



Wimbotsham & Stow Academy

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Newsletter No 1 Friday 7th September 2018



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome Back!

We hope you have all had a wonderful summer holiday but are looking forward to getting back into a normal routine again – I know we are.

A big thank you to all the staff who have come into school over the holidays to ensure the school was 'learning ready'. We are really pleased to have a full team in place.

We welcomed two new faces to our team this week: Mrs Davies who joins as a teacher, in the Swans class, on a Thursday and Friday and Mr Simpson who is our new Swans teaching assistant. (Some of you may know Mr Simpson as a sports coach we have previously worked with.)

On Wednesday staff from our three schools and King's Oak came together to update their safeguarding training and further discuss and plan 'QUEST Time'. (You may have previously heard us talking about Ice Zones).

We are always trying to find new ways of making learning engaging and challenging for our children and believe QUEST time is the way forward. This will provide our children with more opportunities to problems solve, reason, investigate and become creative within their topic learning while allowing teachers to further target groups of children with their Maths and English. We will continue to be update parents as the year progresses.

Here's to an exciting year ahead!

Mrs Arrowsmith and Miss Hayes

Friend of the School welcome Cake Cafe

Friday 21st September 2pm – 4pm

Come and meet our FOWPS

All Welcome



Hérons class will start swimming on Tuesday 11th September. Please make sure your children bring their swimming kit with a swimming hat for long hair.

School times

7.45am – Breakfast club opens **£2.50**

8.45am – Children start coming into school. There will be no bell!

Any child that is left without an adult on the playground before 8.45am will be taken into breakfast club and will be charged £2.50.

8.55am – Registers are taken

12.10 – 1.00pm – Lunchtime

3.15pm- School Finishes

4.30pm – Afterschool Clubs/Childcare ends

PE KITS

PE Kits are to be brought into school on a Monday and kept in school all week. They should be taken home on Friday!

Sports Coaches are coming in every Wednesday to teach PE.

Parent Welcome Meetings

Come and meet your class Team team!

Tues 11th Sept – Kingfishers 2.45pm

Wed 12th Sept – Swans 2.45pm

Thur 13th Sept – Herons 2.45pm

All Welcome

	Meeting 1	Meeting 2	Meeting 3	Meeting 4
	Week Beginning			
Red	24/09/18	07/01/19	04/03/19	20/05/19
Orange	01/10/18	14/01/19	11/03/19	03/06/19
Yellow	08/10/18	21/01/19	18/03/19	10/06/19
Green	29/10/18	28/01/19	25/03/19	17/06/19
Blue	05/11/18	04/02/19	01/04/19	24/06/19

Pupil Progress meetings will start on week beginning 24/09/18
Letters will be sent out next week with your colour