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Dear Parents/Carers,

As the academic year comes to a close, I have couple of important messages for families returning in September.

School Hours for September 2023

School will reopen to pupils on Wednesday 6t^h September 2023. We will continue with slightly staggered starts to allow those parents, with children in different key stages, to drop off and pick up in each playground, where applicable. The school hours from September 2023 will be as follows:

EYFS and KS1 SCHOOL HOURS

8:55 a.m. to 12.00 noon Registration 8:55-9:05am 12 noon- 1.00 p.m. lunch 1:00p.m. to 3:25 p.m. Registration 1:00-1:05pm

6 hours 30 minutes daily.

KS2 SCHOOL HOURS

8:45 a.m. to 12.00 noon Registration 8:45-8:55am 12 noon- 1.00 p.m. lunch 1.00 p.m. to 3:15 p.m. Registration 1:00-1:05pm

6 hours 30 minutes daily.

Please be on time - but better late than never. Try not to have the children waiting in the playground too early, especially in cold or wet weather; five minutes before school begins is early enough. **KS2 children should not arrive before 8:40am.**

School Meals

Please find attached a copy of the Autumn 2023 menu. Also, the price of a school meal will increase to £3.20 from 1st September 2023.

Messy Summer

Please find attached a 'Messy Summer' flyer from St Nicholas' Church.

And finally...

May I take this opportunity to thank you all for your support and encouragement over the past twelve months.

I wish all that are leaving us every happiness for the future- I hope you remember your time with us fondly.

A special thank you and goodbye to Mrs Abbott after 17 years of dedicated service to our school. As I said in assembly this morning, Mrs Abbott has taught many of the children in our school. As a teacher, she manages to maintain a perfect balance of friendliness, care, fun and focus. She is enthusiastic, passionate, inspiring but relentless in ensuring all children achieve their best. She has such a thoughtful personality that makes 'everybody feel like somebody.'

Mrs Abbott has made a significant contribution to many aspects of our school and over the years, through many projects, has inspired and challenged us to take care of the world in which we live. She will be very much missed. We wish her every success and happiness (and a little more relaxation) in the weeks and months to come.

A little reminder that we are still open on Monday and Tuesday of next week! However, when it does arrive, I hope you all enjoy a restful summer break with family and friends.

With very best wishes,

Caroline Hancy Headteacher

Attached

Autumn Term Menu