



# Lydiard Millicent CE Primary School

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Friday 11th September

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had an amazing start to the year with your children. All children came back to school with confidence and adapted quickly to the new classroom environments and routines. There was a real buzz with all of the children back in school and this sound has been sorely missed. Hopefully they have been telling you about all the lovely things they have been getting up to both in class and outside.

We are delighted to welcome Aleksandra, Alice, Annabel, Bianca, Bradley, Darcey, Evelyn, Gabriel, George, Isabelle, Lamar, Lawson, Leon, Lewis, Lloyd, Mia, Noah, Olivia, Ollie, Quinton, Richard, Tobias, Wilfrid, Willow, Zak to our EYFS class. We also welcome Arthur to Class 1 and Giovanni to Class 2. We hope you all enjoy being part of our Lydiard family.

Thank you to all of the families for using the staggered drop off and pick up times and the one way system around the school. This is working really well. There are a few things that will help us to keep our site as safe as possible at these transition times:

- Please try to keep to your allotted time allocation.
- To ensure we have as few people on site as possible for social distancing, we are asking that **one** adult accompanies children during drop off and picking up.
- Please move away from the school site once you have dropped off or picked up and do not congregate at the front of the school or near the entrance or exit points, these need to be clear at all times.
- Please keep your children with you so that routes for entering and exiting remain clear.
- Scooters/bikes can be stored at the front of the school or carried through the playground by adults to take home but children must not ride these through the playground.

Thank you for your understanding and help with these things.

Don't forget you can find information posters on the September 2020 page of our school website or you can contact our School Office if you have any questions or if you need to speak to your child's teacher.

Our Recovery Curriculum whole school topic of 'It Starts with a Seed' is well under way. The children have watched a staff video portraying the poem, decorated pots with their designs and sown new seeds ready to grow as they are carefully nurtured throughout the year. It has been such a wonderful first week back. We hope you all have a lovely weekend - we think the children (and staff!) will sleep well.

Best wishes,

Mrs C Luce & Mrs J dos Santos

Principal & Head of School



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