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All Parents/Carers of Year 2 children

3rd July 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

RE: BACK TO SCHOOL – AUTUMN TERM 2025

I am so looking forward to getting to know you all next term and I am proud to be the new headteacher of your wonderful children.

With transition from infant to junior school being a difficult time for some children, and of course, some parents, we have planned to have a soft start for our new year 3.

Your child/children are expected to be in school on Wednesday 3rd September for a 9.00am start. They will be the only year group in for this morning session and will find it invaluable for getting to know their classrooms, teachers and surroundings without being overwhelmed by the whole school presence.

They will be provided with a school lunch (or if you prefer, you can provide a packed lunch, NO NUTS PLEASE).

After lunch, they will be joined by our year 6 pupils who will be on hand to form friendship bonds and provide a mentoring system. This will help with the settling in process whereby the younger children will have the support of the older ones if needed.

The day will finish at 3.20pm when you can pick your child up from the playground using the Grenoble Gardens entrance.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Butcher