

Dorothy Barley Infant School



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Welcome Back to School!

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the start of a new academic year. We hope that you had a wonderful summer filled with fun, rest, and lots of exciting adventures. It was lovely to welcome our Key Stage One children into their new classes this morning.

Meet the Teacher

Next week, we will host our Meet the Teacher meetings for Year 1 and Year 2. This is an opportunity for families to meet the staff working with their children and find out more about the year ahead, including how you can support your child at home. Please enter the school via the gate on Davington Road.

Year 1 – Wednesday 11th September 8:55am

Year 2 - Wednesday 11th September 2:45pm

Uniform

At Dorothy Barley Infant School, we have high standards regarding school uniform. Please ensure that your child is dressed in full school uniform, including plain black shoes and our school book bag. PE lessons will begin from next week, so please ensure that your child has their PE kit with them in school.

Attendance and Punctuality

School starts at 8:50am and all children must be in school by 9:00am when the doors close. After this time, the pupils are late for their learning. The most intensive lessons often begin first thing in the morning so it is important for all children to be at school on time.

We look forward to working in partnership with you over the academic year. Throughout the year, we will keep you informed about your child's progress and the exciting learning happening in their classroom. If at any point you have any questions about your child's education, please do not hesitate to speak to their class teacher.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs O'Hara Head of School