



16 September 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome Evenings 2021

We are deeply mindful that over the past two years due to COVID restrictions we have not been able to physically open our doors and invite you into school. This has been a real negative for us, as we pride ourselves on working closely with our families and have really missed the opportunity to be face to face with you all. We are delighted to now be in a position to begin to think about the year ahead and how we can resume some more face to face opportunities, workshops and information evenings.

Despite, restrictions being eased, as I am sure you understand we want to still err on the side of caution and do all we can to keep everybody in our community as safe as possible. Therefore, with every event in school we will be looking at how we can continue with the event, in the safest way possible and may need to offer alternatives or introduce further restrictions or processes to reduce as much risk to all as possible. We thank you in advance for your co-operation with this.

We would like to invite you a 'Welcome Evening' for your child's year group. These evenings will be held in the school hall and will be an opportunity for you to come into school, meet the Senior Leadership Team, your child's class teacher, find out about the year ahead and how you can help at home. Please note there are no fixed appointments as this is an information evening. There will be an opportunity to ask questions and your child's class teacher will be available briefly should you want to ask individual questions.

Monday 27 September

Year 1: 5pm- 6pm

Year 2: 6:15pm-7:15pm

Tuesday 28 September

Year 3: 5pm- 6pm

Year 4 – 6:15pm- 7:15pm

Wednesday 29 September

Reception: 5pm-6 pm

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In order to ensure these evenings, run safely and smoothly for all, we are asking that **only one adult per a child attends**. I am sure you understand that this is not our usual practice, however as mentioned above in order to continue with these events we want to ensure we make them as safe as possible for all involved. We also understand that as we continue to adjust to easing of restrictions, some may not feel comfortable meeting face to face and would prefer an alternative. Therefore, all information will be uploaded to the school website and there will be an opportunity to ask questions via an online platform after the evening.

As always, we believe regular communication between home and school is vital and through our open-door policy we would always encourage parents to be in contact with us as soon as they have any concerns and not wait until there is a parent evening before they feel they can meet with teachers.

As always, if you have any questions please do get in contact.

Best wishes

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Rebecca Wood', with a horizontal line underneath.

Rebecca Wood
Head of School