# BUSHFIELD ROAD INFANT SCHOOL NEWSLETTER - SEPTEMBER 2025

We would like to give a warm welcome back to all children and families, including those who have started their first half term in our school.

Please see below relevant information.

#### NEW CARETAKER

We would like to give a warm welcome to our new caretaker, Mr Jones who you may see in and around our school.

#### MEET THE TEACHER

We would like to invite you to our 'Meet the teacher' event which will take place at 2.45pm on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September in your child's classroom. This will be an opportunity to find out a little bit more about your child's new class and teacher. Further information will be provided at the meeting.

#### EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

It is important that we hold up to date parental and emergency contact information for all children in case of an emergency. Please ensure that you contact the school if you have changed address/telephone numbers etc.

# CHILDREN'S ENTRANCE INTO SCHOOL

Please ensure that when you bring your child into school you walk in via the playground route and wait outside your child's classroom until the doors open at 8.45am. If you need to visit the school office please enter via the playground. Please do not use the car park entrance. Thank you.

#### LABELLING

Please ensure <u>all</u> items are clearly labelled including clothing, coats, water bottles and lunch boxes.

#### PE DAYS

On PE days please ensure your child comes to school dressed in their PE kit.

Your child's PE days are as follows;

Hedgehog Miss Sharp - Thursday

Kingfisher Miss Miller - Tuesday (Year 1 only) and

Wednesday (Reception & Year 1)

Owl Mrs Drayton - Tuesday and Friday
Swan Miss Buccieri/Miss Brown - Tuesday and Friday
Kestrel Mrs Dickens - Tuesday and Thursday

#### PACKED LUNCHES

If children are bringing their own packed lunches to school, then parents are encouraged to ensure that they contain a variety of foods and limit items high in sugar and fat. Fizzy drinks, sweets and chocolate bars are not to be brought in school packed lunches.

As a nut free school, no nuts or foods containing nuts are to be brought into school. Fruits such as grapes and tomatoes should be cut appropriately. Packed lunches should be brought in an appropriate <u>named lunch box</u> and are stored on the lunch trolleys in the hall.

# AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

We are hoping to start some after School Clubs for Year 1 and Year 2 children. Please look out for further information.

# OUTDOOR CLOTHING

Please can you make sure that your child has a suitable coat in school every day for outdoor play.

# PARENTAL/ADULT RESPONSIBILITY

Please can parents/adults be aware that it is their responsibility to supervise their children on the playground in the morning before school is opened at 8.45am and at the end of the school day when the children are collected.

We would be grateful if children stay off the grass, the activity trail, garden areas and please make sure children do not climb over the mushrooms and daisy table. Please help by encouraging them to play sensibly whilst waiting to come into school. Thank you for your co-operation.

# PARKING

Please be respectful when parking outside resident's properties or within the 'No Parking' zone around school. Please do not park vehicles on the corners of roads around school as this is proving to be dangerous, and can cause problems for emergency services.

# TERM DATES

Term dates and diary dates for the school year are available to view on the school website www.bushfieldinfants.co.uk/parentscarers/term-dates/