



Benwick Primary School

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Reception new parents meeting Wednesday 23rd June - Zoom

Dear Parents & Carers,

I am writing to finalise arrangements for the New Reception Parents Meeting on Wednesday 23rd June; due to the current Covid restrictions being extended, we will now need to conduct this via zoom. We did it this way last year and it seemed to work well, so we have no concerns, although it would have been nice to meet you all in person! If you have not used Zoom before and have any queries about how to access this, please do call the school office.

Meeting link:

Link now expired.

Summer Term Transition:

We will explain our transition plans during the meeting, however the outline of this is:

- Class staff will meet any children attending Flutterbies at the Flutterbies setting (TBA)
- Class staff will liaise with pre-school settings ahead of September
- Tuesday 13th July – New Reception children are invited to a ‘Stay and Play’ session in our outdoor area at 1.45pm-2.45pm. One parent wearing a mask will be able to stay for this session but will not be permitted to enter the building. Please wait in the carpark.
- Tuesday 20th July – New Reception children will be invited to a ‘Stay and Play’ session in our outdoor area at 1.45-2.45pm. One parent wearing a mask will be able to stay for this session but will not be permitted to enter the building. If your child is confident you may leave a contact number with us and leave them with us. Please wait in the carpark.

Autumn Term Transitions:

Week 1 - Week Beginning 30th August:

- ▶ Thursday 2nd September – **afternoon session 1.15-3pm** (this may be outside depending on restrictions - 1 parent only may stay for this session if you wish)
- ▶ Friday 3rd September - Fri Morning until 11:50am (please wait in the carpark for the children to be brought out to you at the end of the morning).

Week 2 - Week beginning 6th September:

- ▶ Monday – Tuesday mornings only until 11:50am
- ▶ Wednesday – Thursday morning and stay for lunch (All Infants receive a free school meals, we encourage children to try these). Children will go home at 1.00pm
- ▶ Friday, children stay all day

Week 3 - Week beginning 13th September:



Children are now all full time.

We will talk this through in more detail at the meeting on 23rd June and you will have an opportunity to ask questions. If you have any questions that need answering before the information evening, please do get in contact via the school office.

Best wishes,

Clare Talbot
Headteacher