

# New Year! New Teachers! New Learning! Information for 2023-2024!



Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023

Dear Families,

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We can now share Team Lanesend for 2023-24 as we have decided on classes and the school theme! Each year group will have a team that will be allocated to support the children. The whole school focus is going to be Fairytales which we will explore, learn about and challenge stereotyping this will ensure a continued connection across the school. The school will not have a termly curriculum focus but a more traditional approach to the National Curriculum so each year group will have different focuses within their year. This will be mapped out across the school for each year in our skills, knowledge and progression coverage document.

## From September 2023 teachers will be placed as follows:

<u>Child's Current Year and Teacher:</u>	<u>Child's New Year and Teacher:</u>	<u>New Class Names – Fairytales:</u>
N/A	Year R Miss Wren	Little Red Riding Hood
N/A	Year R Miss Jacobs	Little Mermaid
Year R - Miss Wren	Year 1 Mrs Domoney	Goldilocks and the Three Bears
Year R - Mrs Domoney	Year 1 Mrs Hinkley	Elves and the Shoemakers
Year 1 - Mrs Wyld	Year 2 Miss Adams	Enchanted
Year 1 - Mrs Hinkley	Year 2 Mrs Lewis	Beauty and the Beast
Year 1 - Miss McQueen	Year 2 Miss Westbrook	Pinocchio
Year 2 – Mrs Price	Year 3 Miss Foad	Hansel and Gretel
Year 2 – Miss Adams	Year 3 Miss McQueen	Cinderella
Year 2- Mrs Lewis	Year 3 Miss Fuller	Peter Pan
Year 3 - Miss Westbrook	Year 4 Mr. Owen	Billy Goats Gruff
Year 3 - Mrs Gangonells	Year 4 Miss Skinner	Princess and the Frog
Year 3 – Miss Routledge	Year 4 Miss Routledge	Snow White
Year 4 – Miss Jones	Year 5 Miss Punter	Jack and the Beanstalk
Year 4 – Miss Skinner	Year 5 Miss Squibb	Sleeping Beauty
Year 4 – Mrs Punter	Year 5 Miss Dove	Rapunzel
Year 5 – Miss Dove	Year 6 Mrs Wall	Rumpelstiltskin
Year 5 – Mr. Owen	Year 6 Mrs Dyer/Miss Johnson	Aladdin
Year 5 – Miss Foad	Year 6 Miss Jones	Gingerbread Man

Classes  
to mix  
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Mrs Napier will continue as Assistant Head of School, with Miss Hopkinson as Assistant Head (AHT) of KS1 and Mr. Andre as Assistant Head (AHT) of KS2.

We say goodbye to Mrs Wyld, Mrs Price, Mrs Gangonells and Miss Revert-West and wish them the best of luck with their new adventures.

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**Learning Support Assistants** – This is always subject to change if any of the team decide they would like a new challenge or adventure before the end of the year

Year R: Mrs Richmond, Ms. Westmore

Year 1: Mrs Venables, Mrs Stone

Year 2: Mrs Gadsby, Miss Mumford

Year 3: Mrs Rothwell, Miss Reeves, Miss Trang, Miss Norcutt, Miss Wicks, Mrs Wiseman and Mrs De Jesus

Year 4: Mrs Ironman, Miss Sice, Miss Crawley, Mrs Clark, Mrs Lamanna, Mrs

Cooper, Miss Brett

Year 5: Mrs Hallam, Mrs Crawley, Miss Finch

Year 6: Mrs Clare, Mrs Gladdis, Miss Smith, Mrs McDonough

**Securing Skills LSAs:**

Year R/1: Miss Jupe/Miss Caws

Year 2/3: Mrs Garrett

Year 4/5: Mrs Thornett

Year 6: Miss Johnson

Mrs Brailsford – will be supporting in Year 3 in the mornings as an extra teacher to help secure learning and progress. She will be in Miss McQueen’s class for one afternoon while Miss McQueen covers Miss Jacobs. Mrs Brailsford will then cover Miss Squibb and Miss Fuller and support curriculum cover for the remaining afternoons.

**Transition Days:**

Our Transition Days are Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July (PM Only), Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July, Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July and Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July (AM only).

**On the afternoon of Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, we will gather the children in the Hall to introduce the new teachers and they will then go to their new classes with their new teachers. Please pick up from their new classrooms set out on the following page. For the following three mornings they will arrive in their new classrooms and leave from these too. On the afternoon of Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July please collect from your child’s current classroom.**

**Please see start times for transition days below:**

**New Reception: (Please see separate letter sent in your transition pack)**

**Year 1 (current Year R): 8.30am-2.45pm**

**Year 2 (current Year 1): 8.25am-2.40pm**

**Year 3 (current Year 2): 8.25am-2.40pm**

**Year 4 (current Year 3): 8.30am-2.45pm**

**Year 5 (current Year 4): 8.35am-2.50pm**

**Year 6 (current Year 5): 8.35am-2.50pm**

**Year 7 (current Year 6): 9.00am-3.00pm**

Year 7 (current Year 6) will go off to their new schools, but if they are not at their new school they need to arrive through the playground gates and come into the Hall at the back-entrance doors. They will be doing sports activities and completing transition tasks during the transition days.

**New Intake Reception Transition Days:**

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July (9am – 11.30am) and (12.30pm – 3pm)**

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July – All day – Packed Lunch Needed**

**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July – 9am – 11.30am**

We look forward to welcoming all our new intake children on these days.

Each teacher has to have ten percent of their working week for Planning, Preparation and Assessment (PPA). We have organised these times for 30 minutes every day during assembly and the LSAs will then complete class reading, times tables and spellings for fifteen minutes after. This will allow consistency for the children throughout the week. This will take place between 8.45am – 9.15am. Reception will organise their times throughout each day.

