

Adswood Primary School

Welcome Back!



September 2024

Dear Parents/ Carers.

Welcome back! I hope you have all had a fantastic summer and are ready for the new academic year!

A very warm welcome to all our new families and their children who we look forward to getting to know over the coming weeks.

Your class teams will be sending out messages to you this week detailing PE days, reading book information and other key information you will need.

Uniform

Please ensure that all uniform and coats are clearly labelled. Can I remind you that no jewellery is to be worn (studs only –these will be covered for PE) and can we advise that false nails should not be worn as these can be a hazard. Further uniform information is on our website. Our school policy states black shoes to be worn, these include Air Force Black leather.

Please support the school in adhering to our policy.

Children will only need to bring trainers in for outdoor PE, either to keep in school or take home each week. Over the Autumn Term, I would encourage you to also send in black jogging bottoms and a jumper for your child to wear outside. These can remain in school each term in your child's locker. Please label all items.

Reading Books and Homework

Class teams will be sending out **reading books with a reading record** over the next two weeks after assessments that we would encourage you to complete after you have read with your child. Any additional comments may also be added. The book bag must be returned each day with your child. Reading bags can be purchased from our school office. Please ensure books are in each day.

Homework

Homework will be sent out weekly on a Tuesday. The work will be completed in homework books and we kindly ask you to look after the books and keep them safe at home. More details will be sent out this week. We will start a homework club every Tuesday for year groups Year 3 – Year 6. If your child wishes to attend, please complete the form that will be sent out via seesaw. Numbers will be limited. The club will run from 3.15pm-4pm led by teaching staff. The cost of the club will be £2 per child and will be paid via Parentpay.

Fruit - Healthy Snack Award

We continue to promote a healthy snack award for all classes. We will be sharing this information with the children in the assembly tomorrow. We encourage you to send in only healthy snacks each day with your child. No crisps or chocolate or other unhealthy snacks will be allowed as we know this impacts children's behaviour and learning.

HERO Award – Here, Every day, Ready to Learn on Time

Each Monday we will celebrate the class that have achieved the best attendance the week before. The class will be awarded additional playtime and the HERO monkey will be awarded for them to display in class. We need all children to arrive on time each day between 8.40am-8.50am. We will be closely monitoring those who are regularly late and you may be invited into school for a meeting to discuss concerns. Concerns about punctuality and attendance will be shared with the Education Welfare Officer. If you take family holidays in term time, you may be issued with a fine following Stockport Schools Attendance Policy.

Extra- Curricular Clubs

We will be sending out a list of after school clubs for your child to sign up to if they wish. The cost of the clubs will be £2 per session and will be signed up for on Parentpay which will be available towards the end of this week.

Your class teams are your first point of contact if you require any information that is class based. Please email them or contact them via our seesaw app. If you have any questions or queries please contact our school office or email headteacher@adswood-pri.stockport.sch.uk.

All school policies and school information can be found on our school website – please take time to look. The website is regularly updated with information and dates for next academic year can also be found here.

I will send out the diary planner for the year this week. Look out for any other dates via seesaw that will be added through the year.

Adswood Primary School is at the heart of the community and we will work together to ensure our children are given the lifelong education and love of learning they all deserve.

We look forward to the year ahead with you all.

Best wishes,

Michelle Smart

Headteacher