



SUNNING HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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Building a Bright Future Together

Staffing Update & Classes for September 2023

Sadly, we have several staff leaving us at the end of term. Mrs Hardingham will be taking on a TLR position at another Bolton school and Miss Giga is planning to go travelling. Mrs Munshi is returning to teaching and Miss Syed is leaving our nursery to pursue a career in teaching. Mrs Amla is leaving to work at another local school, Miss Ismail is taking a break and Miss Birtwell is relocating.

They will all be sadly missed and we wish them all the very best in the future. We would like to take this opportunity to thank them all for their hard work and dedication during their time at Sunning Hill.

The children had their transition day today and spent the day with their new teacher and support staff. The list below shows the new class teachers from Y1 -> Y6 for September and each year group will be supported by teaching assistants.

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| Nursery 2 year olds | | Miss Little | |
| Nursery 3 year olds | | Miss Ingar & Mrs Patel | |
| Reception | | Mrs Power and Mrs Longworth | |
| Reception* | → 1H Mrs Hitchen | Reception* | → 1M Miss Moore |
| 1J Mrs Jepson | → 2P Mrs Potter/Miss Stanley | 1M Miss Moore | → Miss Thornborough/Miss Stanley |
| 2C Miss Collins (Mrs Potter) | → 3H Miss Howells/Mrs Ashton | 2T Miss Thornborough | → 3E Mrs Essex Crosby/Mrs Ashton |
| 3H Miss Howells | → 4T Mr Tonge/ Mrs Ashton | 3R Mr Radwan | → 4J Mrs Jepson/ Mrs Ashton |
| 4N Mrs Hitchen | → 5R Mr Radwan/Mrs Neale | 4T Mr Tonge | → 5L Mrs Laidlaw/Mrs Neale |
| 5H Mrs Hussain | → 6S Mr Sweeney/Mrs Hussain | 5L Mrs Laidlaw | → 6P Mr Platt/Mrs Hussain |

**Please note that the reception children have been regrouped and parents in this year group will receive a slip outlining which class their child will be in next year.*



End of Term Assessments & Reports

You will be receiving your child's report in the last week of term. This report is an evaluation of your child's progress up to the end of the summer term. It is based on various pieces of information including teacher assessment and observations, class work, knowledge and understanding, development of key skills and test outcomes. There will be an online form, on the parent tab on our school website, for you to complete your parental comments.

School Uniform

Below is a list of our school uniform for September 2023.

- White polo shirt or shirt
- Royal blue sweatshirt
- Grey trousers, skirt or pinafore
- Blue or grey tights/leggings (white can worn in spring/summer)
- White and blue checked dress (spring/summer)

If your child chooses to wear a headscarf this must be plain royal blue or white.

Footwear

- Plain black shoes or plain black/dark blue trainers

PE kit

- Black or blue shorts or tracksuit bottoms
- Plain white t-shirt
- Black PE pumps or plain black/dark blue trainers

A Big Thank you

We would like to say a big thank you to The Qamar Trust who over the year have donated £450 to school to buy books for the children. The money has been used to buy Geography, History and Science books that will support learning in the classroom. Thank you for your generous donation.

Water Bottles

The children have asked if they can bring their own water bottle into school. From September all children will need to bring their own water bottle. This needs to be no larger than 500ml and must have a lid with a sports cap.

These can be purchased for as little as £1.



Holiday Activities and Food

HAF funding supports children and families on benefits related Free School Meals with free fun, creative sessions offering sports, games, physical activity and food during the school holidays. There are also lots of free activities and food sessions, family events which are open to all young people (most council sessions and our big free park events). Please visit the website for more information about what is going on during the summer holiday <https://www.bolton.gov.uk/HAF>

All our staff would like to wish you all a safe and happy holiday and we look forward to welcoming the children back on **Monday 4th September**.

Please remember that if you have any concern regarding your child, no matter how small, please do not hesitate to get in touch. We are always keen to ensure that all our pupils are happy and settled in school.

If you or your family needs support or please contact Bolton Families Information Service. Tel: 01204 386030 email: families@bolton.gov.uk or try the following websites: www.help4me.info and www.childcarelink.gov.uk/bolton