

The Value of the Month is Resilience



Newberries Primary School

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Headlines

We hope you and your child are looking forward to returning to school next week! We are very much looking forward to seeing you all and have been working hard to ensure a smooth return for the children.

School staff have spent the INSET days making the final touches to classrooms and reorganising teaching areas around the school to accommodate more pupils in line with the latest guidance. Alongside this they have attended training regarding our new procedures; safeguarding; future planning and finalising our curriculum for the next two weeks.

We are committed to making wellbeing our utmost priority as we welcome your child back to school, with activities to support them socially and emotionally as we embark on refreshing basic skills and making informal assessments to plan the next stages of learning for them. The first two weeks will also include a whole school art project; outdoor learning activities and plenty of opportunity to reconnect with friends and staff, taking some mindful moments.

The previous six months have been challenging times for us all as we have navigated a world full of unfamiliarity. As your child returns next week we are committed to ensuring they feel safe and secure in a familiar environment where they will be supported on the next part of their learning journey.

Ms Peters & Mrs Traxon (Headteachers)

Reminders for Next Week

In preparation for Monday we would like to give you a few key reminders:

If you have not already done so, please ensure you read the comprehensive guidance sent home during the Summer Holidays. This is reattached for your convenience.

- Please drop off and collect your children promptly at your allocated time, ensuring that families remain socially distanced from each other.
- Here is a reminder of the timings below.

Class	Drop Off	Collection
Reception	9:30am See pupil specific start days	See additional arrangements relating to stagger start
Year 1	9:10am	3:00pm
Year 2	9:10am	3:00pm
Year 3	9:00am	3:20pm
Year 4	8:50am	3:10pm
Year 5	9:00am	3:20pm
Year 6	8:50am	3:10pm

- Ensure you are vigilant to the symptoms of Covid19 and do not enter the site if yourself, child or someone in your family is symptomatic.
- Please leave the site promptly making sure that, for now, contact with the school is via email or telephone.
- Your child only needs to bring in:
 - A water bottles
 - A packed lunch
 - Pupils in KS2 may bring in snacks for break times. Infant pupils will have snacks provided as before.
- Please do not send in a school bag or PE kit. Further details will follow regarding PE days.
- Ensure that you are aware of the relevant quarantine arrangements if you have recently travelled abroad.

Thank you once again for your vigilance and support. We are all looking forward to seeing you on Monday!