



Upland Primary School Newsletter

9th September 2016

WELCOME BACK

Important dates

- w/c 12th Sept—'Meet the Teacher' week
- 20th Sept—Reception parents' Phonics meeting at 9am
- 20th Sept—parents evening online booking system opens from 7pm
- 21st Sept—secondary transfer (11+) tests (am only)
- 22nd Sept—PA's inflatable afternoon. All welcome. 3.30-5.30pm Cost £5.00
- 30th Sept—individual photos
- 12th & 13th Oct—Parents' evenings
- 20th Oct—Harvest assembly Year 5 parents welcome. Starts at 9am
- 21st Oct—Mars class assembly. Parents welcome. Starts 9am
- 21st Oct—PA event—'Spooky Day'. Details tbc.
- 24th to 28th Oct—half term week—school closed

We were delighted to welcome everyone back this week, for the start of the new school year. We warmly welcome our new children and their families to the Upland community, as well as our new members of staff.


Have you registered?

From October, we will be relying on Parent-Mail for our communications with parents and carers, as it is quick, efficient, reliable and more cost effective than printing hundreds of sheets of paper each week. Please make sure you keep your email and mobile numbers up to date and ensure your name is correct, with your name (not your child's name) as the account holder. If you receive an email notification about changes to your ParentMail account (because we have made a change for you), please check and accept the changes if they are correct. This will guarantee that you continue to receive letters and information about your child and about school events. We will also put copies of all letters in the rack in the reception area, so please help yourselves!

Meet the teacher

Don't forget! Next week classes will have their 'meet the teacher' session. Please attend if you can.

Hot dinners

Children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to free school meals, however for children in the other year groups, lunch now costs just £2.20 a day (£11 a week). All meals must be paid for in advance. Families on low incomes may be eligible for free school meals— please ask us for information or pick up a claim form from the school office.



Water bottles

All children should bring a named water bottle with them to school. Fresh water is available throughout the day in each classroom.

School uniform and PE kits

Please make sure that your child is looking very smart and wearing the correct school uniform, including appropriate shoes (no trainers please). It is really important that ALL school uniform (including PE kit) is clearly named, so that we can return it if it gets lost. Uniform order forms are available from the rack in the reception area.



*The award for the best
attendance this week
goes to*
Bramble Class
Well done!