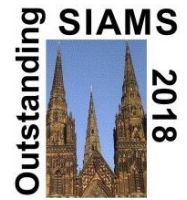




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ALL SAINTS C.E. (V.C.) FIRST SCHOOL & BUSY BEES PRE-SCHOOL

Headteacher: Mrs V. A Bradley

Tuesday, 03 September 2024

Dear Parents

'Welcome' or 'Welcome Back' to a new school year!

I hope that this letter finds you well and that you have enjoyed your summer break with your family.

Mrs Bradley

As you are aware, from your letter from Mrs Hall, Mrs Bradley will be absent from school for some time. I am sure you will all join myself and the staff in wishing her well with her recovery. We have a wonderful team of staff in school who will be working hard to ensure that things run as smoothly as possible in her absence. I just wanted to take this opportunity to thank you in advance for your support and understanding, as we adjust to her absence and the changes in staffing over the next few weeks.

Mr Elliott-Hancock

Congratulations to Mr Elliott who got married in the holidays and will now be adopting his new name, Mr Elliott-Hancock.

Building Work

During the holidays, some building work has been taking place in school. The work will provide a new cloakroom and toilet area which will be used by Rowan Class, and the children attending the before and after school clubs. We were expecting this to be completed during the holidays. Unfortunately, the work has been delayed slightly. This means that for the first few weeks of term, the children in Rowan Class will need to use some temporary toilets. They have been located on the playground and the children will be supervised when using them.

Start and End of the Day Arrangements

As a result of the building work, we need to make a **temporary** change to our drop off and pick up arrangements. Please can I ask that **only** Early Years children are dropped off at the Busy Bee (side) gate. **All** children in Oak and Rowan should be dropped off and collected from the main gate. Both gates will be open from 8.45am in the morning and will close at 8.55am. At the end of the day, the children should be collected from the same gate at 3.30pm.

Breakfast Club and Kingfisher Clubs

Whilst the building work is taking place, both Breakfast Club and Kingfisher Club will take place in the hall. Please drop off and collect your child from the library doors. Breakfast Club opens at 8.00am and Kingfisher Club closes at 5.30pm.

A list of the different clubs on offer will be sent out at the end of next week. In the meantime, the children will have the opportunity to play with their friends and settle back in. Both clubs can be used whenever you need them. However, it is always helpful when organising staffing, if you book your child in for the clubs in advance.

Diary Dates

A list of our *provisional* diary dates for this year will be sent out in the next couple of weeks. As always, please bear in mind that they may change but we will do our very best to give as much notice as possible if they do.

School Money

Please ensure that credit is added weekly throughout the year as school meals (Rowan & Busy Bees) and/or Kingfisher club sessions cannot be offered if there is no credit on your child's account. You will receive an email each Friday afternoon reminding you to add credit for the forthcoming week. Meals, Clubs and other additional items should be paid for in advance.

Toast & Milk

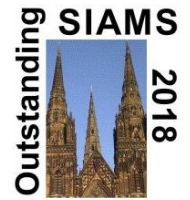
Toast and Milk will be available again from Monday 9th September until Thursday 24th October 2024. Please note that this is for **Reception, Oak and Rowan pupils only** and that children under 5 are provided with free milk. Please click on the link if you wish your child to have toast and/or milk (**deadline: Friday 6th September @ 9.00am**): <https://forms.office.com/e/dt7zBCMTQC>. If you have more than one child in school, please complete a separate form for each child. Payments will be processed through School Money.



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Lunch Menu

Please see attached the lunch menus.

Clothing

Can I please make a plea for as many items of clothing and footwear as possible to be named. It is much easier for the children to keep track of their cardigans and jumpers etc if they are named.

Website

Please do keep an eye on the school website. Each class has their own page and this is where you will be able to find homework and our Parent Information Leaflets about the term ahead.

PE & Forest School Days - Autumn A

When children have PE and Forest School, they should come to school wearing the correct kit. Please see below for the days when your child will be doing PE and Forest School this half term. PE will be starting tomorrow for all classes. Rowan Class will be having their Forest School sessions after October half-term. Additional Information about this can be found in the Parent Information Leaflets on the school website.

Class	PE	Forest School
EYFS	Thursday	Tuesday
Oak	Thursday	Monday
Rowan	Thursday & Friday	

If you need to contact me, please use the following email address: headteacher@allsaints-standon.staffs.sch.uk

We are all looking forward to the term ahead and welcoming the children back to school tomorrow.

Kind regards,
Mrs Devenport