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RE: Start of Term

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! I hope you have all had an excellent summer break and are looking forward to the new school year.

Firstly, a warm welcome to our new Reception parents and carers. You have separate arrangements in place for this coming week before your child starts full time. You should be aware of these arrangements already shared by either Miss Shortt or Mrs Tomlinson but please read the information below which will apply from when your child starts full time.

The School Day

A reminder that the Infant gates open at 8.45am with the bell ringing at 8.55am for the start of school. These gates will reopen at 3.15pm and the bell will ring for the end of the day at 3.25pm. As previously the children will go straight into their classrooms.

Kaleidoscope Nurture Base and Resource Base parents who walk to school should use this infant entrance and walk through the reception playground and along the pedestrian footpath by the side of the car park where the Kaleidoscope team will be waiting to greet you.

In the Junior playground the gates will open at 8.50am with the bell ringing at 9.00am for the start of school. These gates will reopen at 3.20pm and the bell will ring for the end of the day at 3.30pm. As previously, parents will drop off their child at the school gates and the children will walk straight into their class. For tomorrow only, Year 3 parents/carers will be able to bring their child on to the playground where the staff will greet the pupils and take them to the classroom.

For our children in the Kaleidoscope Resource Base and Nurture Base, parents who use the car park can drop off from 8.40am and pick up from 3.20pm. The car park gates will not open until 3.15pm in the afternoon. Due to a lack of car parking space, we ask that you don't use the school car park unless absolutely necessary.

School uniform

We will obviously be expecting your child to start the new school year in school uniform. However, please be mindful that the forecast is for a very warm first week back at school. Jumpers and coats may not be needed. Please send your child to school with a hat/cap and a water bottle. Sun cream would be a good idea as well. If any parents would like to purchase 'free' second hand uniform, please speak to the admin team in the school office or email admin@moorfield.stockport.sch.uk

Attendance

There is an attendance chart here to remind you of the impact a few days absence can have on your child's attendance. Please don't arrange any holidays during term time.

We look forward to welcoming you all back to school tomorrow.

Yours sincerely

Paul Anderson
Headteacher

Good Attendance means...
Being in school at least 97% of the time or 184 to 190 days

Remember
Your education is important - don't miss out!



Did you know?
When pupils attend school they:

- ✓ Can achieve their full potential
- ✓ Have better career prospects
- ✓ Learn how to look after themselves and be healthy
- ✓ Grow in confidence
- ✓ Keep up with work and homework
- ✓ Make new friends

There are **365** days in a calendar year. **175** are not spent at school!

*So there's plenty of time for shopping, holidays and appointments!

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