

Newsletter | Friday 4th September 2020 | No. 1

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back!

We trust you have had a happy, safe and enjoyable summer break and that you are getting back into the routines of school. We had two very productive INSET days at the beginning of the week. We covered a significant amount of topics, including both a range of statutory training sessions for areas such as safeguarding and first aid, but also sessions exploring 'The recovery curriculum' and the measures we are putting in place to support the well being of your children as well as the academic priorities moving forward. We have welcomed 10 new staff members; Mr Kelly (Year 5) and Miss Palmer (Year 1) as well as Mrs King, Mrs Quddus, Mrs Roffey, Mrs Saunders, Miss Wharmby, Mrs Robe, Mrs Reading and Mrs Dighton who are all joining the TA team. We really hope they will be happy with us and you will get to know them very quickly I am sure.

As you know, we have had just our KS 2 children here this week and it has been absolutely wonderful to welcome them back. They have settled into their new classes very well. We have also welcomed some of our new Reception children this afternoon for their first 'stay and play'.



Yr 3 'It's brilliant to be back!'

Yr 4 'This morning I felt nervous but now I feel fine.'



Yr 5 'It's been fun and interesting!'

Yr6 'It's great to see all my friends!'



We are looking forward to our Year 1 and Year 2s joining us on Monday.

Thank you to everyone for coming into school promptly and ensuring that our staggered drop off/pick up can work smoothly. As more classes return on Monday it is really essential that you keep to these time in order to keep everyone safe. Please remember not to dwell in the lane, keep 2 m distance between each family group and to park as far from school as you can, and then walk in. Enquire via e mail to the office about a parking permit for Sainsbury's car park as this avoids the need to come into St Paul's Road West at all. The Safer Routes team have attached a reminder about where you can park. The safe zone and the staff car park can not be used by parents.

Wishing you a restful weekend

Mrs. A. Alden

- A reminder that if you have more than one child in school, you should follow the **youngest sibling's timetable** for start times and end of day.
- As we will be welcoming the whole school back on Monday, we would appreciate it if you arrived promptly in the lane and left once you have collected the children so that we are all able to observe social distancing.

Many thanks for your understanding.



If your child needs an inhaler in school, please make sure it has been handed in to their teacher. If you took your child's EpiPen home over the summer please remember to return it to the school office. Thank you.

PE Timetable

On the days that your child has PE we are asking for them to come into school in PE kit for the whole day. This needs to be blue shorts, St Paul's white PE top, their St Paul's sweatshirt (or cardigan) and a pair of plain navy joggers.

	PE	
Yr1	Wednesday	Friday
Yr2	Thursday	Friday
Yr3	Monday	Thursday
Yr4	Tuesday	Wednesday
Yr5	Tuesday	Wednesday
Yr6	Monday	Thursday

