



BESSEMER NEWS

Friday 14th September 2018

Important dates for your diary for this half term

Tuesday 25th September,
9.15-10.00 Year 1 and 2
parents' meeting (maths)

Monday 1st October, 9.15-
10.00 - Year 3 and 4
parents' meeting (maths)

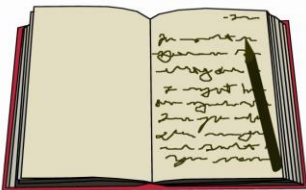
Tuesday 2nd October, 9.15-
10.00 - Year 1 and 2
Parents' meeting (English)

Thursday 4th October,
9.15-10.15 - Reception
parents' meeting (maths)

Friday 5th October, 9.15-
10.00 - Year 5 and 6
parents' meeting (maths)

Tuesday 9th October and
Wednesday 10th October -
Parents' evenings and art
exhibition

Friday 12th October 9.15-
10.15 Early Years
celebration day



Welcome back and welcome to our new style newsletter! This year the members of the leadership team will be taking it in turns to write a weekly newsletter, filling you in on the week's news and reminding you of upcoming events. Please use the comments box in the office to let us know what you think of this new approach. Have a great weekend!

Elizabeth

New Staff

We are very pleased to introduce several new members of staff this year.



Jamie Noble has joined us from Keyworth as a Deputy Head. He is also sharing a Year 6 class with Rebecca Benjamins.

We have six new class teachers; Kate Lewis and Lauren Todd in Year 5, Harry Burn in Year 4, Lydia Saunders and Ella Folkard in Year 3 and Jessica White in Year 2. Juliet Kirk is also now a permanent member of staff and is teaching in Year 1.

We also have some new support staff working across the school; Anna Ferrer, Jennifer Williams, Paula Johnson, Azra Garner and Charlotte Perrin.

Everyone has settled in well and made a great start to the year, and I know they have found the parents and Bessemer community very welcoming.



Road Closure

The road closure trial got off to a good start this week. In order to make it a success and protect the safety of our children please ensure that if you need to drive to school you park away from the school in a marked parking bay and then walk in.

Communication

If you have a concern about your child that you need to discuss, please make an appointment to see your child's class teacher after school. If you feel that it is an issue that needs to be passed to the leadership team please ask to see your child's phase leader. The phase leaders are; Laura Dunphy (Assistant Head, Early Years), Lizzie Clarke (Assistant Head, Years 1 and 2), Rebecca Benjamins (Deputy Head, Years 3 and 4) and Jamie Noble (Deputy Head, Years 5 and 6). If your concern is urgent please let the office know. If the phase leader is out of class they will see you immediately, otherwise Sarah Beard, Lynette Mincher (Deputy Head, Inclusion) or I will be available. You are also very welcome to email your child's phase leader, Lynette or me via the office.