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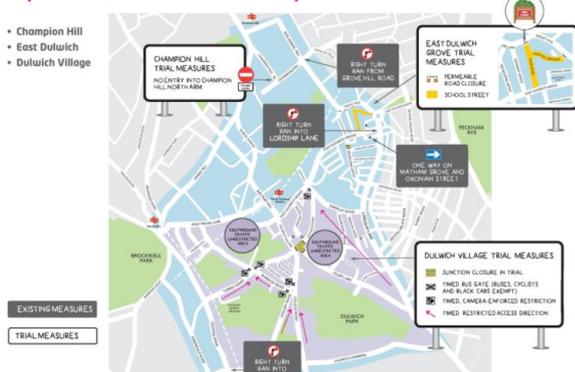
HEADTEACHER'S NOTE

I started his week with another 'travel/road safety/safer streets' themed assembly. I informed the children that it is 'National Walk to School' week and we talked about the benefits of active travel, alongside the reasons why for some it is necessary to travel by car. I reiterated my message about road safety: we are still observing Hamleteers not being as sensible as they could be on the streets, mainly from upper school. They know that we will be contacting you directly if we are aware of unsafe behaviours. We are delighted to have been able to secure virtual Junior Citizen workshops for Y6 next week. We hope that these messages, specifically around safety, will become cemented, and support the children with greater independence as they move in to secondary transfer.

I also spoke about our local safer streets set-up, and how there is clearly divided opinion over what is best for our locality. I was able to refer to the Soutwark 'Dulwich Streetspace Newsletter' that many of us would have received last weekend, and talked through some of the reasons for and against the measures on our doorstep. It was a great opportunity to revisit our British Values with the children, particularly in terms of respecting differing opinions, as well as democracy. I was able to tell them that we all have an opportunity to put our ideas and opinions forward, and as such, you can find the link to the Dulwich Streetspace Review here:

<https://www.southwark.gov.uk/transport-and-roads/improving-our-streets/live-projects/dulwich-review>

Experimental measures overview map



KEY DATES

Monday 24th May

Swimming for Y5

Y6 virtual Junior Citizenship workshop

Wednesday 26th May

Class photos

Y4 Hinduism and India Celebration Day

Friday 28th May

Y6 Carnival Day

Finish for half-term break (usual end of day times: 3:15/3:30pm)

MARBLE SEASON: IS BACK!

We all love a Marble Season! As a 'thank you' for a fantastic half-term of learning, we have decided to reward the children with three days of marble fun next week: Monday through to Wednesday. As always, we have our simple set of rules to follow:

- Only bring in enough marbles that can fit into a small container that will sensibly fit in trays in the classroom
- Only bring in marbles that you don't mind losing! (keep the bestest/special ones for home)
- No swapping
- Rules for games are established and adhered to
- You can play to win



WEEKLY HOUSE POINTS

Topaz Water	Ruby Fire	Garnet Earth	Sapphire Air
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