



21st April 2023

# Mail on Friday

## Redhill Primary Academy and Nursery Weekly Newsletter

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### Welcome Back to School

We hope that you have had a lovely, restful Easter break.

### School Dinners

Please remember that if your child is staying for a school dinner, then their account must be in credit. The catering company do not allow debts to build so please check the account before your child stays.

Thank you.

### ARC Silver Award

We would like to share with you that we have recently been awarded the below certificate. This is due to the school's commitment to being an attachment and trauma informed school. We have also been nominated for a gold award and are eagerly awaiting the outcome of the nomination which will be revealed later in the term.

Telford & Wrekin Virtual School

*The Attachment Research Community  
Attachment Aware and Trauma Informed  
Schools*

*Silver Award*

**This is to certify that**

**Redhill Primary Academy School**

has achieved

***Silver Award for Attachment Aware and Trauma  
Informed Practice in Telford & Wrekin***

**29th March 2023**

Presented by

**Michelle Salter**

**Telford & Wrekin Virtual School Head Teacher**



## **A Valued Me**

Thank you for all your support with the core value for the second half of the spring term, which was empathy. Throughout March and April, children learnt the importance of thinking about the feelings of others.



Our 'A Valued Me' core value for the first half of the summer term is **Honesty**.

### **What is Honesty?**

1. Being truthful to others.
2. Being truthful to yourself.
3. Doing what's right regardless of who's around.
4. Being someone others can trust.

### **Suggestions for parents to work with children at home:**

1. Talk with your children about honesty. Try to answer; 'What is honesty?' What is the difference between the truth and a lie? Discuss some examples.
2. Share the story of the boy who cried wolf. Talk about a time when someone told you something that wasn't true. How did it make you feel? Do you trust that person to tell you the truth now? Why or why not?
3. Talk about promises the children have made or promises others have made to them. How serious is a promise? How does it feel when someone breaks a promise?
4. Who are the most honest people you know? How do you know they are honest? How do you feel about these people?
5. Talk about a situation where you or they have been worried about telling the truth about something because you thought it would get you into trouble.
6. Watch a movie, such as The Lion King or Pinocchio, in which honesty and truthfulness are major themes. Encourage your child to talk about ways the main characters demonstrate honesty and dishonesty.

Please let your child's teacher know if we can celebrate any work from home, here in school. Feedback on the values and what you do at home is really valuable to us and we really appreciate all your support.

### **Aspirations and Careers Week at Redhill Primary Academy - 22nd May 2023**

We are looking forward to holding an exciting week where the children of Redhill become inspired by a range of activities which allow them to consider future aspirations and career options. With this in mind, we are looking for volunteers from local businesses and organisations who would be willing to take part in classroom discussions about their role and answer any questions the children may have.

If you would be willing to give up your time or know someone who may be able to make our week truly memorable, please email Mrs Cartwright at [Redhill@RedhillPrimary.co.uk](mailto:Redhill@RedhillPrimary.co.uk).

### **Healthy Lifestyles Week 26th June 2023**

It is well known that an unhealthy lifestyle can dramatically reduce lifespan. Here at Redhill, we are committed to ensuring that children are aware of how particular lifestyle choices can lead to good overall health and well-being. In the summer term, we will be dedicating a whole week of learning around this and we are in need of your help!

We are looking for any inspirational individuals who are available to attend an assembly during this week filled of exciting activities which focuses on both physical and mental health. We would like to offer the children an opportunity to hear first-hand accounts of why a healthy lifestyle is so important to be successful in everyday life. If you could help, please let Mrs Cartwright know by emailing [Redhill@RedhillPrimary.co.uk](mailto:Redhill@RedhillPrimary.co.uk).

We look forward to hearing from you.

Many thanks for your continued support.