

Thursday 28th August 2025

Back to School 2025-2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have all had a restful summer break and enjoyed family time together during the sunny days.

I would like to remind you that we have staff INSET on Tuesday 2nd September and the children return on Wednesday 3rd September.

Nursery and Reception – EYFS

Staggered intakes for the Nursery and Reception children start on Monday 8th September following the parents' meetings.

The children in the Nursery should come to school on their start day through the Nursery gate.

The children in Reception will wait on the infant playground near the Reception classrooms on their first day.

Years One and Two – KS1

On Wednesday, the children going into Year 1 and Year 2 should wait in the Infant playground adjacent to their classroom doors. Members of staff will be available on the playground if there are any questions. The class teachers will open their doors and welcome the children in from 8.40a.m.

Years Three, Four, Five and Six- KS2

Children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 must come onto the Junior playground at the start of every day.

On Wednesday the teachers will be on the playground at the start of the day. When the whistle is blown at 8.40 a.m, the children will walk into the school building with their teacher. On subsequent days when the whistle blows the children can walk into the school building and they will be welcomed at their classroom door by their teacher.

Entry points to school for Y3 - 6

Year 3 and 4 – up the steps by the Jubilee Building

Year 5 and 6 – via the pathway above the playground

The children must not congregate around the steps by the Jubilee Building. All the children should wait on the playground each morning.

Please remember that use of the turning circle is for 'kiss and drop' and no parent or carer is permitted to park in the staff carpark unless by prior agreement.

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Personal belongings

The following named items can be brought to school each day:

- Jacket or coat
- Bag or book bag
- Hat
- Lunch box
- Water bottle

The children in Years 1-6 are permitted to bring in their own pencil case to school. This is not an essential item and we will provide stationery for the children as necessary. If you would like your children to bring a pencil case they can bring it on the first day of school, clearly named and this should remain in their tray at school. If you choose to bring a pencil case it should be approximately 20cm in length and should contain the following items:

- Pencil
- Ruler
- Coloured pencils or crayons

Please do not bring games, balls, fidget toys or trading/swapping cards to school.

All the staff are looking forward to seeing the children on Wednesday and are excited about the year ahead.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Mrs. F Saunders

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