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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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Dear Parents/Carers,

At Herbert Thompson Primary School, we want all children to grow up with positive values and behaviours and have the aspirations and skills to live happy and successful futures.

Over the next term, I will be sending out a weekly '**Headteacher Update**' with information about how all children can succeed and reach their full potential at school. Please take the time to read these updates. The first update can be found overleaf.

Please also note that today we introduced a new slip system to pupils as a means of raising awareness of what are not acceptable behaviours and communicating particular behaviours with parents.

Purple Slips – may be used to celebrate exceptional behaviour as well as a number of other rewards.

Yellow Slips – these will be issued by class teacher when children display any of the following behaviours:

- Disrupting the learning of others.
- Repeated refusal to complete work.
- Unacceptable behaviour in class or on the yard.
- Leaving the learning environment without permission.
- Refusal to accept consequences.

Red Slips – these will be issued by senior leaders when children display any of the following significant behaviours:

- Physical assault on a pupil or adult.
- Abusive language directed at a pupil or adult.
- Unacceptable conduct on the yard or during an outside activity.
- Wilful destruction of property.
- Absconding from the school site.
- Threatening behaviour towards staff.

If your child receives a slip, please support us by discussing the behaviours with your child so they are not repeated.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs S Marsh

Headteacher

