



St Benedict's Primary School

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18th April 2023

Dear parents and carers,

I am delighted to have been appointed as the new Headteacher at St. Benedict's Primary and I am very much looking forward to getting to know our children, parents and staff further in my new role. St. Benedict's was recently judged as a 'Good' school by Ofsted and comments made by inspectors very much summed up what an amazing school it is. What a privilege it is for me to now lead this school!

I have been a teacher and school leader in Birmingham schools for over 20 years and from my experience, I know that a successful and happy school depends on us all working together. As parents and carers, you make an important contribution to your children's achievements, and I am excited to build on the relationship between us. On **Thursday 20th and 27th April at 8:50 am**, I will be holding an **informal drop-in session** in the Meeting Room, next to the main office. I would love to hear your views: What do you like about our school? What can we do to improve it further? Please pop along and share your ideas with me.

You will be aware that I joined the school as Deputy Headteacher in September 2022, so I already know the school and local community. I have been working with staff on developing our curriculum and some changes are being launched this term. On **Wednesday 19th April**, I would like to invite you to a short **Curriculum Meeting** to discuss these updates, so you have a better understanding of the lessons we are teaching in school. Come along to the main office for 8:50am after dropping your children off to their classes.

I am at the main school office entrance at the start and end of every day if you wish to say hello, or come along to one of the sessions mentioned in this letter.

I look forward to continuing to work with you in the future.

Yours sincerely,

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Mrs Emma Nott
Headteacher



Diary Dates Summer 2023

* Parents/ carers are invited in for events marked *

17th April **Inset Day – School closed**
 18th April Pupils return 8:45am
 19th April * Curriculum Parent Meeting* 8:50am
 20th April * Parent drop-in with Mrs Nott* 8:50am
 24th April * Eid Festival Arts Workshop* YRec,1,2 8:50am, Y4-6 2:10pm (Celebration clothes)
 24th April **ATTENDANCE WEEK**
 26th April * Year 6 Family Maths Workshop* 8:50am
 27th April *Parent drop-in with Mrs Nott* 8:50am

1st May **Bank Holiday – School closed**
 4th May * Year 5 Family Maths Workshop* 8:50am
 5th May Coronation Day Celebration (Wear red, white and blue)
 8th May **Bank holiday – School closed**
 17th May *Year 4 Family Maths Workshop* 8:50am
 18th May Year 6 Trip to Safari Park
 23rd May Inclusion Hub Trip to Black Country Museum
 24th May *Year 4 Performance Assembly* 8:50am
 29th May **Half Term Holiday – School Closed**

5th June **Inset Day – School closed**
 6th June Pupils return 8:45am
 6th June Year 6 Police Workshop (Drugs)
 7th June * Year 3 and Inclusion Hub Family Maths Workshop* 8:50am
 8/9th June E-safety Workshops
 12th June **ATTENDANCE WEEK**
 12th June *Police Workshop for all parents (local crime issues)* 8:40am
 13th June * New Reception Parents Induction Meeting* 8:50am
 14th June Reception trip to Cannon Hill Park
 15th June Year 6 Police Workshop (Knife crime)
 15th/16th June Year 3 Trips to Sarehole Mill
 19th June Sports and Health Week
 21st June * Inclusion Hub Performance Assembly* 8:50am
 22nd June * Year 2 Family Maths Workshop* 8:50am
 27th June Year 2 trip to Atwell Farm
 28th June *Year 1 and Reception Family Maths Workshop* 8:50am
 29th June *Year 1 Performance Assembly* 8:50am

5th July Transition Day Y6 at secondary schools and all children meet new teachers
 12th July Transition session – second session with new teachers.
 10th/12th July * Parent Meetings* 3:30 – 4:30pm
 13th July Year 6 Trip to the seaside
 18th July * Year 2 Performance Assembly* 8:50am
 19th July * Parents meet new teachers* 3:30-4:30pm
 24th July * Mela* (Summer family celebration of music, food and culture) 2 –3:30pm
 25th July * Year 6 Performance Assembly* 8:50am
 25th July Term Ends 1pm
 26th July **Summer Holiday – School Closed**



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