



Mudeford Community Infants School

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13 September 2019

Dates for the Diary

School Individual Pupil Photos - Friday 4th October

Class Photos - Friday 6th March

Staff training days – Friday 22 November, Friday 14 February, Monday 22 June, Monday 20 July

Coffee Mornings - Reception *Friday 20 September*

Parent Consultations – week beginning 21 October (evening appointments on Wednesday 23 October)

School nurse drop in – Thursday 10 October at 8:30am

Hello everyone

The children in Reception have settled in really well in their first full week at school and we are delighted to have them all here with us. There are some tears when saying goodbye to parents but the children quickly settle and are happy to be learning and exploring with lots of different activities. We look forward to welcoming Reception parents to their coffee morning on Friday 20 September at 9am.

The children in Years 1 and 2 must have been learning new routines and expectations as well as being fascinated with all sorts of interesting learning in their projects. It is getting very creepy in Year 2 as children learn to retell the story of Funnybones, you might like to see how well your child has remembered it so far! The children in Year 1 are determined to prove me wrong as I think dinosaurs came from packets of seeds just like in the book 'How to Grow a Dinosaur'. Their task is to fill me with facts about dinosaurs and show just how silly I have been! I look forward to seeing what they come up with over the coming weeks.



Trading cards - Children are welcome to swap Sainsbury's trading cards outside of the school building, inside the gates before and after school, under the supervision of parents and carers. We cannot allow the cards in school due to the potential upset this may cause if they were to be misplaced or wrongly traded.

School Governor vacancy – We would love to hear from you if you have the time to carry out the important and worthwhile role of school governor. The deadline for the parent and co-opted Governor applications is Monday 30th Sept at 9am. Applications should be emailed to our clerk clare.fox@mudefordinf.dorset.sch.uk

Parent consultations – On the week beginning 21 October there will be the opportunity for parents to have a 10 minute meeting with their child's class teacher to discuss how they have settled in to the year and explore their upcoming learning. The later evening appointments will be on Wednesday 23 October. Please look out for further information in due course. As always, if you have any concerns in the meantime then please speak to your class teacher.

Best wishes, Mr Pope

Our governing body are as follows: Caroline Watkins, Chair, Daniel Pope, Emma Bollard, Frank Paines, John Churchill, Fiona Sawdon, Karl Stark, Oliver Whittaker, David Mullett, Maria Coutinho-Prior and Clare Fox, Clerk.

If you wish to contact them directly please email governors@mudefordinf.dorset.sch.uk