

Lakeside Primary School

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Following the summer holidays, I would like to take this opportunity to welcome everybody (new and returning families) to Lakeside Primary School. Firstly, I would like to thank those families who shared their experiences of the summer break on Twitter. Myself and all of the staff have enjoyed seeing what you have been getting up to and has been a brilliant insight to the experiences the children have had. While visiting the classes over the past couple of days, I have really enjoyed listening to their stories about where they have gone and what they have done. It is clear they have had a really enjoyable time.

Secondly, it has been lovely to see all the pupils looking so smart in their new school uniforms and I am eager to see how they will settle into their new surroundings. There was a real buzz of excitement and enthusiasm when I greeted everyone yesterday morning so long may it continue.

PE Kit Reminder

On PE days, we will be continuing to ask parent/carers to send children to school in PE kit. As this is the case, we require children to complete their PE lessons in the adequate clothing and equipment. This will include:

- A white/red plain t-shirt
- Grey or Black jogging/tracksuit bottoms or leggings
- Black shorts (warm weather)
- Track suit top/jumper
- Trainers
- Earrings removed on PE day. If earrings are unable to be removed, plasters or medical tape must be provided from home for them to be covered up during the PE lesson. Staff are unable to remove earrings or apply tape. If the teacher considers the taping to be unsatisfactory to permit safe participation, adaptations will be made to ensure participation in the practical aspects of the lesson.

Each class has an allocated slot for PE; we ask that your child comes to school in their PE kit on that day (see overleaf). PE lessons will start next week (wk beg 09/09/2024). If there is a change for any reason, we shall communicate this to you via text beforehand:

Year group	PE DAY
Nursery (Signets)	WEDNESDAY
Reception (Ducklings)	FRIDAY
Y1 (Owls)	WEDNESDAY
Y2 (Hedgehogs)	TUESDAY
Y3 (Dragonflies)	WEDNESDAY
Y4 (Foxes)	FRIDAY
Y5 (Badgers)	TUESDAY
Y6 (Swans)	TUESDAY

Yours sincerely

Mr N. Probert (Headteacher)