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11<sup>th</sup> July 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,



We have had a very exciting and busy day at Bloxwich Academy Primary as children had the chance to meet their new year group teachers for September. Children had the opportunity to take part in some fun and engaging activities with their fellow class mates, and experience a taste of what the next academic year will have in store for them.

Now that the children have been introduced to their new teachers, we wanted to let you know what we have planned for September. We have been extremely fortunate over the past few months to make a number of exciting appointments to our team, and we will continue to have at least three teachers covering each year group, along with the support of our wonderful Learning Support Assistants. Please find below the names of the teachers who will be assigned to each year group:

Reception: Miss Tiwana, Miss Lloyd & Mrs. Stubbs Year 1: Mrs. Brazier (née Miss Colley), Mr Swift, Miss Ali & Mrs. Gandhi Year 2: Mrs. Watkins, Mrs. Johnson (née Miss Brisband) & Miss Azad Year 3: Mrs. Baxter, Mr. Baugh & Miss Vincent Year 4: Mr. Watters, Miss Fowler & Miss Fegan Year 5: Miss Jones, Mrs. Boswell & Mr. Dick Year 6: Mr. McFarland, Miss Hughes & Mrs. Thistlethwaite

As last year, we will be creating new, smaller class groups for September. Since introducing this system in September 2021 we have seen a positive impact on the learning experience of children, and continue to see this as an opportunity for children to get to know fellow pupils in their year group better, developing their social and emotional understanding. Registration groups are still being created. Once this is finalised, we will send details out to parents/carers.

I would like to take this opportunity to also remind parents of the uniform policy here at Bloxwich Academy Primary. Children are required to wear plain black trousers or skirt, with a white polo neck t-shirt and black shoes. A black cardigan or jumper is also permitted in cold weather. The PE kit is also white and black with plain black pumps (no branding). We strongly recommend that parents write their child's name inside all items of school uniform so that we can reunite any articles with their owner. From September, any lost uniform that does not have a child's name written on the label will be placed in one of three large containers which will be located outside the school office. There will be a different container for each Key Stage and these containers will be emptied every half term with anything not claimed donated to charity.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

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