Kirkby Church of England Primary School

"Building on a tradition of achievement and values in a caring environment"

15th July 2020

Dear Parents,

When your children return on Thursday 3rd September things will obviously be a little different from when they left in March. To allay some of their possible worries over the summer holidays we have decided that they will initially return to their old class teacher who will settle them in to school and its new safety rules and routines and then will take them through to their new teacher.

Your child in September will be moving up from Year 2 to Year 3. There are two Year 3 classes. 1 class of 26 Yr 3 children, and 1 class of 22 mixed Year 3 and 4 children. Both classes benefit from having a teacher and a teaching assistant, which reduces adult/pupil ratios and best lets us meet the individual needs of every child. Mrs Williams is Class 4's teacher and the teaching assistant is Miss White.

CLASS 4: BARNETT MIKEY , CLARK ISABELLA , DONNELLY JASMINE , DONNELLY ZACK , EDWARDS CHARLIE , EDWARDS EVIE , ELLIS ROBYN , FOTHERGILL LOTTIE , GILLON JESSICA , HARRISON ALEX , HARRISON FRANKIE, KAVANAGH GINO, MARR-DEAKIN DAYVIE-JOE , MEDLOCK HARVEY , REDDINGTON JULIAN, REYNOLDS MYLES , ROWE ALFIE , SUTTON SKYE , WILSON MIKEY , WOOLHOUSE ALYCIA , YOUDS MATTHEW , COGGINS JADA

The children will continue to see their other Year 3 friends at break and lunchtime, as we will be operating Year group bubbles: reducing risk of coronavirus infection by reducing the number of children they play with. Some other arrangements for September are as follows:

1. The classroom doors will be open from 8.40am-9am to allow a steady stream of children arriving at school rather than a lot of congestion. Children no longer wait on the playground, they should arrive and go directly in to class, where their temperature will be taken. Parents should follow the one-way system and leave the grounds immediately, avoiding congesting the entrances and exits.

2. Classes have been given a colour, which will be displayed on the classroom door. Class 4's colour is ORANGE, so please look for the ORANGE door when you collect your child.

3. Children should be collected between 3pm and 3.20pm, again allowing parents to stagger the times when they come, to avoid congestion.

4. Unfortunately, we are not able to provide our breakfast and after school facilities in September as we are limited for space and it would mean children mixing from different bubbles and further increasing the risk of infection. This will be reviewed regularly and we are hoping to be able to offer some provision after October half term.

   We will be sending out a short film in the summer holidays, nearer to the new term to show you how to access school and what to expect in September. In the meantime, thank you for your continued support, in what has been the most difficult of times. Enjoy some quality family time during the holidays and we look forward to seeing you all in September.

   Stay safe and well.

   Kind regards,

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