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Welcome back to the start of our new school year! It's great to see everyone back safe and well. We are keen to spend the first few days getting everyone settled into their new classes, and please remember that staff are available in the mornings for you to talk to if you have any questions or concerns.

Estyn Report - our Estyn report was published early August. It is available on the school website or on the Estyn website. If you require a paper copy, please contact the school.

Important dates - Please note the dates for various events below, and mark them on your calendars. Further information will follow nearer the dates.

Please find attached an emergency contact form and 'pick up' list. It is vital that our information is up to date, so please could these be returned **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**. To make this easier, we are sending the current information as provided last year (if it is available). You must **CHECK** this is still accurate, make any amendments that are required and return the form.

*****Please remember to activate your **ParentPay account** if you have not already done so - this will be used for school uniform and trips as well as for school dinners. If you have any questions, please ask Mrs Hughes in the office.

We look forward to working closely with you this year. Thank you, Mrs R Owen

ATTENDANCE

We continue to expect good levels of attendance from all pupils. The start of the year is a good opportunity to aim for above 95%.

If you do need to request permission for authorised absences, please ask for the appropriate form from the office, and return it 28 days before the dates required. Thank you

Healthy Schools

Snacks that are sent in should be fresh fruit and vegetables only. Please ensure items such as grapes are sliced lengthwise.

Water bottles should only contain water for during the day. Juice drinks can be sent in with lunchboxes for dinner times.

A dinner menu is available overleaf.

Class Topics

Mrs Gittoes' and Mrs Smout's classes: Ein Byd (Our World)

Mrs Warmington's and Mrs Foulkes' classes: Fire! Fire!

Your child will be taught the literacy, numeracy and digital skills that are suitable for them, whatever class they are in. The curriculum is taught through the themes, and the children practise their skills in a variety of ways in different contexts and activities.



Dates for the Diary....

Thursday 19th September: Information Evening for Parents/Carers

Friday 27th Sept: Macmillan Coffee/Cake fundraiser, from 2pm

Thursday 17th October: 10am Harvest Festival, sponsored event in the afternoon

Friday 25th October: Sparkly Disco

Half Term - Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November

Monday 4th November - NON PUPIL DAY, children return Tuesday 5th November

Friday 15th November - Children in Need fundraiser

Thursday 12th December - Christmas Concerts, 1.45pm and 6.00pm

Wednesday 18th December - Christmas Dinner/Party day

Friday 20th December - Break up

Uniform
Please remember to
put names in all
uniform and PE kit.
New and second hand
uniform is available in
the school office.