

Head Teacher Message

Dear Parent/Carers

The first two weeks seem to have flown by! The children have settled well into their new classes and are already working really hard. They look smart and ready for learning in their school uniforms, with their PE kits and water bottles at the ready.

Our new Behaviour Policy has resulted in a number of children already having received Bronze, or even Silver Awards for excellent attitudes and behaviour for learning. Our staff will recognise and praise positive behaviours and good manners, and use the warning system to stop low level behaviour which stops learning in class. We will phone you or speak with you if we have concerns.

Thank you to those of you who attended the Curriculum Showcase during the INSET day. We welcomed over 100 people into school to find out about learning, how to help at home, and to look at the new classrooms. I hope even more of you will come and find out about the curriculum during the Stay and Learn sessions.

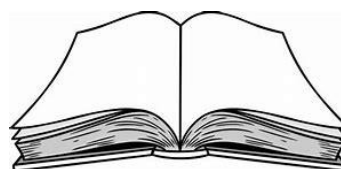
It's a golden evening – I wish you an enjoyable weekend.

Ms J Bromley
Principal

Upcoming Diary Dates:

10 th Sept	Y6 WW1 workshop
16 th Sept	Y5 Anglo Saxon Workshop
18 th /19 th Sept	Y2 Trip to Bolsover Castle
17 th Sept	Y4 Roman Workshop
18 th -20 th Sept	Y6 residential's at The Mill Adventure Base
23 th Sept	Stay and Learn F2 Classes 1,2,3
24 th Sept	Stay and Learn: Year 1 and Year 6 classes
25 th Sept	Stay and Learn: Year 2 and Year 5 classes
26 th Sept	Stay and Learn: Year 3 classes
27 th Sept	Stay and Learn: Year 4 Classes
1 st -3 rd Oct	Y5 London Residential
4 th Oct	Y2 SATs parent workshop
8 th /9 th Oct	SEN meetings
11 th Oct	Y6 SATs parent workshop
15 th Oct	Open Afternoon
16 th Oct	Parent's Evening

Stay and Learn sessions will run from 8:45am until 10:15am. Come to class and join in with curriculum activities to find out how the children are learning within exciting topic sessions.



We are finding quite a lot of waste from packed lunches on the floor in the dining room. Please ask your child to put anything that they do not eat, along with any wrappers, in their lunchbox. This will help you keep track of how much and what they are eating!



We have a whole school focus on improving reading this year, so are grateful for any help you give your child with encouraging short periods of daily reading. Being a good reader helps with all subjects and makes sure children can gather new knowledge in science, history and geography, as well as understand problem solving in maths.

There will be reading workshops for parents in the hall during Open Evening on 16th October.