Dear Parents and Carers,

## **Message from Mrs Talbot:**

We are at the end of another week already, and it has been nice to enjoy the more typical September weather (perhaps not the rain though!). The children are all working hard and there is a lovely 'buzz' of learning throughout the school. The new school meals have been a real hit and children are enjoying trying some new types of food.

There are lots of important dates at the end of this briefing, please be sure to note them down on your calendar.

Have a great weekend, Mrs Talbot - Headteacher

### **Message From Mrs Nicholson-Smith:**

Hello and thank you to all our families for making me very welcome in the first two weeks of this term!

For those of you who do not know me, I am Mrs Nicholson-Smith and I am the new SENCO. I am also teaching in Owls and Swans, which has been amazing so far and I am excited for the year ahead.

# **SEN Parents**

The local authority has asked if parents whose children have SEN could complete the following survey to help them evaluate the current SEN provision across the county. <u>Parent and Carer SEND Survey - 'PASS' (office.com)</u>

## Pinpoint Conference

Experience the power of connection at Pinpoint's in-person Conference 2023! Join the Pinpoint Team for a remarkable event where parents, caregivers, and professionals come together to empower and champion children with additional needs. Discover a world of knowledge, support, and inspiration. Don't miss this opportunity to forge valuable connections! Book your tickets here: www.pinpoint-cambs.org.uk/event/pinpoint-conference/ (Spaces for workshops are limited, book early to avoid disappointment).

## **Premier Sports**

Premier Sports have just launched their after school club on Thursday's, this term it is football. You can still book your child's place, further information including all the booking details are attached.

# **Cambridgeshire Police**

Please find attached this month's newsletter from Cambridgeshire Police.

### **Education Inclusion Family Advisor**

Our EIFA Christylee will be offering drop in sessions throughout the year, the first being on Friday 22nd September. Christylee can help you with:

- \* Challenging behaviour
- \* Routines
- \* Supporting emotions and wellbeing
- \* School transitions
- \* Parenting strategies
- \* Bullving resilience and confidence
- \* Any other family challenges you might be facing.

If you would like to talk to Christylee please contact the school office.

### School Lunches

Please don't forget to order next week's school lunches!

If your child has packed lunches and you want some inspiration or ideas to vary the daily lunch box the NHS website has some top tips. https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes/

Don't forget break time snack needs to be a piece of fruit or vegetable, dried fruit or cereal bar. KS1 children are provided with a piece of free fruit. NO chocolate, sweets or crisps are allowed.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Kind Regards

Mrs Rachael Barton School Secretary

## **Important Dates:**

Wednesday 20th September

10am

Reception 2024 Parents Open morning (please book via the school office)

Friday 22nd September EIFA Drop in 2pm onwards

(please book via the school office)

Monday 25th September School Photos

Tuesday 10th October Parents Meetings 3.20pm- 6pm

Wednesday 11th October Parents Meetings 3.20pm-6pm

Wednesday 11th October Bikeability Level 2 Starts

Tuesday 17th October Owls Share and Shine

Wednesday 18th October Swans Share and Shine

Friday 20th October Robins and Doves Share and Shine

Friday 20th October EIFA Drop in 2pm onwards

Monday 23rd- 27th October Half Term

Friday 3rd November Flu Immunisations

Friday 17th November Children in Need

Friday 24th November EIFA Drop in 2pm onwards

Tuesday 12th December Whole school Panto trip

Wednesday 13th December Robins & Doves Nativity Performances

Thursday 14th December EIFA Drop in 2pm onwards

Tuesday 19th December Owls and Swans Carols & Readings

Thursday 21st December- Wednesday 3rd January 2024 Christmas Holidays

Thursday 4th January INSET DAY- No children in School

Friday 5th January INSET DAY- No children in school