



Welcome to a New School Year!

Dear Parents,

I hope this letter finds you and your family well. As we embark on a brand-new academic year, I wanted to take a moment to extend a warm welcome to each and every one of you. Whether you are new to our school community or returning for another year, we are delighted to have you with us.

At Olderfleet, we believe in fostering a positive and inclusive learning environment, where every child can grow and thrive. Our dedicated team of teachers and staff are committed to providing the highest quality education and support for your children. We firmly believe that a strong partnership between home and school is crucial, and we look forward to working closely with you throughout the year.

As we settle into the new school year, I would like to share a few important pieces of information and recommendations:

Uniform and Equipment

Please ensure that your child comes to school wearing the correct uniform. A neat and tidy appearance not only promotes a sense of belonging but also helps establish a focused learning environment. We kindly ask that all items of clothing, including shoes and accessories, are clearly labelled with your child's name.

Additionally, it is essential that your child comes prepared with the necessary equipment. This includes a suitable school bag/book folder, writing materials, and any specific items requested by their teacher. Encouraging your child to take responsibility for their own belongings will help them to develop independence and organization skills.

Attendance and Punctuality

Regular attendance and punctuality are vital for your child's progress and success at school. We kindly request that you ensure your child arrives at school on time every day. If your child is unable to attend due to illness or other circumstances, please notify the school as soon as possible. If your child is absent for an extended period, please contact the school to discuss the appropriate support we can provide.

Communication

Effective communication between school and home is crucial for your child's education. We will keep you informed about important dates, events, and relevant updates throughout the year. Our primary means of communication will be through Seesaw, written letters and our school website. Please ensure that you provide us with your most up-to-date contact details so that we can keep you informed.

Parent Involvement

We strongly believe in the importance of parental involvement in your child's education. There will be plenty of opportunities for you to engage with the school, including parent-teacher meetings, workshops and events. We encourage you to take an active interest in your child's learning journey and to support their progress at home.

Celebrating Achievements

Lastly, we believe in celebrating the achievements and successes of our students. We will recognize and commend their efforts in various ways throughout the year. Whether it is academic excellence, sporting achievements, or personal growth, we believe that every milestone should be acknowledged and celebrated as it contributes to building their confidence and resilience.

Once again, welcome to the new school year! I am confident that together, we can make this a fulfilling and enriching year for your child. If you have any questions, concerns or suggestions, please do not hesitate to reach out to us.

Yours sincerely,

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