



Tuesday, 2nd September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: Primary Updates to Morning Routines and Learning Pages

It has been a very settled second week of term, and it has been a pleasure to see our pupils so quickly engaged in their learning. Around the school, classrooms are already buzzing with activity, and our learning walks have shown children focused, enthusiastic, and enjoying their lessons.

We want to acknowledge that some parents have shared their thoughts around traffic before and after school. We have reflected carefully on our routines and adjusted these to best support the needs of our families, while also ensuring a smooth start to the school day.

From Sunday onwards, **classroom doors will open at 7.15am**. Pupils will go directly to their classrooms rather than gathering in the hall.

- EYFS to Year 3 pupils will be supervised by their class LSA.
- Years 4 to 6 will be supervised by members of our specialist teacher team.

This half-hour will provide a calm opportunity for pupils to read quietly and settle before the start of the day. Meanwhile, our class teachers will continue their valuable work in teaching teams. This dedicated collaboration time is already having a positive impact, ensuring consistency and high-quality planning across year groups.

At 7.45am, teachers will return to their classrooms to work with pupils who are already in school. These will not be formal lessons, but a chance to revisit previous work, respond to marking, and prepare for the day ahead. For those parents who wish to bring their children earlier, we will be providing a before school club provision, whereby parents are able to drop their children off from 6.30am. This will come at an additional cost, but full details will be shared separately.

The key timings remain the same:

- Registration: 8.00am
- Lessons begin: 8.15am

In addition, we are pleased to share that our Learning Pages are now being updated for this academic year. Staff are currently adding all pupils to their relevant year group page, and login details will be sent home tomorrow. Families do not need to re-join if you are already part of a page, but any new starters will be added by the school. The pages have been refreshed and will look a little different this year. Each learning page will be split into clear folders: each week will be labelled with the current date, with subfolders for English, Maths, and Science containing work covered in that week. There will also be a Preparation Work folder with the objectives for the week ahead, as well as long-term plans, sample assessment papers, and links to useful websites to support learning at home.



Thank you, as always, for your support as we refine our routines to give our pupils the very best start to each day.

Warm regards,

William Winton
Head of Primary