



Fiskerton CE Primary School News

Flourishing together within the love of God

WELCOME BACK

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to welcome everyone back after the summer holidays. It has been a joy to see the children return to school with big smiles, full of stories about their summer adventures. The classrooms and playgrounds have quickly filled with energy, and it has been wonderful to see their enthusiasm and positive attitudes towards their learning.

This term, our school value is **Thankfulness**. Through our collective worship and daily reflections, we will be encouraging the children to think about the many things we can be thankful for—both big and small. We look forward to exploring this value together and seeing how the children put it into practice in their daily lives.

We are also delighted to welcome a new member of staff to our team. **Miss Robinson** has joined us as a Teaching Assistant and will be working with *Hedgehogs* in the morning and *Badgers* in the afternoon. We are excited to have her with us and know she will be a wonderful addition to our school community.

Meet the Teacher Meetings

Meet the Teacher meetings will be held on **Wednesday 10th September** for *Hedgehogs, Squirrels and Badgers*. This is a great opportunity to meet your child's teacher, hear more about the class routines, and find out about the exciting things being planned for the year ahead.

There will be two sessions in each class to allow families with children in more than one year group to attend both:

- Session 1: 3.45–4.05pm
- Session 2: 4.10–4.35pm

There is no meeting for *Rabbits*, as the welcome meeting took place in the Summer Term. However, if you have any questions or queries, please don't hesitate to contact us.

PE Information

- PE days will be **Monday for everyone**, and additionally:
- Wednesday** – Rabbits
- Thursday** – Squirrels and Badgers
- Friday** – Hedgehogs

In *Rabbits*, please send your child with their PE kit on Monday and we will keep these in school as in Rabbits class the children get changed for PE to help support them in developing independence. *Hedgehogs, Squirrels and Badgers* can come to school in their school PE kit on their PE days.

School Uniform

A polite reminder that children should be in the correct school uniform and school shoes not trainers on day that they are not doing PE.

Forest School

We are delighted to announce that Forest School sessions will begin **next week** for all children in *Rabbits* and *Squirrels*. These will take place on **Friday mornings**. Please ensure that your child has a pair of wellies in school and suitable outdoor clothing for the weather, as sessions will take place outside the majority of the time. Hedgehogs and Badgers will start their first Forest School sessions after October Half-Term.

Healthy Snacks

In school, we have nutritional guidance that we have to follow and part of this includes promoting healthy choices including at break-times. Snacks provided for playtime need to be either **fruit, vegetables, or a bread-based snack**. Please see the guidance attached to this newsletter for more details on suitable snack options for breaktimes.

We are excited for the term ahead and all the opportunities it will bring. Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Bradbury

DIARY DATES

September

Wednesday 10th Meet the Teachers—Hedgehogs, Squirrels, Badgers

Session 1—3.45-4.05 Session 2—4.10-4.35

Friday 12th Forest Schools begins for Rabbits and Squirrels

Tuesday 16th Democracy Day—Children will be voting for this years School Councils

Tuesday 23rd Reception Welcome service at Church 9.30am with Rev. Jess

October

Monday 6th NSPCC Kindness Challenge

Friday 10th World Mental Health Day

Monday 13th—Thursday 16th Badgers Bikeability Course

Tuesday 14th & Wednesday 15th Parents Evenings (times TBC)

Wednesday 15th Pupils Individual Photos (siblings not in school from 8.30am)

Friday 17th Harvest Service in Church 9.30am

Tuesday 21st Hedgehogs and Squirrels trip to Lincoln Castle

Thursday 23rd Celebration assembly 9am - Families welcome

Last Day of Term

November

Monday 3rd Term 2 begins