

Weekly Bulletin

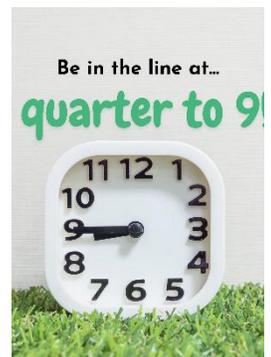
September 20th 2024



Thank you to those parents who attended our "Meet the Teacher" meetings and took a look around their child's new classroom, we hope that you found it useful. We hope that information which was shared with you, and that is shared on class pages on our school website, will give you a good understanding of the expectations for the class and how you can support your child's learning at home.

As partners, we share the responsibility for our children's success and want you to know that we will do our very best to carry out our responsibilities. We ask that you guide and support your child's learning by ensuring that you:

- Attend school daily and arrive on time, ready for the day's learning experience
- Complete all home learning set by teachers
- Read daily and logs this on BOOM Reader to develop a love for reading and to improve literacy skills
- Let staff know if your child needs additional support in any area



Our school day begins at 8.45am, when classroom doors open. Children can choose to go straight into class or stay and complete our daily mile until 8.55am when classroom doors are locked. After 8.55am, you must accompany your child to the main school entrance so that we are aware that they are in school for fire safety. **Punctuality is very important for your child. "Be in the line at quarter to nine"**

BE THE BEST *you can be*



Secondary already?

The application window for our Year 6 pupils to apply for secondary school is now open. The deadline for applications is 31st October 2025 with offers made on 1st March 2026. More information, including the LA guidance, can be found [on our school website](#).

School Meals

We encourage all pupils in Willow and our Year 2's to take up the offer of funded school meals. **All meals should be booked in advance using ParentPay** to ensure that our children have their preferred menu choice. Lunches can be booked up to three weeks in advance but **please make sure that bookings are cancelled if they are no longer needed** on a particular day to avoid waste and unnecessary expense.

If you are unsure whether you are eligible for funded meals at any age and would like to check, use this [speedy checking tool](#). School can receive additional funding for every eligible child to further support their learning.

Virtual Parenting Workshops

- What to do when kids push your buttons – 24th of September 2024, 12 – 1.15pm
- Sibling Rivalry – Tuesday 1st of October 2024, 12 – 1.15pm
- Supporting your child with feelings of worry – Tuesday 8th of October 2024, 12 – 1.30pm
- Supporting your child with feelings of anger – Tuesday 15th of October 2024, 12-1.30pm
- Sleep – 22nd of October 2024, 12 - 1pm

To book, [please register here](#).

	Max W	Kilian G	Asha P
Upcoming Events			
Monday 23rd September	Maths week		
Monday 28th October 2024	Half Term Break		
Monday 4th November	School is closed for staff training		
Monday 14 th October	Y5/6 Bikeability (Monday-Thursday)		
Friday 18 th October	HSA Halloween Disco		
Wednesday 6 th November	Parent consultation meetings		
Thursday 7 th November	Parent consultation meetings		
Wednesday 13th November	KS2 Residential		

Have a lovely weekend