3.00pm. If your child requires a school dinner, the staff will take their order at the classroom door. There is no need to book. Otherwise, please provide your child with a packed lunch.

For those parents whose children will be attending just the morning session, a half day session is from 9 am to 12.00, drop off and collection will be from their classroom door.

Uniform

All children attending school are expected to wear school uniform, however, I understand the challenges with shoes at the moment, and am happy for children to wear any comfy shoes that they can walk or run safely in.

The new expectation for black shoes, with no visible logo, stated in my last update is starting in September.

Happily, my update is shorter this week!

Very best wishes and stay safe,

Gina Bailey

Executive Headteacher



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