

Welcome back...

We hope you all had a happy summer holiday and found some sunshine. We are all very proud to see the children looking very smart and happy this morning.

All the children have settled in to their new classes and behaviour has been excellent

We look forward to a great Autumn Term.

STAFFING STRUCTURE ACADEMIC YEAR 2017/2018	
HEAD TEACHER – Mrs T Wynn	
DEPUTY HEAD TEACHERS Mrs A Sinclair and Mrs K Branson	
Nursery	Mrs L Monaghan
Reception	Mrs K Branson
Year 1	Miss C Callen
Year 2	Mrs J Lawson
Year 3	Miss K Fellows
Year 4	Mr A Galbraith
Year 5	See additional Head Teacher letter
Year 6	Mrs K Layton

SUPPORT STAFF	
Mrs T Smith (Office)	
Miss J Allen (Office)	
Ms M Cochrane (Office)	
Mrs P Drew (Site Technician)	

TEACHING SUPPORT STAFF
Mrs J Braybrook
Mrs H Evans
Mr R Gee
Mrs D Hall
Mrs N Kanwal
Ms J Laing
Mrs C Jones
Mr T Lakeland
Mrs S Leyeghi
Mrs D Malpas
Mrs L McCaughtrie
Mrs S Nickolls
Mrs E Ryan
Mrs T Shukla
Mrs M Thomson
Miss A Yates
Ms H Benton
Mrs C Glover

LUNCH TIME SUPERVISORS
Miss A Edwards
Miss M Flowers
Mrs L Gault
Miss D Gilbert
Mrs L Gilmour
Mrs A Myatt
Mrs T Yarwood
KITCHEN STAFF
Mrs S Williams
Mrs J Hewison
Miss C Sowmann

CONTACT DETAILS
It is always important that the school hold the most up to date contact details. Please ensure you have notified the school office of any changes of address and/or telephone numbers.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS
IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL PARENTS
If your child has any current medical issues that the school needs to be made aware of eg. Asthma, Allergies, please contact the school to arrange a meeting with Mrs Jones (SENCo).
The meeting will enable us to draw up care plans and to talk about what happens in the event of an emergency.

NUT ALLERGIES
Would all parents please be aware that we have children and staff with nut allergies. Please refrain from sending food into school that contains nuts.

P.E. KITS
Children need to ensure they arrive with their PE kits every Monday. School P.E kit consists of a plain round neck t-shirt in house colour, black shorts and black pumps.
If you are unsure of your child's house please ask their class teacher or contact the school office on 01785 450120.

SWIMMING YEAR 4 ONLY
EVERY WEDNESDAY – STARTING 13th SEPTEMBER
From Wednesday 13th September children from Yr4 will be attending swimming lessons at the local leisure centre. The aim of the sessions is water safety. Please ensure all swimming kits are in school. Girls will be required to wear swimming hats, these can be purchased from the school office for £1.00. Due to safety reasons **goggles are NOT PERMITTED**, however we are aware there are special circumstances for some children. Please speak to the class teacher if you have any queries.
PLEASE BE AWARE THE SWIMMING LESSON ENDS AT 3pm, we hope the children will be back for a 3.30pm, this time is a guide only and will be subject to traffic.

SCHOOL OFFICE OPENING HOURS
Due to sickness the school office opening hours will be changing. The office will open Monday to Friday at 8.30am and close at 4pm. The school has a telephone answer service and messages will be picked up the next day and dealt with as soon as possible.
Sorry for any inconvenience caused.



**RECEPTION CLASS—TALK HOMEWORK
ALL ABOUT ME BAG**



The children will come home with a bag this week.

Directions:

- ◇ Fill the bag with 3 things that your child can use to tell the class about themselves. (Only 3 things, no more, no less)
- ◇ All objects have to fit in the bag.
- ◇ The bag can be decorated if you wish.
- ◇ Bring back the bag on Monday and be ready to share with the class!

Thank you for your continuing support.

Mrs Branson (Class Teacher)

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**RECEPTION—OPEN CLASSROOM  
THURSDAY 14th SEPTEMBER 2017 at 3pm.**

Mrs Branson would like to invite parents to explore the Reception learning environment on the above date.

We look forward to seeing you.



**SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHER  
Tuesday 19th September**



The photographer will be in school on the above day for individual portraits. We are arranging a family portrait evening before Christmas to give families the option to have a whole family picture taken. We will inform you of the date as soon as we have it confirmed.

**YOUNG VOICES Y5 and Y6**

Friday 12th January 2018

Once again Doxey School will be performing in the fabulous Young Voices Concert at the Genting Arena, Birmingham in January 2018. Preparation for the concert does involve afterschool rehearsals. Letters will be distributed to all Year 5 and Year 6 children today.

**Dates for your diaries...**

|           |                |                                              |
|-----------|----------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Thursday  | 14th September | Reception Class—Open Classroom 3pm           |
| Tuesday   | 19th September | School Photographer—Individual Portraits     |
| Tuesday   | 17th October   | Parent Evening 3.30pm—5pm                    |
| Wednesday | 18th October   | Parent Evening 5—7pm                         |
| Tuesday   | 27th November  | KS2 visit Chester Zoo—More details to follow |
| Wednesday | 28th November  | KS1 visit Chester Zoo—More details to follow |

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

The school will be hosting a range of afterschool activities starting Monday 11th September. All sessions are chargeable at £1.00 per child per club and must be paid a term in advance, this term is 13 weeks and payments will take us up to Christmas.

If the school needs to cancel a club at some point we will refund the money to each parent for that session. We will not refund fees if your child is absent due to illness or for any other reasons.

***It is intended that these sessions will operate in a fun and fair environment. In order to ensure that this is achieved, any children exhibiting poor or inconsiderate behaviour may be excluded from further attendance.***

Places are limited and are allocated on a first come first served basis.

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE COMPLETE WITH YOUR PAYMENT BY THIS FRIDAY, 8th September

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### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS—Autumn Term

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Number \_\_\_\_\_

My child would like to attend (Tick Applicable):

- Monday – KS2 Steel Band Club 3.15pm – 4.30pm
- Monday—Rec & KS1 Multisport Club 3.15pm—4.30pm
- Tuesday – KS2 Tennis 3.15pm – 4.30pm
- Wednesday – KS2 Dodgeball 3.15pm – 4.30pm

My child will be:  Collected from the hall by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Allowed to walk home on their own

I enclose the payment of:

- £13.00 for 1 club for the next term.
- £26.00 for 2 clubs for the next term.
- £39.00 for 3 clubs for the next term.

CHEQUES CAN BE MADE PAYABLE TO: STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Carer