Assemblies will also be during this time on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Celebration Assembly will take place on a Thursday.

### Drop off and Collections:

**In September, school will open at 8.20am for all year groups and end at 2.50pm. We would like everyone in school by 8.35am ready for registration.**

A staggered beginning and end of the day will begin with Year R, 2 and 3, followed by Years 1 and 4 and then Years 5 and 6.

**Doors open for Years R, 2 and 3 from 8.20am ready for registration at 8.35am and doors open for pick up at 2.40pm.**

**Doors open for Years 1 and 4 from 8.23am ready for registration at 8.35am and doors open for pick up at 2.45pm.**

**Doors open for Years 5 and 6 from 8.25am ready for registration at 8.35am and doors open for pick up at 2.50pm.**

Year R, 1 and 2 drop off and pickups: will be to and from classrooms

Year 3 and 4 drop off and pickups: Drop off and main gate and collect from classrooms

Year 5 and 6 drop off and pickups: Drop off at the main gate and children will be brought down to the main gate for collection.

### Term Dates:

Our previous consultation was in favour of having our five staff development days immediately after the May half-term every year. These dates have been agreed at the Trustees Meeting and will be **Monday 3rd June 2024 - Friday 7th June 2024.**

#### **Autumn Term 2023 - school opens on Friday 1st September 2023 for all children**

Term starts on Friday 1st September 2023 and ends on Wednesday 20th December 2023.

(Half term from Monday 23rd October 2023 to Friday 3rd November 2023 – 2 weeks)

**Spring Term 2024** starts on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2024 and ends on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024. (Half term from Monday 12th February 2024 to Friday 16th February 2024 – 1 week)

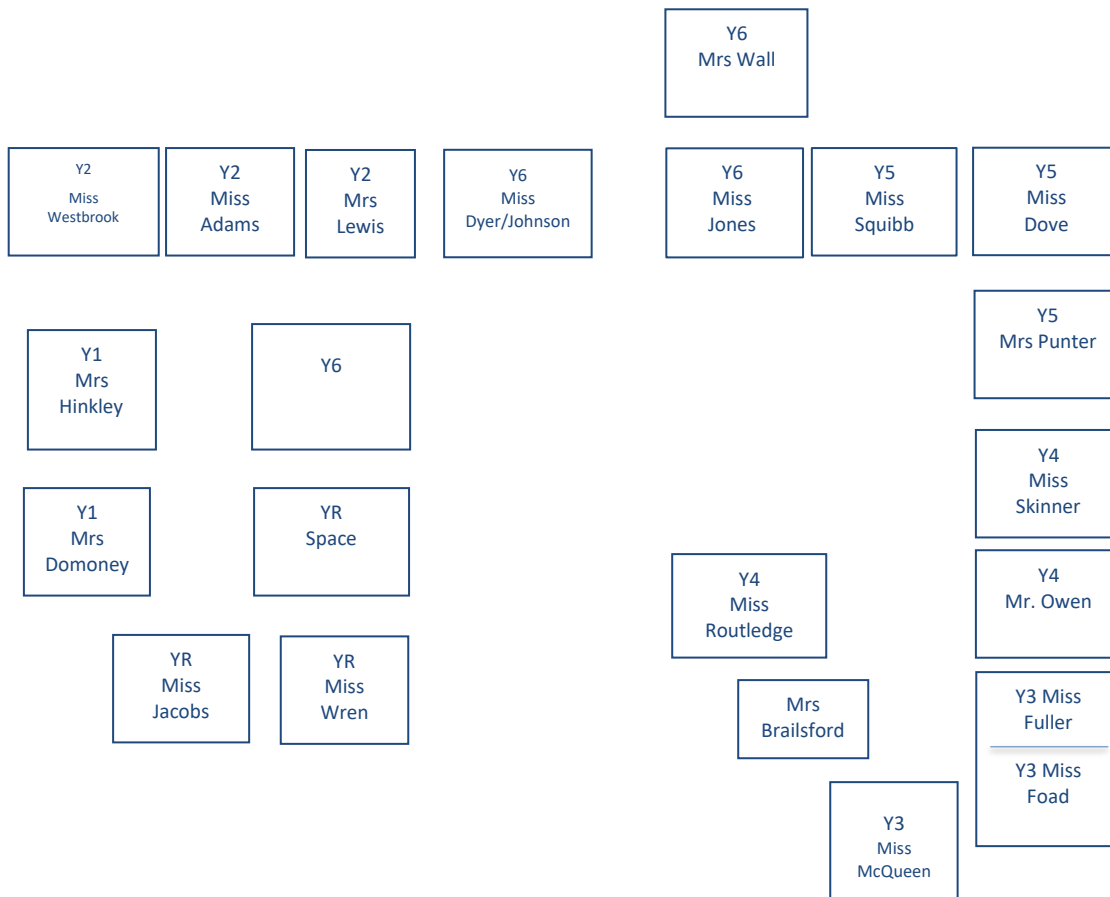
**Summer Term 2024** starts on Monday 15th April 2024 and ends on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July 2024

(Half term from Monday 27th May 2024 to Friday 7th June 2024 – 2 weeks)

**(Development Days Monday 3rd June 2024 – Friday 7th June 2024 – School Closed)**



Class Base for September 2023-2024



There will be another letter coming home soon with the end of term arrangements for children in school. I really cannot believe this is my ending and hope that the new school year brings as much great learning and fun as the past thirteen. Mrs Sutton is looking forward to joining in September.

If you have any concerns or worries please email me at [Caroline.Sice@lanesendpri.iow.sch.uk](mailto:Caroline.Sice@lanesendpri.iow.sch.uk).

Kind regards

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