



Bramley Church of England Primary

Dear Parents and Carers,

A warm welcome back to all our pupils, parents, and staff! I hope you've all had a wonderful summer break, filled with fun and relaxation. It's been fantastic to see our school corridors buzzing with excitement once again as we start another year of learning and growth together.

As we begin this academic year, I'd like to take a moment to express my gratitude to several key members of our school community. Firstly, a big thank you to our dedicated teachers and Learning Support Partners for their hard work in preparing the classrooms and learning environments. Their efforts ensure that our pupils have engaging and stimulating spaces for our children to flourish in.

I'd also like to extend my appreciation to Mr Toumi, our Site Manager, for his tireless work over the summer. His dedication to maintaining and improving our school facilities is invaluable and very much appreciated. In addition, the Office Team deserves special recognition for their hard work behind the scenes. They've been busy updating registrations, implementing new systems, and managing countless other tasks that keep our school running smoothly.

I'm delighted to share that our pupils have settled back into their routines remarkably well. The school has been alive with smiles and an eagerness to learn, which is truly heartening to see. It's a testament to the resilience and adaptability of our young learners, and I couldn't be prouder of how they've embraced the new term, new class and new teacher.

Today we welcomed the latest additions to the Bramley School Family when our new Yr R children joined us for their half day taster sessions. The home visits have gone very well, both the children and the parents have been really brave in taking their first steps into primary school life. I very much look forward to watching them grow and develop as they journey through the school.

We have also welcomed a number of new pupils from year 1 to Year 6 to our school who have either moved into the area or have relocated from other schools as well as some new adults who have joined the team, Miss Sabre has joined the LSP team in Year 2 and Mrs Jones is supporting children in Year 5 and Year 3. They have all done remarkably well and settled very quickly into the Bramley way of doing things.

Meet the Teachers

Looking ahead, I'd like to invite all parents to our upcoming 'Meet the Teacher' sessions. These meetings provide an excellent opportunity for you to connect with your child's teacher, understand the year ahead, and ask any questions you may have. We value your involvement in your child's education and look forward to seeing you there.

The meetings will be held in the named classroom below, if you need your child 'occupied' during this time they can be supervised by a member of staff in the neighbouring classroom. Meetings should last approximately 30mins.

Year 1 and Year 2 – Thursday 12th Sept at 3:30pm in Dahl class

Year 3 and Year 4 - Monday 19th Sept at 3:30pm in Cowell class

Year 5 and Year 6 - Tuesday 17th Sept at 3:30pm in Rundell class

If you are unable to make it, the presentation will be available on our school website following the meeting.

Learning Overviews and diary dates will be sent out next week. These resources will help you support your child's learning journey throughout the year.

We are here to help

Finally, I would like to remind you that we operate an open door policy here at Bramley C of E Primary School, as we very much value the relationship we have with our parents. Despite this, can I ask that try to avoid lengthy conversations with teachers on the classroom door in the morning please? Our priority at this point in the day is to ensure that we welcome the children into school so they feel confident and settled.

If you ever have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to pop in to the office, give us a call or email the school office on adminoffice@bramley.hants.sch.uk and they will get back to you. Speaking to your child's class teacher would always be your first port of call as they will know the answers to most questions, again by emailing the office and asking for a call back is great as catching them on the door can be very busy when they are trying to start the day with the children. Through my experiences as a parent myself, I find WhatsApp groups tend to misinterpret some information. By speaking to us directly, we can solve problems much quicker.

I hope you all have a restful weekend and very much look forward to seeing you all again on Monday. Here's to a fantastic year ahead at Bramley C of E Primary School!

Kindest regards



Mr Steve Moore
Executive Head of School