



CHURCH HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

KS2 Newsletter

Welcome!

Hello all!

I hope this newsletter finds you well and that you have all enjoyed a lovely summer break. As we gear up for an exciting new school year at Church Hill, I wanted to take a moment to extend a warm welcome to each and every one of you. It is always a joy to see familiar faces and to welcome new families into our school community.

This year, we have so many amazing activities and opportunities planned for the KS2 pupils, and we are eager to engage our students in a variety of enriching learning experiences.

As we embark on this journey together, communication between home and school is key. We would like to invite you to our upcoming Meet the Teacher Evening on 11th September, where you will have the opportunity to meet your child's teacher, discuss anything you wish for them to know, and ask any questions you may have. We truly value your input and support, and we hope to build strong partnerships with all of you.

Please remember to encourage your children to participate in learning at home, especially to read at home regularly – it's a wonderful way to support their learning and foster a love for literature. Our school library will be open to them soon and has a fantastic selection of books, and we encourage students to explore new genres and authors.

Just a reminder about the timings of the school day. Pupils have a soft start from 8.30am whereby they can enter their classrooms. Gates will not be open before 8.30 so please bare this in mind when dropping off your children. Gates will close again at 8.45 as this is when learning starts. Breakfast club is available from 8am - 8.30am. At the end of the day, gates will open at 3.15.

Lastly, if you have any concerns or suggestions during the year, please do not hesitate to reach out. We are always here to listen and support your child in their learning journey.

Thank you for your continued support. We are looking forward to a fantastic year filled with learning, laughter, and growth. Let's make this school year the best one yet!

Mr Cooke

KS2 Phase Leader

Key Dates

- There is a Meet the Teacher opportunity on Wednesday 11th September from 3.30 - 4.15. Please come along to see your child's teacher and their classroom!
- After School Clubs will be available to sign up to later this week! Details around this will be shared with you.

Home-School Agreements

Thank you all for your support with the return to school: it was a highly positive week last week and it was lovely to see all of the pupils and families again. Last week, you were given a link via EPrise to our Home-School Agreement on an online Forms. If you haven't already, please can you take a couple of minutes to read and complete. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact your child's class teacher to discuss further.

First Week

As part of our first week in KS2 the children have been creating their new identities as class teams. Each class began with creating a class crest which represents who they are as a collective, the crest contains nods to their hobbies and interests, colours they like and that of their school house and most importantly their team animal mascot. Once this was decided upon they came up with class

motto's and worked as teams to establish the rules and aspirations for their class team for the year ahead.

Below are their crests which will be a key part of all future newsletters as you will hear all the on-goings of each class and all of their achievements.

