IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ALL PARENTS/GUARDIANS





We hope you had an enjoyable and safe summer break and took some well-deserved time with family and friends ahead of the new academic year. We will return following the same procedures as in June 2021 as indicated in previous letters.

PARENT PAY REMINDER

As from 1 September, we will not be accepting payments in school for Meals, Healthy Snacks, Early Morning Club, Play Club or Late Club. All bookings/selections and payments must be completed online through your *PARENT PAY* account.

You are able to book meals (menu on site), healthy snacks and all clubs weeks in advance.

*As the minimum payment on the system is £1.00, it would be advisable to book healthy snack for 1-3 September (3 days – 90p) and week commencing 6 September at the same time.

Payment for Early Morning Club on Thursday 26, Friday 27 and Monday 31 August should be made direct to School (£2.00 per session).

Please note Meals and Healthy Snacks not available Thursday 26, Friday 27 and Monday 31 August. Children should bring their own healthy snack and water only.

SEE-SAW

Please remember to re-register with See-Saw to enable your child to become a member of their new class and receive all messages from your child's teacher for starting school. Registration details were placed in school report envelopes in June.

COMMUNITY PLAY PARK

To ensure our Community Play Park remains available for all to enjoy, volunteers are required to assist with opening and closing the park throughout the year. Please contact Olga Whitten on 07834525866 or by email <u>olgawhitten@hotmail.co.uk</u> if you are able to assist in any way. Thank you.

E A WEBSITE (www.eani.org.uk)

To support school restart, EA has a range of information, support, and advice for parents/guardians. This is available through the EA website and social media channels and covers a range of areas including school transport, free school meals, uniform grants, admissions, and Special Educational Needs.

WALKING HOME AFTER SCHOOL

Can you please ensure that if you require your child to walk home or be collected other than at school gates, you MUST send a written note to your child's teacher or email school info@hamiltonsbawnps.hamiltonsbawn.ni.sch.uk

EARLY SCHOOL CLOSURES (change to previous collection times)

On Thursday 26th, Friday 27th & Tuesday 31st August <u>only</u>, school will finish for specific classes at the following times to ensure social distancing.

GATE 1 (single gate)	GATE 2 (double gates)
P5/6 (Miss Henderson) 12.20pm	P6/7 (Mrs Johnston) 12.20pm
P2/3 (Mrs Megaw) 12.25pm	P3/4 (Mrs McIlwaine) 12.25pm
P2 (Mrs Hunter) 12.30pm	

SPORTS

All children will take part in Hockey and Fundamental Movement Skills in the Autumn Term. Please complete the table below and forward all payments, cash or cheque payable to Hamiltonsbawn Primary School, in a sealed envelope clearly marked with your child's name and amount enclosed. Hockey and Fundamental Movement Skills can be paid at £10 per month (September, October, November) if preferred.

Name of Pupil Cla			ass	
Autumn Term (26 August-22 December 2021)	Price	Amount £		
Hockey (P1-7)	£15.00	15.00		
Fundamental Movement Skills (P1-7)	£15.00	15.00		
Milk (optional)	£9.00 (1 September-22 December)			
AMOUNT ENCLOSED				

P.E. HOODIES

If you wish to order a PE hoodie, (initials optional), please complete below and return to school with payment by Friday 3 September. (These must be pre-paid before order as exchange is not possible.)

AGE	HOODIE (No initials)	HOODIE (Initialled)	INITIALS IF REQUIRED	AMOUNT	
	£17.00	£18.00	(Optional)		
AMOUNT ENCLOSED (Cash or Cheque payable to Hamiltonsbawn Primary School)					

Really looking forward to welcoming you all back tomorrow.

D. Hutchinson