

# ALBERT PRIMARY SCHOOL

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30TH APRIL 2021

#### **Summer Term**

What a positive start to the new summer term we have had; it's lovely to have the children back in school again. There is a sense of calm and purpose in classes as pupils refocus on their learning for this last term of the school year. It has also been great to welcome all our new children to Nursery and we now have 458 children on roll at Albert Primary.

Covid-19 restrictions are still with us and therefore it does restrict our usual summer term activities. We pride ourselves on the many events we host over the school year, but since March 2020 it has not been safe to gather in large groups or crowds due to the pandemic. Unfortunately, we are still unable to invite parents into school to watch our summer term activities but we will ensure that there are plenty of photos on our Twitter account for you to enjoy.

Children in Year 6 will have the opportunity to enjoy preparing and performing a school based production of Madagascar Jr. Sadly, under current restrictions, without an audience and only within their class bubbles. The school will endeavour to purchase a special licence to allow us to give each cast member a copy of the recording for their personal use only. Like all schools nationally, we look forward to the time when we can invite groups of parents back into the school building and to become actively involved in our community events.



#### Year 2 to 6 Personalised Tests

The Welsh Government have advised schools to continue to use personalised assessment resources, on a reasonable endeavours basis, to enable teachers to understand and support individual learner needs. The most valuable way to use the assessments will be in a formative way to identify any gaps and plan for future learning. There will be no formal national test week this year, but the children will complete their online assessments as part of their normal classroom learning activities between Monday 10th May to Friday 21st May. Their results will be communicated to you in the end of year reports in July.



#### Salop Place Exit Gate

Please be considerate of our neighbours residing in Salop Place when leaving the school site.

Avoid gatherings on the pavements that could cause congestion and disturb the residents.

Thank you.

### Parking near the school site and considerate road use

We have received a number of concerns regarding inconsiderate parking by parents accessing the school in the mornings and afternoons; including parking on the yellow lines outside school and stopping across the raised sections on the road.

We speak to the children regularly about road safety and keeping safe when crossing the road. Please help us ensure children have a happy and safe journey into school each day. Our children's safety is our main priority and we would appreciate your continuing support in this matter. Thank you.



# Parent/Carer Summer Term Information Sheet

You should have received a copy of the Summer term Parent/Carer Information Sheet via your child. These are designed to provide you with information on the curriculum and year group topic activities for the Summer term.

Copies are available to access via our website: Parent Termly Information Sheets | Albert Primary

## May Day Bank Holiday

Please be reminded that school will be closed for the May Day Bank Holiday next week [Monday 3rd May 2021]. School will re-open as normal on Tuesday 4th May 2021.

