

# LIME ACADEMY WATERGALL

## Message from the Senior Leadership Team

I hope that you are all safe and well, having had a lovely Easter break, and that the return to school work this week has been a welcome change for the children.

This week every child in school should have received a new learning pack from their child's teacher. Please keep all home learning packs until the children return to school at which point they can be handed to the class teacher. The staff have worked hard to put together a meaningful resource for the children and we hope that they have been useful to you at home. If you are looking for additional work or resources to support home learning, please look at the school website as there are lots of links to further learning opportunities there. If your child has been using Lexia at school with Mr Harfield, please continue to access the resource at home using the log in details provided. The government has provided parents and carers with some support and advice around how to best support your child with their home learning and this can be found here: [https://www.gov.uk/guidance/supporting-your-childrens-education-during-coronavirus-covid-19?utm\\_source=cab989cd-0d5a-4ac7-9145-6445159c785f&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm\\_content=immediate](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/supporting-your-childrens-education-during-coronavirus-covid-19?utm_source=cab989cd-0d5a-4ac7-9145-6445159c785f&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate)

If you are in receipt of Free School Meals then you should now have received your food vouchers via email. If your financial circumstances have changed as a result of the pandemic it is possible that your child may become eligible for free school meals. If you believe that this may be the case, please contact the school office.

This week we welcomed Mrs Collins, who has joined us as the Community Engagement Officer for all three Lime Trust schools in Peterborough. Mrs Collins will be working closely with Mr Harfield and supporting him in his role. In the coming weeks she will begin by supporting Mr Harfield with some of his home school communication and will begin to get to know some of you over the phone.

We are all missing having the children in school but recognise the continued need to stay at home and stay safe. As the school remains open for those who are vulnerable or the children of critical workers, we are contactable on a daily basis. Therefore if you need any advice or additional support please do not hesitate to call or email and we will endeavour to support you as best we can. Above all else, please be kind to yourselves as parents – home schooling brings with it lots of additional challenges and pressures! Practical activities such as baking, gardening and enjoying some time playing in the garden is also very important for all children.

## Free School Meal Vouchers

Parents who have pupils who are eligible for free school meals will of received vouchers for the next 3 weeks as one code. Thank you to the parents who have redeemed these vouchers. If you have not yet redeemed your vouchers please do so by Friday 1st May.

If your circumstances change and you believe that you are now eligible for free school meals please email the school office on [office@limeacadmeywatergall.london](mailto:office@limeacadmeywatergall.london)

## Home Learning Packs

You should now have received a home learning pack for your child in the post. If you have not received this please call the school office.

Further home learning ideas and the current home learning packs are all available on the school website

[www.limeacademywatergall.london](http://www.limeacademywatergall.london)

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