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AIMING HIGH TOGETHER



TRANSITION DAY - WEDNESDAY 3RD JULY

On Wednesday morning the children will be meeting their new class teachers. This is an exciting time for them but they can also be a little bit nervous and it is important to tell them this is a completely normal feeling. Please ensure your child is on time for school on this day. The children tell us they don't like being late, it makes them feel embarrassed. This feeling will be worse for them in front of their new teacher and their new class.

The class structure will be as follows:

Foundation 2 - Nightingale Class - Mrs Forsythe until Miss Murray returns from maternity leave

Foundation 2 - Ladybird Class - Miss Gregory who will be Mrs Wilson from September.

Year 1 - Robin Class - Miss Stevenson

Year 1 - Deer Class - Miss Ledsom

Year 2 - Hedgehog Class - Mrs Sloan

Year 2 - Otter Class - Miss Hughes

Year 3 - Holly Class - Mrs Connolly

Year 3 - Oak Class - Miss Barreiro

Year 3 - Aspen Class - Mrs Melvin and Miss Chance

Year 4 - Elm Class - Mrs O' Shaughnessy

Year 4 - Hazel Class - Miss Carlyle and Mrs Taylor

Year 5 - Silver Birch Class - Mr Dobbins

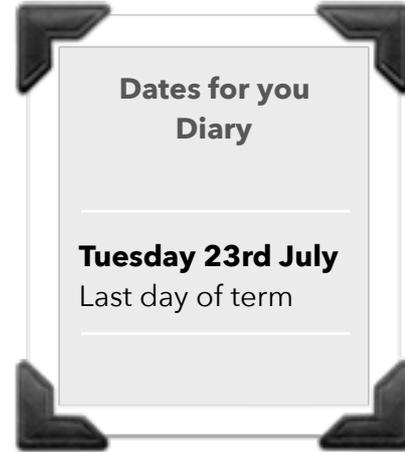
Year 5 - Beech Class - Miss Smith

Year 5 / 6 - Juniper Class - Mrs Tarbiat

Year 6 - Cherry Class - Mrs Freeman

Year 6 - Rowan Class - Mr Shennan

Miss Chance will be joining our team from September covering for Mrs Thorne's maternity leave.



FRENCH PHRASE OF THE WEEK



Où est la salle de bains ? - Where is the bathroom?

ATTENDANCE

Although we are coming to the end of the school year it is a MYTH that learning stops and is not important. The National Curriculum is so large that each weeks learning is as important as the next weeks. What is planned for the end of term is as important as what was being taught at the beginning of the school year. Please ensure your child attends every day to give them the best possible chance of success. If they miss school, they miss key learning and this leaves them at a disadvantage compared to their peers in school, locally and nationally.

This week the Local Authority have received all of the information for those families who have had unauthorised holidays so far. This includes those who did not submit a form.

More information has been sent in for unauthorised absence. Families will hear from the Local Authority soon.

We need to share with you the changes for issuing penalty notices from August 2024. This will be via a separate attendance update letter.