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School Updates and New Class Structure

Dear Parents and Carers,

As the term comes to an end, the children and staff are still working exceptionally hard learning together. It really is a joy to lead a school like ours – the sense of pride I feel is immense. The last 18 months have been some of the strangest but every day our young people have amazed us. I am thankful for all of you – parents, carers, families – you have championed our school and partly because of this, the school has doubled in size since I took over as Headteacher. We have welcomed so many new children over the last year and for the first time we had appeals for school places and a waiting list in reception! We have gone over the PAN (Pupil Admission Number) this year and offered places to all of the children on the waiting list.

Ready for a new school year, I am sure you will be pleased to hear that staff have carefully put together class lists for September based on the children's learning and developmental needs. Playtimes and lunchtimes are a time to meet up with friends from other classes and socialise. The last day with their current class is **Friday 16th July**. This year the children will start in their new classes on **Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th July**. This will allow them to become familiar with their new classroom and teaching team. Please note - school finishes at normal time and there will be Homehub as normal on the Tuesday 20th July. There will be more details about dropping off and collecting sent soon.

IMPORTANT: If your child is in Caterpillars and is moving to Reception they will spend their normal sessions in their new classes also; for example if they usually attend in a morning they still come in 8:30-11:30am, if they normally do all day, they attend 8:30am-3:15pm or if they normally do an afternoon, they attend 12:15-3:15pm.

School reopens on **Thursday 2nd September**. The school day is attached and so is the uniform expectation leaflet. Please note **black school shoes** not trainers are to be worn. The uniform is all in stock and can be ordered via this link:

<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Uniform/Default.aspx?shopid=3622>

You will be notified when the free Outdoor learning and PE kits are ready to collect. No need to contact us.

Your child _____ will be in the class highlighted on the table:



Year group	Class Name	Teacher	Learning Support	SEND Intervention TAs
Nurseries	Ladybirds	Mrs Bailey	Miss Pearson Miss Day	
	Caterpillars	Mrs Perrin	Miss Simpson	
Reception (Foundation Stage 2)	Butterflies	Miss Morris	Mr Mulholland Mrs Weedall Mrs Duncalf	
	Dragonflies	Mrs Fife		
Year 1	Grasshoppers	Mrs Shufflebotham	Mrs Harrison Mrs McIntyre-King	Mrs Elliott (Breakfast club, KS1 interventions & ELSA)
Year 1	Centipedes	Mrs Chappell	Mrs Smith	
Year 2	Spiders	Miss Edge	Mrs Sumner	
Year 2	Bumblebees	Miss Evans	Miss Harrison	
Year 3	Hedgehogs	Mr Jenks	Mrs Kelsall	Miss Pond – (interventions working across KS2) Afternoon ELSA – Mrs Kelsall
Y3/4	Otters	Mrs Edwards	Miss Horton Mrs Healey	
Year 4	Rabbits	Mr Rimmer	Mrs Ryde	
Year 5	Squirrels	Mr Dunning	Miss Evans	
Year 5	Foxes	Mrs Gibson	Miss Nicholls	
Year 6	Badgers	Mr Baxendale	Mr Lambert Mrs Mason	
Year 6	Bears	Miss Lupton		
	Owls - Resource Provision	Mr Kindon	Mrs Clark and Miss Stening HLTA/ ROOM LEADERS Miss Wilson Mrs Woods Mrs Bradley Mrs Malone	Miss Booth – British Sign Language Teaching Assistant

Remember we are contactable via contact@darnhall.cheshire.sch.uk

Kind regards,

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