



MANOR COURT
Community Primary School
Incorporating
Manor Court Early Years Centre

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Dear Parents/carers,

Firstly, a thank you to the parents who have attended the Parent Forums, the feedback has been really useful. We are always looking to improve our school in any way we can so that your children get the best possible education.

As we are aiming to improve all aspects of the school, this letter is to clarify the expectations. Every little thing makes a difference and we need your help.

Some reminders:-

Uniform: On the whole there has been a good start to the year, so thank you.

Dark sensible shoes (not high heels, trainers, sandals etc.) must be worn. If there is a specific medical reason why your child needs alternative footwear, please discuss this with your child's class teacher.

Children do need coats now: The weather is changing, but we do still want to give your children the opportunity to go out.

Jewellery: Only watches and a single stud in each ear are permitted.

Water: It's important children drink enough throughout the day, but they are only allowed water in their bottles for class. If, however, your child has individual needs please discuss this with your child's class teacher.

Packed Lunches: We are a Healthy School. Please ensure packed lunches are healthy. Water or sugar free drinks are the preferred options and no fizzy drinks.

Cards/Toys: Not allowed in school, they cause an unnecessary amount of disagreements. We provide toys and games at playtimes.

Pencil cases: No need for them in school, again they cause an unnecessary amount of disagreements. We provide all the equipment your children need.

New books: Thank you for your patience KS1 parents. The new library is nearly complete and is looking great. We have spent an enormous amount of money on books, so please take care of them at home - you will be asked to pay for any damaged books.

Thank you for your cooperation, we need to continue to work together. If you have any questions about this or any other aspect of your child's learning, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

Alan Clode
Deputy Headteacher