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## Key Stage 2 Newsletter Autumn 1

## Welcome back to school!

The summer holidays seem a distant memory now and it has been delightful to see all the Key Stage 2 children back at school and settling to their new classes and lessons.

Please remember to send your children to school with coats (that are named) as children will be out at playtime and lunchtime, even if it is chilly.

We have an exciting half term planned with lots of great learning opportunities for the pupils. You will find out more at the 'Meet the teacher' meetings later this month. Do check book bags for information sent home by class teachers regarding trips and projects and other enriching experiences.

Please make a note of the date for Target Setting Day: **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October**. Appointment letters will be sent out nearer the time. We look forward to seeing you then.

Miss Wilson

## <u>Year Six</u>

Welcome to Year Six. We hope that you have had a great summer holiday. The children have returned refreshed and ready to learn; we are pleased with their work over the last couple of days. We are busy finalising details for possible experiences which we will let you know about in due course. We have already started setting homework which will, initially, be set on a Wednesday and will be due in the following Tuesday. Reading and Maths challenges have been set; please do encourage your children to read every day, complete their reading comprehension and to complete their maths challenge each evening. PE and games will take place on a Tuesday and Friday afternoon but they are subject

to change so please remind your children to bring their kit to school on Monday and take it home for washing on a Friday. This week, the children will sit their 11+ tests and tests in reading, maths and English. We will use the tests to help us prepare work during the autumn term; this will also help to prepare the children for their SATs tests in May 2020.

Miss Johnson (Year Six Leader), Mr Reid, Miss Edingtion and Miss Wilson