



## Oakwood Infant and Nursery School

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# NEWSLETTER

### School Reopening September

From September it is compulsory that children attend school. Non attendance will result in penalty fines. School will be reopening on **Thursday 3rd September** (Wednesday 2nd September is a Staff Inset Day). The school day times will be as follows:

#### Year 1 and Year 2

8.30am—3pm

#### Reception

8.40am—3pm (children of siblings in Year 1 & 2 will be allowed to attend a mini breakfast club in their class from 8.30am).

All children will be required to attend in full school uniform.

### The School Day—September

Classes will be set up to accommodate social distancing in September and I am aware that some children will find these adjustments difficult. However, please be aware that I cannot guarantee that the children will not mix. I will ensure that throughout the day, all children will regularly wash their hands with antibacterial soap.

#### Reminder

Should the weather be warm when we return, please ensure your child comes to school with a water bottle, sun hat and labelled sun cream.

### Reading Books

If your child has any reading books at home, please can you ensure you return them to school. Thank you.

### Parent Governor Vacancies

We currently have 2 Parent Governor vacancies. If you would like to book an appointment with me to discuss these, for next week or when we return in September, please contact the school office.

Application forms and associated paperwork for these vacancies will be sent out in September.

### COVID19 Update

We have received additional information on the full return to settings for schools from September from Clare Kershaw, Director of Education for Essex County Council. This document can be found on our school website.

### Teacher Gifts—Thank you

Thank you to everybody that sent in a gift for their child's class teacher. All gifts were very much appreciated.

I understand that the last few months have been very difficult times for everybody and I hope you have all stayed safe and well.

I wish you all a happy summer break and look forward to seeing you in September.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs K Maguire-Egan

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