

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

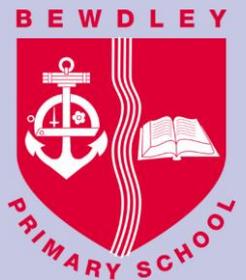
Welcome back everyone! It certainly seems as though the summer went quickly and we hope everyone has come back to school ready and refreshed for the new school year. It was lovely to see so many smiling faces coming through the gate this morning – and some of our parents practically skipped back out again after dropping their children off! Everyone looked very smart and more than ready for their new classes and teachers.

For those of you who came to school today, you won't have been able to miss the scaffolding that surrounds the Year 5 and 6 classrooms. We are very pleased to be having our roof fixed but unfortunately work will be continuing for at least another three weeks. We ask parents who have children in Year 5 to not arrive or drop off before 8:30, wherever possible, to avoid adding to the congestion while waiting for doors to open. Similarly, Year 5 parents won't be able to wait close to the door until it opens at 3:10.

Traffic is still an ongoing issue in the surrounding area, particular with additional temporary traffic lights and road closures expected. However, we really do appreciate everyone's effort to be in school on time. The school gate opens at 8:20. Doors stay open from 8:20 to 8:30 for children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. For children in Years 3-6, the classroom doors are open from 8:30 to 8:40. In the afternoons, the gate opens at 3:00, when the school day ends for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. Children in Years 3-6 finish their learning at 3:10.

There's always a lot to take in at the start of a new year with new routines to adjust to. The easiest way to help this go smoothly is to attend our **Parents' Information Evening** which is **tomorrow** (Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September) **at 6 o'clock**. After a brief introduction in the hall, you'll then have the chance to visit your children's classrooms, meet their teachers and hear more about the school year ahead. You can also have a sneaky peek at our new library!

As we mentioned before the holidays, the grand opening of our brand-new library is on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September, which we're combining with Roald Dahl. To celebrate, children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite Roald Dahl character.



*Helping everyone to achieve their best*

As always, if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to get in touch. For parents with children in Nursery and Reception, you'll be able to communicate with your child's class teacher using Evidence Me.

Please find below the email addresses for other class teachers, should you need them.

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| Year 1 - Butterworth Class | Miss Ward<br><a href="mailto:eward@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">eward@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>               |
| Year 1 - Donaldson Class   | Mrs Hinton-Donnelly<br><a href="mailto:mhinton@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">mhinton@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a> |
| Year 2 - Bond Class        | Mrs Page<br><a href="mailto:spage@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">spage@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>                |
| Year 2 - Milne Class       | Mr Morris<br><a href="mailto:jmorris@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">jmorris@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>           |
| Year 3 - Potter Class      | Miss Jones<br><a href="mailto:cjones@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">cjones@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>            |
| Year 3 - Dahl Class        | Miss Stevens<br><a href="mailto:kstevens@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">kstevens@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>      |
| Year 4 - Morpurgo Class    | Mr Fallows<br><a href="mailto:wfallows@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">wfallows@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>        |
| Year 4 - Blyton Class      | Mr Pritchard<br><a href="mailto:wpritchard@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">wpritchard@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>  |
| Year 5 - Rowling Class     | Miss Evans<br><a href="mailto:cevans@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">cevans@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>            |
| Year 5 - Lewis Class       | Mrs Walter<br><a href="mailto:rwalter@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">rwalter@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>          |
| Year 6 - Rosen Class       | Mrs Brazier<br><a href="mailto:abrazier@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">abrazier@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>       |
| Year 6 - Blackman Class    | Mrs Woodward<br><a href="mailto:swoodward@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk">swoodward@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk</a>    |

Hopefully all of the children have had a fabulous day today and I look forward to seeing many of you at tomorrow's information evening.

Kind regards,

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