

# March Newsletter

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

**Dear Parents/Carers,**

It is that time of year when the first signs of spring are upon us and Easter is pending! On **Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March**, we will be holding an Easter bonnet competition. If your child would like to take part, please support them to design and make an Easter bonnet. There will be a prize for first and second place, in each class. Please send all hats to school with your child on this date in order to enter the competition.



## Late Pick-ups

We are seeing an increased number of children not being collected from school on time. The school day ends at **15:15**. At this time, your child may be collected from their classroom door. If you are not on time, your child will be taken into the school hall, where adequate staff can supervise them. At **15:30**, a late charge applies and you must collect them from the main reception door. Please be aware, that your child may be taken into the hall between 15:25 and 15:30 – this is to keep them safe and accounted for. If you arrive at the main reception door **at or after 15:30**, a late charge **will** be added to your School Spider account. These are not new guidelines; this has always been the case.

If you have any questions or concerns, please email your child's class teacher, in the first instance. They can then assist you or direct you to where necessary:

Nursery/Miss Marshall – [s.marshall@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:s.marshall@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)

Reception/Miss Burke – [h.burke@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:h.burke@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)

Year 1/Miss Henderson – [n.henderson@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:n.henderson@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)

Year 2/Miss Curchin – [i.curchin@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:i.curchin@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)

Year 3/Miss Thorne – [m.thorne@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:m.thorne@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)

Year 4/Miss Johnson – [g.johnson@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:g.johnson@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)

Year 5/Miss Watson – [r.watson@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:r.watson@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)

Year 6/Miss Churchman – [h.churchman@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:h.churchman@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)



**IT IS VITAL THAT YOUR CHILD ATTENDS SCHOOL – PLEASE REMEMBER THAT NO HOLIDAYS ARE TO BE TAKEN DURING TERM TIME.  
NO AUTHORISATION WILL BE GIVEN UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES**

If you have any SEND and/or welfare concerns, please email Mrs Pugh – [a.pugh@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:a.pugh@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)

Any general queries, please email Miss Melling – [admin@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:admin@abbott.manchester.sch.uk) and for school payment concerns or queries, it's Mrs Hudson – [finance@abbott.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:finance@abbott.manchester.sch.uk)

**Important Dates for this Term:**

- Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March – Y1/2 Singaround
- Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March – Y3/4 Singaround
- Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Bonnet Competition
- Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March – SCHOOL CLOSES
- Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April – SCHOOL OPENS AT 08:45: DON'T BE LATE!!!
- Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – School Closed (Polling Day)
- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May – School Closed (Bank Holiday)
- Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May – KS2 SATs Week

Yours sincerely,



Miss Wilson (Head Teacher)