

# Newsletter

Welcome back as we start the new academic year 2024-25. We hope that you have enjoyed a wonderful Summer Break with your children and they are prepared for the exciting new year ahead. We also extend a warm welcome to the parents/carers of those children in Year 3 who will be starting their academic journey with us.

As a reminder, for the first few weeks of Autumn term, the kitchen shared with the infant school is being refurbished so whilst this is happening our caterers will be offering a range of cold lunches: rolls, sandwiches, wraps and fruit/ice cream. There will be a choice of fillings - please bear with us as the caterers work on this. We will keep you updated on when the hot food service will resume.

## **Year 6 meeting for parent/carers tomorrow 9am - SATs and Secondary School Transfer**

For those of you that have children in Year 6, there will be a meeting in the school hall on Wednesday 4 September from 9.00 am to 10.00 am to discuss SATS and Secondary Transfer. In relation to your child's transfer to secondary school, Enfield's Education Department is holding a secondary transition event at the IMAX cinema on the A10 on 12th September. This unique event offers parents and students transitioning from primary school, the opportunity to meet and discuss their needs and aspirations with representatives from Enfield's secondary schools and academies. If you are interested in attending, please [click here](#) to see a flyer for more information and how to book a place. Places are limited.

## **Pupil photographs - this Thursday**

The school photographer will be in school on Thursday 5 September and you are reminded that children will need to be in full school uniform and we do not allow jewellery to be worn.

## **Join us for Culture Day - this Friday 8.30-9.45**

This week we will be celebrating our school community and cultures as part of our "Be Proud Week" week. On Friday 6 September, we are having a Culture Day for parents/carers and pupils. We will be embracing the rich diversity and heritage that makes our school community vibrant and unique! You are all invited to wear clothes that are important to your home life and culture. It could be traditional attire, Brownies or Scouts uniforms or the colours of a country's flag. Parents and carers are invited to come into the classrooms to meet the teaching staff and hear about the work pupils have been doing from 8.30-9.45am.

## **Library books going home**

From next Friday 13 September pupils will be taking their library books home every Friday; they need to return them Monday mornings for their daily quiet reading time. Please make sure they have a bag or rucksack to carry them.

## **Curriculum newsletters**

These will be published on 16 September on our website - go to Curriculum - Curriculum newsletters - to find out what your child/ren will be learning this term.

## **Arbor**

You should have all now downloaded the **Arbor App**. It's really important that you have this app as this is the way school will communicate with parents. From September 2024 all payments for clubs and trips will be made on Arbor. **If you do not have the Arbor App you will not be able to sign your child up to any of the after school clubs.**

If you have not yet downloaded the app please [click here](#) to see the step-by-step guide. You should have all received your passwords. New Year 3 parents will also need to download this app if you haven't done so already.