

17 June 2021

Dear Parent

As you are aware tomorrow is our "Rainbow Fun Day" and PTA fundraiser. The children should not wear any uniform, but wear bright rainbow clothes instead – the brighter the better.

I had hoped that parents would be able to make their donations through School Money. Unfortunately, we are unable to do so because we aren't asking for a set amount of money, but a voluntary contribution instead.

I am asking for a voluntary donation as, firstly, I understand everyone's financial position is very different, particularly with the impact of COVID. I am also asking for a voluntary donation as PTA can then claim Gift Aid which allows them to claim back 25% of your donation. If you wish PTA to claim back Gift Aid on your donation, please complete the attached form. Donations can be either cash or cheque made payable to "Whitehead Primary School PTA". Please place the cash or cheque into an envelope (along with your gift aid declaration if appropriate) and send it into your child's teacher on Friday 18th or Monday, 21st June. The envelopes will then be quarantined for 48 hours.

As I said in a previous newsletter, we haven't asked for school fund and we have been unable to hold any PTA fundraising events this year. I would encourage you to be as generous as you can. It is hoped that the money raised will be used to purchase an outdoor classroom (costing approximately £4000) in order to enhance the outdoor learning opportunities for the children.

Thank you once again for your ongoing support through what has been a very challenging year. We are really looking forward to tomorrow and I know the children are getting very exciting about all of the fun activities they have planned with their class.

There will be a newsletter on Thursday, 24 June 2021 which will outline the arrangements (as far as I possibly can) for starting school again on Wednesday, 25 August 2021.

Kind regards

J LOUGHINS Principal



WHITEHEAD PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA

RAINBOW FUND DAY DONATION

Please find enclose our Rainbow Fun Day donation of £
NB: Cheques should be made payable to Whitehead Primary School PTA.
For the purpose of Gift Aid it is essential that this form is signed below.
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I am a UK Tax Payer and am paying an amount of tax equal to that which Whitehead Primary School PTA reclaims
on my Donation (currently 25p for every pound).
I wish to "Gift Aid" my donation (please tick the box)
Print Name:
Address:
Signed:
Date: