



# NEWSLETTER



"Nurturing every little acorn to become a mighty oak!"



## Mrs Burrell's Bulletin

### Welcome back!

It's a short one this week, just to say welcome back and we hope you had a lovely break. The children have impressed us so much, returning full of excitement, enthusiasm and maturity along with some amazing stories... yes, even those ones! A HUGE welcome to all our new children in Foundation Stage. We are beyond impressed with how quickly you have settle and you've even smashed the record for the morning gate close! What a start, this is going to be a great year! We also welcome Ava, Ralph and Ruby, who have joined us across the school and our new staff Miss Bennett, Miss Fugeman, Mr Burley, Mrs Wheeler, Miss Taylor, Miss Kelly and Miss Wilford. I'm sure you'll join me in giving them all a huge White Court Welcome.

I've included our dates for the year as we know how helpful it is to get things in the diary early. We always do our best to keep these dates unchanged, but if a change is unavoidable, we'll give you as much notice as possible. You'll spot lots of parent events too – we love having our families in school, so pop them in your diary and come and enjoy some special time with your children. Finally, just a couple of little reminders to help everything run smoothly. Please stick to the paths at morning drop-off – the field will soon become muddy and we'd love to keep those shiny new school shoes looking shiny for a little longer! A quick reminder too that snack time is fruit and veg only, unless a dietary plan is in place, so fruit winders, cereal bars and similar items need to stay at home. Free fruit and veg is available for all our KS1 children.

I am incredibly proud of our children and staff for such a successful first week. There's been such a lovely buzz around school and it really is great to be back with the children. Have a wonderful weekend! Mrs Burrell



Huge congratulations to Rosie for passing her grade 1 piano exam! We are so proud of her hard work. Well done Rosie!



A HUGE thank you to George and Arthur's nanny for an incredibly generous donation of resources for our Nursery and Foundation Stage children. Miss Bird and Mrs Farren had quite the trip collecting everything – there was far too much to even fit it all in the newsletter! With school budgets always stretched, donations like this make such a difference and we are enormously grateful for her kindness and generosity. The children are already making very good use of their new equipment – thank you so much!