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Dear Parents,

Today has seen some windy and wet weather and it caused access problems across the school at the beginning of the day. When we have wet weather again, please can I ask you to time your arrival so that there is very little waiting around in the playground. It is possible to shelter in the basement hall (child and adult) but please stand still with your child as running around on wet and slippery surfaces is dangerous for all. Access to the classrooms is at 8.55 for Y1 and Y2 and 9.00 for Early Years. Please can I ask adults to refrain from using the internal stairways until all the children are safely inside.

Food Bank collections

Thank you for sending in your food bank donations but we still need much more. Please have a look at the weekend and see if you can send in any tins/packages of long life food stuffs.

Hyde Park Explorers packs

Every child in Cedar, Oak and Ash class will come home with an explorer pack that has been created in school and funded by our PTFA. The pack will provide hours of free fun and entertainment indoors and out and in all types of weather. Children in our Y1 and Y2 classes already have their packs so I am hoping that this reminder helps to revive interest in using the pack this weekend.

Moon walk

Please keep adding up your walking minutes and let the teacher know how far you and your child(ren) walked this week and let us know the total on Monday.



Puzzle pieces, counters and game items

A large number of pieces of school equipment have gone missing from classrooms and in particular in Ash, Cedar and Oak Classes. If you find items in your child's pockets, book bags or clothing then please return them as games cannot be played if pieces are missing and we have no money to replace resources in school. If your child has been 'borrowing' items from school, please talk to them and we are doing the same in school with all the children.

School trip payments

Please keep making payments for the school trips. For those of you having problems with the system, here are some helpful tips:

When you log into www.schoolmoney.co.uk you will be directed to the eduspot website. To sign in select the sign in button in the top right hand corner, a list will drop down and you should select **Parent Login** and not school money. This will then send you to the parent login as normal. If you are still having problems, please see Mrs Rhodes or Mrs Matthews in the office.

I have been taking a long time looking at the children's holiday scrapbooks and have started to send out certificates following chats with the children. The scrapbooks and certificates will be send home by the end of next week.

My Head Teacher challenge for this week is to try out an activity in the Hyde Park Explorers Booklet. I wonder how many stickers I will be giving out on Monday? E-mails and pictures gratefully received.

Yours sincerely,

E.A. Hill

Head Teacher