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Date: 23rd June 2023

Dear Parents and Carers.

Reception Intake September 2023

It was lovely for myself and Mrs Langmead to meet many of the children, parents and carers this week and we are very much looking forward to welcoming them into the school community.

Federation

Governors and Senior Leaders enjoyed meeting the twelve parents and carers that attended the series of class meetings during the course of the week.

Sonopera Project, Let's Play! - Year Two

The children thoroughly enjoyed participating in the music workshop. They sang songs and played singing games with Kip and Elfyn from the Sonopera Project.





Arrangements for September 2023

We are looking forward to welcoming Mr Kevin Fry, Miss Vicki Phillips and Mrs Freya Ottaway to our teaching team. Mr Fry will join as a Deputy Headteacher alongside Mrs Langmead. Miss Phillips will be joining the reception team and Mrs Ottaway will be joining the Year Two team. Miss Stringer will be returning after a successful year at Goodleigh.

Reception - Jellyfish, Starfish and Turtles

Miss Stringer will teach Jellyfish Class, Miss Chugg will teach Turtles Class and Mrs Marinaro and Miss Phillips will teach Starfish Class.

Year One - Elephants and Lions

Mrs Langmead will teach Elephants Class and we are currently in the process of recruiting a class teacher to join Mrs Langmead. Mrs Bannister will teach Lions Class.

Year Two - Woodpeckers, Swans and Kingfishers

Mr Fry and Mrs Troth will teach Woodpeckers Class, Mrs Newland will teach Swans Class and Mrs Ottaway will teach Kingfishers Class.

Tunnels Beaches Visit - Reception and Year One

Please can you ensure that your child has suitable clothing and footwear. The children will leave and return during the school day. A school packed lunch will be provided.

Monday 3rd July - Turtles, Jellyfish, Seahorses and Dolphins

Tuesday 4th July - Starfish

Sports Day

Kingfishers, Swans and Woodpeckers - Thursday 6^{th} July at 1.45pm. Reserve day on Thursday 13th July at 1.45pm.

Dolphins, Jellyfish, Seahorses, Starfish and Turtles - Wednesday 12th July 2023 at 1.45 pm. Reserve day on Wednesday 19th July at 1.45pm.

Parents and carers are welcome to attend sports day and should make their way to the bottom playground. The school gates will open five minutes before sports day begins.

Nursery Places

There are places available in the Nursery for September. Application forms are available from the School office.

Kind regards,

Claire Grant

Executive Headteacher

Diary Dates

| Monday 3 rd July and Tuesday 4 th | Tunnels Beach, Reception and Year One |
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| July 2023 | |
| Tuesday 4 th July 2023 | Library Summer Reading Challenge Assembly - Whole School |
| Thursday 6 th July 2023 | Year 2 Sports Day at 1.45pm |
| | (Reserve day Thursday 13 th July at 1.45pm) |
| Monday 10 th July – Friday 14 th | Parent/Carer consultations |
| July 2023 | |
| Tuesday 11 th July 2023 | Essex Dance at the Landmark Theatre - Whole School |
| Wednesday 12 th July 2023 | Reception and Year One Sports Day at 1.45pm |
| | (Reserve day Wednesday 19 th July at 1.45pm) |
| Tuesday 18 th July 2023 | 'Summer Sounds' Music Session at the Academy - Year 2 |
| Thursday 20 th July 2023 | Year Two Leavers' Assemblies |
| | Kingfishers - 9.15 am |
| | Swans - 11.00 am |
| | Woodpeckers - 1.30 pm |
| Friday 21st July 2023 | Last day of Summer Term |



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