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Friday 4th September 2020

Dear parents,

We have had a fantastic first week back. The children have settled back into school, their new class and our new routines seamlessly. I am extremely proud of everyone and the positive atmosphere and approach to learning that is taking place across the school. Our new Reception children had their first session at school today and it was lovely to meet them all and see them enjoying learning in the EYFS outside area.

We are happy to welcome a number of new staff to school this term, including;

Mrs Macnab – Year 4 Class Teacher

Mrs Higginson – Year 4 Teaching Assistant and Lunch Time Teacher

Mrs Fordham – Year 3 Teaching Assistant

Mrs Boydon – School Chef (Edwards and Ward)

During the Summer Term we also welcomed 3 new Apprentice Teaching Assistants: Miss Hinton, Mrs Stay and Mr Salter.

All the staff have worked extremely hard over the summer to make sure that we had everything in place for reopening this September and I would like to thank them all for all their ongoing support. Please be aware that Mrs Beaumont will continue to work from home during Terms 1 and 2, so please continue to email rather than telephone the school office where possible.

NEW SCHOOL COMPUTERS: Our new school computers in the ICT suite are in full use in our newly redecorated room. A massive thank you to all the parents that supported the school's fund raising events that have made this possible.

Term 1 Class Teacher letter: Next week on Monday all parents will receive the Class Teacher Letter. This will have important information linked to your child's class and also information about the year group curriculum.

Drop off and collection times: Please do not arrive at the school gates before your allocated class drop off or collection time, as this makes it extremely difficult to ensure social distancing. Parents are able to access the school Breakfast Club service from 7.15am and we also have a new 8.15am start time for only £1.50.

School lunch: Please find attached a copy of the school menu. All the children are eating their lunch in the hall on a staggered schedule.

I wish you all a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Lavelle
Head Teacher