

NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 2019

Welcome back to a new academic year at Sunnyside Academy.
We hope that you have had a great summer break and are ready for another exciting year ahead!



Uniform:

The pupils look fantastic in their new uniforms. Thank you for your support. Please can you ensure that all of your child's clothing has their name in as we had a great deal of uniform that went "missing" last year. Please ensure that your child has a PE kit that remains in school as pupils may have opportunities to take part in sports activities in addition to PE slots. This includes plimsolls or trainers.

Breakfast Club :

Breakfast club is available each morning from 8am. There is no need to book in advance. Pupils can be admitted each day through the main office area. Payment is £1.50 each day. This can be paid through Parent Pay or cash. It includes a range of cereals, yoghurts, toast, crumpets and different activities. Please note that hot food is served until 8.20am.

Improving communication & partnerships with parents and carers:

We will be holding our termly parent/carer consultations, sending out a termly update report to let you know how your child is doing and inviting you to come in to classes, assemblies, achievement assemblies and hosting more events over the year. Each class will have an open morning to invite you in to see how we teach and the different ways in which we support your child with their learning. There will be a workshop each term looking at how we teach Reading, Maths and Grammar which will help you to help your child at home. If you have any questions, comments or concerns about school, please do not hesitate to speak to the class teacher or team leaders. We also have a Parent Support Adviser who can offer advice, support and guidance. Her name is Karen Foulger.

Important safety reminders:

Just a reminder that we have a NO SMOKING policy on our school grounds. This includes all kinds of smoking, including vaping and E cigarettes.
We also do not allow dogs onto the school playground, unless it is a dog that supports a person's particular needs. The riding of bicycles and scooters on the playground areas is also not permitted.

Swimming - Year 5 & 6 will continue their swimming sessions until September 20th.

Pupils within our bases for Vision and Hearing Impairment will be attending swimming sessions 7/10/19 to 17/10/19. Letters will be sent to explain the arrangements and kit required.

PD Day - Friday 18th October :

Just a reminder that school will be closed for a training day on Friday 18th October. We will be undertaking training on Mathematics.

Monday 4th October

We have arranged for the photographer to come in to school on this date. Photographs will be taken of all pupils, school council and family group sessions will be undertaken. A letter explaining the process will be sent out this week.

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