



Friday 20th September

Dear Parents,

We have had a fantastic start to our new year! The children have come back ready and raring to go. We have jumped straight back into our learning and there is already a buzz around school. I am excited for the term ahead!

I'd like to extend a warm welcome to all of the new families that have joined us this term. Along with our new Reception children, we have welcomed new children into years 1, 2, 3 and 6. We are pleased they have joined us and look forward to them being part of our school.

I would also like to formally welcome Mrs Rachael Blanch to our staff. She is our new teacher in Dragonfly Class (Y2/3) and is already doing a fantastic job.

For more information about our fantastic school, be sure to visit our school website at www.brimscombe.gloucs.sch.uk.

Mrs. Brown
Headteacher

Sports Leaders/Team Captains

Last week, Y6 were set the challenge of applying for the positions of sports leaders or team captains.

When it came to team captains, I am pleased to announce that Poppy, Scarlett and Rosie are this year's team captains. Congratulations!

Second-hand uniform

There are two ways to get hold of second-hand uniform.

- 1) Look out for morning/end-of-day sales at the front of school, all for a small donation (coming soon!)
- 2) If you can't make morning/end-of-day sales, you can order it by through this link bit.ly/BrimscombeUniform (which can be typed into a search engine) and it will be given to your child to bring home during the following week or so.

Reading Celebration Morning

Earlier this week, we enjoyed a celebration of reading!

Children brought in their favourite books and tried to guess which members of staff were hiding behind their favourite books!

We also took part in 'buddy reading' across the year groups, art linked to reading and also trying to persuade each other that our book was the best!

Seesaw

Your child should have come home with a letter which contained information on how to sign into Seesaw.

Seesaw is an app which allows you to see a digital portfolio of your child's work alongside photos of what they've been getting up to.

Teachers will also set homework on Seesaw in the coming weeks so please login regularly.

Good to be Green!

We have embarked on a new behaviour system. It encourages children to make good choices and allows them time for reflection when they don't.

Please look out for more detailed information about how the system works alongside this newsletter.

Children have been moving through to bronze, silver and we even had 4 gold certificates for behaviour last week.

Brilliant effort everyone!

Data Collection

Just a reminder to complete the data collection and parental consent forms that have been sent out. It's really important that we have accurate information for your child so we can continue to keep them safe.



KEY DATES

SEPTEMBER

Wed 25th KS2 Football Competition. Old Ends Lane, Stonehouse 9am-1:30pm.

October

Tues 1st Flu Nasal Vaccines (in school)
Wed 2nd KS2 Girls Football Competition. Old Ends Lane, Stonehouse 9am-12:30pm.
Fri 4th KS1 Football Festival. Archway School 9am-12pm
Mon 14th - Fri 18th Assessment Week
Thurs 17th School Disco (FOBS)
Fri 18th Non-uniform day for FOBS and 'Wear it Pink!' Breast Cancer Now charity
Tues 22nd Lower KS2 Netball Competition. Wycliffe College, 9am-1:30pm.
Wed 23rd Upper KS2 Netball Competition. Wycliffe College, 9am-1:30pm.
Open afternoon 1:15pm-3:00pm
Thurs 24th Kingfisher trip to 'We the Curious' in Bristol. More info to follow.
Fri 25th School photos (am), Class celebrations (pm)
Last day of term

November

Mon 4th Back to school
Thurs 7th FOBS Bingo Night (more info to follow)
Fri 15th KS2 Development Football Festival. Old Ends Lane, Stonehouse 9am-12:30pm.
Wed 20th Open Day. 9:00-3:00pm
Wed 27th Parents Evening 1. 3:30pm-6:00pm
Thurs 28th KS2 Boccia Competition. Archway School, 9am-11am.
Thurs 28th Parents Evening 2. 4:00pm-6:30pm
Fri 29th KS1 Endball. Archway School, 9am-11:30am.

December

Tues 10th EYFS/KS1 Nativity 2pm
Wed 11th EYFS/KS1 Nativity 6pm
Wed 18th Rocksteady Concert 9:30am
Thurs 19th Carol Service at Holy Trinity Church, Brimscombe. TBC.
Fri 20th Class celebrations
Last day of term.

January

Mon 6th INSET day
Tues 7th Term 3 starts.

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