



Knowleswood
Primary School

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September 2022

Welcome back! We are so pleased to have all the children back and ready to get on with a fresh academic year! It has been lovely to catch up with families and see how keen the children are to return to their learning.

Attendance

School doors open at 8.40am and close at 9am. Please ensure children arrive in school on time. Children should be collected from school at 3pm from their normal classroom exits. Children should not be collected via the school office.

It is important to inform the office if your child is going to be absent from school before 9.00am. You can do this by either; using the Arbor app to send a message or calling the school office to leave a message. Where we do not receive reasons for absence the school will attempt to contact you and complete home visits. Thank you for your support with this.

Arbor Parent Portal App



A reminder for all parents / carers to download the Arbor app. All communications from school are made through the app and payments and bookings are made on there too.

Marvellous Me!



The Marvellous Me app has been great for bringing more of the children's successes home and involving parents and carers in their learning. We are going to continue to develop the use of this app and would encourage all parents / carers to download it so you get to hear how your children are doing.

Staffing in School We would like to welcome some new staff to school:

Miss Charlotte Smith – Year 5 class teacher
Miss Kerrie Fox – Inclusion teacher

Curriculum Newsletters

You will receive an information newsletter next week to outline what your child will be learning about in each subject over the next term.

Jewellery Children should not wear jewellery for school other than stud earrings. Children should not come to school with false nails. These rules are to keep all children safe.

This will describe planned activities, key learning experiences and give examples of what you can do at home to help. We hope the children are excited to start their new units of work.

Contacting School

As always if you would like to talk to anybody in school we have a number of ways you can do so and a number of people who can help.

You can call school on 01274 778177, email at office@knowleswood.co.uk, talk to staff members at the doors at the start and end of the day or message us on our Facebook page.

Key contacts are:

Gareth Lloyd and Serena Odedra – Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Coordinators

Serena Odedra – Early Years and Key Stage 1

Danielle Noble – Key Stage 2

Julie Robinson – Community and Safeguarding Officer

Lisa Donaghue – Attendance and Behaviour Support Officer

Gemma Hall – SHS Charity Practitioner

In addition to the above staff and if you need further help, you can also contact Clare Cosgrove (Head of School) or Noreen Dunn (Executive Headteacher).