

WEATHERFIELD ACADEMY

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Dear Parents, Carers and Guardians

The sun is shining and as usual, it means that it is time for school. We are very much looking forward to everyone returning and welcoming our new pupils and staff to the Academy. The first week is always a balance between promoting routines for learning and settling everyone into their new classrooms, with the appropriate support and guidance.

Given the very positive Ofsted Report recently received, we are continuing to build upon our strong foundations and have plans to improve our staff skills in training throughout this school year with the English Hub. The English Hub are a DfE supported group, who find and have access to high quality training and resources for this most important subject area.

School Buildings

You will be aware the news has been focussing on the structures and buildings of schools, with some being unable to open this term. Given all of the information we have from our Conditions & Buildings Surveyors, we have no concerns in this area. Therefore, school will be fully open for all staff and pupils.

Horse Riding

Just a quick reminder for those parents who have received a horse-riding letter for lessons during the first half term. Please could you return your completed reply slip to Miss Enright as soon as possible, so that she can co-ordinate who will be attending.

Uniform

Our staff and pupils always look smart and I have been keen to keep standards high in this area. We have a stock of spare uniform if you need any. Pupils should be in appropriate uniform and clothing for the school week. PE clothing is acceptable on the timetabled day. If you have any queries regarding your child's timetabled PE day, please contact your child's tutor.

I look forward to meeting you all throughout the year at our many celebrations and gatherings. The first Coffee Afternoon is on Monday 18th September at 2pm, finishing just before the end of the school day, more details will follow closer to the event.

Our school website will have a calendar of events and I intend to write a weekly newsletter throughout the academic year, with updates and newsworthy items of interest.

Yours sincerely



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Head Teacher

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