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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! It was so lovely to have our school community back together for the start of the new school year. Thank you for helping the drop-offs to run so smoothly; the children arrived with confidence and excitement so thank you for your part in preparing them for all the changes. Please bear with us for any changes that we are making as we go along and we also welcome any suggestions or questions that you may have.

PE Kits

In their newsletters today, the class teachers will also mention PE for next week. When it is their PE day, we are asking that the children come to school in their PE kits to avoid having to use changing areas or movement around the classroom. PE will be outside so please provide a T-shirt, tracksuit (sweatshirt/hoodie, long trousers or leggings) in black, grey or red and trainers (any colour, please do not buy new ones). While we are adjusting to this new plan, if your child arrives in their school uniform on a PE day, they can still take part and you will not be asked to take your child home or to bring the kit back to school. It is also your child's responsibility to remember!

The PE days are as follows;

Copeland-Wednesday
Durrington-Tuesday
Fitzwalter-Thursday
Quickbury-Friday

Daily Snack

For Copeland and Durrington classes, fresh fruit will start being delivered to school from September 9th so please can you provide a snack for your child until then. For KS2, if your child would like a snack, we would prefer it also to be a piece of fruit or a snack bar. Please limit packets of crisps to lunch boxes only.

Mathletics and Spelling Shed

Now that term has started, I am looking forward to seeing the children working hard on Mathletics and practising their spellings through Spelling Shed. The existing passwords will carry on for both sites and we will add our new starters as quickly as possible.

Team Assembly

Unfortunately we will not be able to invite parents in to Team assembly on Fridays at the moment. The whole school is not meeting together for Collective Worship but it will be broadcasted live to classrooms through Zoom or Teams!

Birthdays

I know we have missed many birthdays this year and I would like to wish a very belated 'Happy Birthday' to children and staff who celebrated their birthdays since June (in March, we sang the birthday song for all the children up until June!). This week, Madison (11), Jessica (6) and Scarlett (10) have all celebrated their birthdays.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittain