



Barlby Primary School

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Dear Parents & Carers,

A warm welcome back to a new school year and a special welcome to all our new families!

I have outlined some key information below- please feel free to enquire at the school office if you have any questions about life at Barlby.

The School Day

We continue to welcome the children into school for open registration from 8.45am daily. This provides a gentle start to the school day for your child and an opportunity for you to communicate with class teachers. Registration takes place at 9am as is officially the start of the school day. The structure of the day is unchanged except for the time of our assemblies. Assembly is now at 3.10pm as we are maximising on curriculum time.

Staffing

We are very fortunate to be fully staffed and we do not have any teachers new to Barlby this year- a very unusual position for a London school. We are also fully staffed with our site and administrative team and they are happy to assist you with any enquiries related to school meals, payments or extended day services. Mrs Riley is currently on medical leave and we wish her a speedy recovery.

Communication

Please feel free to request a progress meeting with your child/children's class teacher- you do not need to wait until parents evening. You can make an appointment in person, call into the office or e-mail a teacher directly. Professional e-mail addresses for teachers will be displayed on classroom windows by the end of this week. We continue to use our website and social media as a tool for communication and celebration;

Twitter: @primary_barlby

Instagram: barlbyprimaryschool

The newsletter is also sent home every Friday.