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Opening Hours School - 8.45am - 3.15pm Office - 8.30am - 4pm Morning club - 8.15am Clubs 3.15pm -4.30pm Pre-School: 8am-4.30pm

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FRIDAY FLYER

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have been delighted to welcome you and the children back to the start of this new school year! The children have been very happy to return to school and it has been wonderful to see them all smiling and keen to come in every morning. Thank you very much for your efforts to support our new drop-off and pick-up arrangements. With everyone's co-operation and understanding, the new arrangements have worked smoothly. I am very grateful to you for playing your part and reading the information I have sent out to you: we are doing our best to keep everyone as safe as possible. We will keep these arrangements under review throughout, and especially during the coming week, to see if we can tweak them to make improvements.

Health will be a top priority for the foreseeable future. Please ensure that you contact the school office by 9.15am at the latest to report your child's absence from school. We ask that you are **very clear about the symptoms of your child's illness**. Please do not just report that your child is 'unwell'. For example, rather than saying your child has a cold, please inform us of their symptoms; runny nose, cough, headache and/or temperature. We may need to ask you to take other action such as advise you to get a Covid-19 test for your child. Your child's symptoms will also help us to monitor outbreaks of **any** illnesses and adjust our cleaning procedures as necessary. Thank you for your continued support.

Mr R Stead







Mrs Lewis

We would like to thank the Comer family and Green Days Day Care for transforming the Early Years outdoor area over the summer. Their skilled carpenter, Chris, has built and installed a new mud kitchen, extension to our wooden house including café window opening, built us a planter and outdoor story chair, as well as ensuring we have a safe lid for our sand tray and a new shed to store all of things! We are so grateful for this generous donation of time, expertise and providing all of the resources to develop the area into a vibrant and fun place for the children to learn. We can't wait for the next installment as they now turn their skills to the Year 1 outdoor area. Huge thanks!



Year 1 were straight back to business on their return to school! They have bee very busy bees counting, writing, creating and playing!



Reminder
Please make sure
your child has a
water bottle with
them at school as
there are no longer
cups in the classrooms or water
fountains available.

Diary Dates

Forest School Wednesdays:

Class 6—16th September

Class 5-23rd September

Class 4—30th September

Class 3—7th October

Class 2—14th October

Class 1—21st October

Class R-4th November

Please can children wear wellies and bring in their school shoes to change into.

Inset Day

Friday 23rd October

Half Term Break

Monday 26th to Friday 30th Oct

OUTSTANDING LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

Pre-School **Everyone for a fantastic start back to Preschool!**

Class R

All of Class R for their great first visits to school.

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Class 1

All of Class 1 for coming back to school with a fantastic attitude to learning and following instructions so well.

Class 2

All of Class 2 for coming back to school so confidently and sensibly. In particular Matilda and Ocean for showing such maturity and enthusiasm for the first week.

Class 3

All of Class 3 for coming back to school and settling into the new routines so well. Also Stan and Hazel for their excellent Maths work this week.

Class 4

All of Class 4 for coming back into school with such enthusiasm and a positive attitude.

Class 5

All of Class 5 for demonstrating our school values and having a fantastic first week back.

Class 6

All of Class 6 for returning to school with such enthusiasm and motivation.