

Dear Parents, Carers and Families,

Welcome back!

I hope you've all had a lovely break and you've enjoyed some sunshine. I can't wait to hear what the children have been up to over the 6 weeks, more excitingly, I like to hear of the things they **haven't** done, for example, I didn't go to Mars and snack on red rock all summer. Some of our children's imaginations are just amazing and very entertaining!

I thought I would write to welcome you and your children back in to school with just a few exciting things we want to bring to your attention and things we'd like to promote this year.

1. **ATTENDANCE:** Did you know even 5 minutes late, every day, equates to 3 school days of lost learning? We need your children to be in class, ready to learn, by 8.50am, please. At 8.50am, we will close the Burghley Drive entrance and the Seaton Crescent entrance. The side gate for the main entrance to the school (on Brayford Ave) will be open until 9am. After this time, your child will need to report to the office as they will be classed as late. At 8.50am, we start our CREW sessions and we need them to be present for these valuable sessions. All other gates, in the school premises, will remain open until 9am (for example, the blue gates from the car park to KS2 playground will be open until 9am).
2. **CLASS DOJO:** You should already be signed up for your child's new class on Class Dojo. If not, please speak to your child's class teacher. Keeping lines of communication is really important!
3. **PRIDE:** Please you ensure your child is in school uniform. This is a blue jumper, sweatshirt or cardigan; a white, red or blue blouse or polo shirt; grey pinafore dress, skirt, culottes or trousers or a blue gingham dress and black shoes. We understand buying uniform can be expensive, there is no requirement to purchase anything with a logo but we'd love our children to be smart and looking proud and show they belong to our Exeter family. If you are struggling with anything, please speak to us and we can see if we can help.
4. **HEALTHY LUNCHES:** We're seeing more and more children coming in to school with an abundance of chocolate and crisps for their lunch. Can you ensure your child has a healthy balance of fruit and vegetables and, if you wish, a small treat. **Please remember we are a nut free school.**



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5. **PE DAYS:** Please continue to send your child in their full PE kit on their PE days.

Monday	Year 1 (both classes) Year 5 Boughton (Mrs James & Mrs Mathew)
Tuesday	FS2 (both classes) Year 1 (both classes) Year 2 (both classes) Year 4 (both classes)
Wednesday	Year 3 (both classes) Year 5 – Rockingham and Deene (Mrs Richardson and Mrs Letts) Year 5 – Swimming kit to be brought in Year 6 – East Carlton (Mrs Crawford and Miss Golding)
Thursday	Year 3 (both classes) Year 5 – Boughton (Mrs James & Mrs Mathew) Year 6 (all classes)
Friday	Year 2 (both classes) Year 4(both classes) Year 6 – Ashworth and Lamport (Mrs Norris & Miss Vorster)

6. **NEW MEMBERS OF STAFF:** I'm delighted to inform you that we have made some appointments over the summer term and the holidays. I'd like to welcome:

- **Miss Poulter, who will be teaching in Reception.**
- **Miss Rose, who will be teaching Year 2.**
- **Mr Efford, who will be teaching in Lower Key Stage 2.**
- **Mrs Din, who will be teaching in Upper Key Stage 2.**
- **Mrs Maglone, who will be teaching as a cover supervisor across the school.**
- **Miss Watson, who will be supporting our Key Stage 2 children as a teaching assistant.**
- **Miss White, who will be supporting our Key Stage 1 and EYFS children as a teaching assistant.**
- **Mrs Pitruit, who will be supporting across the school as a teaching assistant as well as part of our Safeguarding Team.**
- **Mrs Shalgosky, who will be working as our Pastoral Support Officer.**

I'm sure you'll join me in welcoming them to our wonderful school and, if you see them around, please do introduce yourselves and say hello.



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I'm excited to welcome your children back in to school on Monday 5th September, 2022 and don't forget – 8.50am, please!

As ever, if there is anything we can support you with or you need someone to talk to about an issue, please don't hesitate to contact us, either your child's class teacher in the first instance or the school office will be delighted to help you.

Here's hoping this academic year is the best yet.

Kind regards,

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