

Bitterley C of E Primary School Academy 2-11



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back!

After a very sunny summer, it is with great pleasure that we welcome you all to the new term at Bitterley CE Primary school!

As you may have noticed over the summer break, we have continued to focus on improving the environment for the children. Various areas of the school have been painted, including the hall, and we have had a new floor installed in the nursery.

What do children need to bring to school?

All pupils will need to be wearing the correct school uniform, as listed on the website. Please ensure that everything you send into school is named, including all items of clothing and footwear. We also ask that where possible, you do not send your child in with a bag. Where a bag is needed, please ensure that it is named and is as small as is practical.

The school will provide pencils, pens and any other equipment required by the children. All your child will need is their coat, water bottle and a packed lunch if they do not wish to have a cooked school meal.

PE kit and PE days

On days when your child has a PE lesson, they will need to come into school wearing their PE kit.

Please note the days your child will be doing PE.

- Monday: Majestic Maples – Majestic Maples children will be swimming this term but can still wear PE kit to make it easier to change.
- Tuesday: Mighty Oaks
- Thursday: Wondrous Willows
- Friday: Fantastic Firs

Forest School

Forest school days are as follows:

- Tuesday: Wondrous Willows
- Wednesday: Fantastic Firs
- Thursday: Majestic Maples
- Friday: Mighty Oaks

On forest school days, your child will need a full change of clothes, including footwear, and waterproof clothing. Please note they may come home very muddy!

Dropping children off and picking them up.

We continue to have a strong focus on attendance at Bitterley CE Primary school. It is really important that the children arrive on time, between 8:40am and 8:55am. The gate will close at 8.55am If you arrive after the gate has closed, please do not leave your child unattended at the entrance to the playground it is your responsibility to hand your child over at the school office and let staff know why your child is late.

Please only use the nursery gate to drop off and pick up nursery children.

Buses, After School Care and Clubs.

If your child is on the bus list, we will assume they are going home on the bus unless notified by parents/carers. Any change of arrangements for the end of the day need to be communicated by you, not your child via the admin email address or a phone call. This will then be passed to the appropriate member of staff.

Mr M Halstead

Head of School

Mrs Kerrie Lewis

Executive Headteacher