



Lympsham C of E Academy

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Dear Parents/Carers,

A very warm welcome back to the Autumn term and a new academic year. Extended welcome to our new families joining us for the first time. We look forward to working with you in the coming months and years.

During the Summer break there have been a number of upgrades to the school site including decorating work, improved heating and alarm systems. We have also lovingly restored parts of the playground and added a beautiful new wall mural which looks fantastic!

As we progress through the term you will notice further updates to our school provision, some of which is detailed below:

Bulletins & Diary Dates

As of next week, we will send weekly Bulletins via email to include regular updates and information relating to your child's education.

We will also send a Diary Date letter at the start of each term forecasting events further in the future. A copy of both documents will then appear on the school website.

Website & Class Dojo

We are in the process of converting over to a new website platform which will be full operational by the end of this term.

As part of our website upgrade, we will include copies of our most recent curriculum class plans and updates from our Junior Leadership Teams (School council, Digital Leaders etc.). Both areas of the website are key resources for parents and should help to keep you fully informed in the life of your child while at school.

We continue to also use Class Dojo as a communication platform between school and home and will prioritise sharing updates from class learning, photos and videos via this route. Should you have any problems logging in to Class Dojo please speak to your child's class teacher.

Whole School Parent Curriculum Session

This year our school is launching a new Inquiry based curriculum, which will transform the way we plan and teach subjects. It also alters our approach to marking and Homework and as such we feel

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essential that parents feel fully informed about the new process. With this in mind we urge all parent/carers to join us for an information session on **Tuesday 17th September at 2.30 and 5pm.**

Class based information sessions will continue as normal in September and so alongside the Whole school curriculum event there will be an invitation for all parents to join a more specific class session too. Please see the attached Dates for your diary sheet for information on specific class dates.

I look forward to working alongside all families in the forthcoming academic year and thank you in advance for your continued support and care.

Kind regards,

Mrs K Whiting