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Friday, 10th September 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The children are looking smart and have made an excellent start to the new academic school year. Staff have commented on how well the children have settled back into their learning with a positive attitude and a smile.

From Monday 13th September, we would like to make some slight tweaks to the collection arrangements for Years 4, 5 and 6. Please can Year 4 children be collected from the small blue gate next to my office; and can Year 5 and Year 6 children be collected from the double blue gates on the school field at 3.15pm. If your child is in Year 5 and Year 6 and you have given your child permission to be released directly from school, they will be released from the double blue gates on the school field. If your child has a bike or a scooter, they will need to follow the one-way system and walk up along the path of the car-park, collect their scooter/bike and then go across the car park and out of the school gate. Staff will assist with this until a routine is established.

It was lovely to welcome our new Parish Priest, Father Anthony, into school on Wednesday 8th September. Father Anthony introduced himself to all the staff and children and will be attending school on a weekly basis to get to know us all better. Father Anthony and Year 6 will be leading a whole school 'Welcome Mass' on Thursday 23rd September at 2pm.

As from today, Y1-Y6* will find within Google Classrooms (in the 'Classwork' tab) the following documents:

- Weekly timetable
- Knowledge organiser detailing what your child will be learning this term
- Welcome letter
- Homework learning grid/information.

*Reception Class will receive details shortly about Google Classrooms.

Please refer to the above documents to support your child with their learning throughout the term. To further support you, and to enable you to meet your child's Teacher, we

would like to invite you into school to a 'Meet the Teacher' session after school on the following dates:

- Mrs Evans (Reception older group) - Thursday 16th September
- Mrs Evans (Reception younger group) - Friday 17th September
- Miss Mayes (Year 1) - Monday 20th September
- Mrs Bladen and Mr Boucher (Year 2) - Tuesday 21st September
- Mrs Baskerville and Miss Lane (Year 3) - Wednesday 23rd September
- Mrs Newman (Year 4) - Friday 24th September
- Mrs Gray (Year 5) - Thursday 23rd September
- Mr Trevett and Mrs Tonkin (Year 6) - Wednesday 15th September

Please form an orderly queue at the school office on the appropriate dates and we will admit you at **3.25pm**. If you are unable to make these dates, your child's class teacher will place any additional presented material onto your child's Google Classroom account and on the school website.

Further term dates will be communicated shortly.

Thank you for your support and co-operation.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'EBY', with a long horizontal flourish underneath.

Mrs Emma Berry
Head teacher