Lane End Primary School

Beeston Road. Leeds. LS11 6AA

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"Learn and Believe, Aspire and Achieve"

Dear Parents and Care

Well, we have come to the end of another busy year here at Lane End! The children have been working hard, building their skills, and it has been lovely to see them making so much progress. They are definitely ready for the move to the next year group.

The children will have brought home a slip on Friday, telling them who their next class teacher will be, and on Wednesday they will spend the morning with their new classes – so that they are ready for a super start in September.

As a growing school, we have a number of new staff joining us for September, many of whom are able to be in school on Wednesday to meet the children.

Ms Turnbull will be our new lower key stage 2 leader, with responsibility for Years 3 and 4, and will be one of the Year 4 teachers, in 4a (Hazel Class). She will be joined by Miss Quinn, who will be the teacher for Class 4b (Cherry class). Miss Groves will be Class 3a Rowan teacher, joining Miss Nelson in Year 3b Maple Class. Miss Wraith will be one of our new Learning Leaders in Year 4 also. Mrs Earnshaw will be joining us as a Learning Leader, based in Year 2b, and Ms Bray will be joining the Reception Team, as a qualified Nursery Officer, supporting learning across the Early Years Foundation Stage. Ms Blackburn will be joining us as an additional teacher, to support teaching and learning across school, and Ms Ijaz and Mrs Njie will also be part of the team, supporting pupils with additional educational and health needs. Phew! We will try and update the website as soon as we can, with photographs, so you can put faces to all these new names. We are very excited about our growing team, and know they will add further skills and experiences that will support all our children.

It is also that time of year where we say goodbye to others in school – Miss Knowles will be starting a new school much closer to her home in Bradford, Ms Mulvey is to embark on a new professional challenge, and Miss Klenk will be beginning her teacher training year. We wish them all the best.

A couple of reminders about things this last week in school:

Wednesday at 3:15 – your child's new class teachers for September will be in the playground. Please do go say hello (your children can help you find the person you need!)

Please return all school books, reading diaries and book bags by Tuesday - (Many children have already handed theirs in, we will keep them safe for you and send them to your new classes, ready for September.

All PE kits and pumps will be sent home by Friday. The children will not need a change of indoor shoes for September.

Year 4 will be starting swimming lessons, through the school day, at the John Charles Sports Centre - with half the year group going for a term and a half at a time. A letter will be coming out early in September as to when your child will be going, and what they will need for these lessons (swim suit, shorts, towel etc).

Please join us for our **end of year singing assembly on Wednesday at 2:30** if you can – you know we love a good sing!

Thank you for your ongoing support, have a lovely summer, and see you again in September.
Mrs Britton and the Lane End Team