



# Redbourn Infant and Nursery School

Newsletter 1 - 8th September 2017

## A New Academic Year!

It's lovely to be back. A warm welcome to all the new children and their families starting school and nursery. I would also like to welcome our new staff – Mrs Borland in Year 2, Mrs Balaceanu in Reception and Mrs Weston in Treetops.

All the staff have worked hard in planning an exciting, full term. Year 1 and Year 2 curriculum newsletters and topic webs will be with you today. Reception and Nursery will receive theirs next Friday.

The children have settled back well and it is delightful to hear their lovely stories of the summer break.

## School Dinners

As food is ordered in advance, we cannot allow children to change between packed lunches and school dinners on an adhoc basis. You need to commit for a whole half term of either. Children who do not have school dinners every day can have Wednesday Roast or Friday Favourites (or both) – but again this should be for a full half term.

**A small reminder - we have some children who are very allergic to nuts so please do not include nuts or nut products in packed lunches as a precaution. Thank you.**



## FORIS

The Year 1 and 2 children have a Film Night coming up on 22<sup>nd</sup> September and information will come out soon.

## Data Sheets

All Year 1 and Year 2 children will bring home their data sheets. As a school we have a legal duty to check these on a yearly basis. Please make any changes necessary and return to school as soon as possible. Thank you.

## Reminders

Please make sure all your children's clothes etc. are named - lost property is already filling up! Your child should bring his/her water bottle to school every day. P.E. kits should be in school every day along with their book bag and wellies.

## Birthday Lunches

A parent/carer is invited to have a lunch with their child on or close to their birthday. These **must** be booked in advance with the school office and the cost is £3.20. Please do not bring your mobile phone.

## Year Group Meetings

These are a great opportunity for you to come into school and find out about the curriculum, routines and expectations of your child's class. They are very informative in helping your child settle into their new year group. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible (this is for adults only) on

### TUESDAY 19<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER

6.30pm Year 2                      7.00pm Year 1  
7.30pm Reception                8.00pm Nursery

## Volunteer Meeting – Thursday 21st September at 2.30pm

If you already do or are interested in volunteering in school please do attend this meeting. It is an informal chance to find out more!

## Other Letters Home this Week

Game on Letter (deadline Monday 9am)  
Data Sheets                      Library Poster  
Curriculum News and Topic Webs for Year 1 & 2.



## Save Old Shoes

As advertised last term, we are collecting old shoes for children around the world who have to go barefoot. They can be children's school shoes or trainers, but they must be clean and in good condition. Please bring them into school in a shoe box with a £1 coin taped inside. The last date to bring them in is Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September.



## Katherine Warington School

Please be aware that Katherine Warington School (the new senior school in Harpenden) has a consultation open which can be accessed on their website <https://kwschool.co.uk>

## WE ARE 50!

On the 2<sup>nd</sup> October Redbourn Infant and Nursery School will be 50 years old!! We will be celebrating with the children during the day and are planning an evening for parents. Please save the date and watch this space.



DATES REMINDER	
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Year 2 Trip - Knebworth
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Year Group Meetings
Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup> Sept	Year 1 Trip – Chiltern Open Air 2.30pm – Volunteer Meeting
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> Sept	Year 1 and 2 Film Night