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Dates for the Autumn term

Dear Parents,

Class photos:

Class photos were taken on Wednesday. All ordering is done online at www.dephoto.biz Each class have been given their own code to view/ order photos.

Hoardings competition:

Good news! Our entry into the considerate constructors scheme Ivor Goodsite hoarding competition ended up with us being judged as one of the runners up! They sent us lots of little prizes for the children that were distributed yesterday.

Year 6 good byes:

Year6 had a fantastic end to their time at Friars with a brilliant performance of "Grease" and their graduation ceremony on Wednesday. They also enjoyed their "bubble football" party and picnic out yesterday. We wish them all the best in the world as they move onto the next exciting phase of their lives.

Staff good byes:

We also said goodbye today to Sisi and Camille, two of our agency TAs, Miss Pin-itan, our KS2 cover teacher and Miss Howes, our Y5 teacher. We wish them all the best for their future endeavours and thank them for all their efforts.

Autumn term 2018 start date:

All children from Y1 to Y6 are due back to school on Tuesday 4th September. Our new Nursery and Reception children will have a staggered start from later on in the week.

A final word:

All it remains is for me to say a huge thankyou to the Governors, staff and parents who together work so hard to ensure the children of Friars get as good an education as possible. We have done a great job this year and go forward into the next year full of hope and aspiration. Have a great summer everyone. You deserve it!

Farewell to Year 6!



New items in red

Tuesday 4th September—Autumn term start for children

Thursday 6th September—secondary transfer meeting for Y6 parents 5:00—6:00

Tuesday 11th September—Borough Academy information session 9am; **Y5 start swimming**

Wednesday 12th September—Mandarin lessons start for all classes from YR to Y6; **Y5 chess lessons start**

Tuesday 18th September—meet the teacher workshops for all parents 5:30—6:15

Friday 21st September—parent coffee morning 9am

Wednesday 26th September—Y4 parent IMPACT workshop

Friday 28th September—harvest assembly 11am

Wednesday 3rd October—Friday 5th October—Cycle training for Y6

Wednesday 3rd October—YR parent IMPACT workshop

Monday 8th October—Y2 to KS1 bright sparks concert

Tuesday 9th October—Parent open morning 9:10—10

Thursday 11th October—open morning for prospective YN/YR parents 10am

Growth mindset thought for the week:

"THE SECRET OF CHANGE IS TO FOCUS ALL OF YOUR ENERGY, NOT ON FIGHTING THE OLD, BUT ON BUILDING THE NEW."

— SOCRATES

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Have a lovely summer!
Yours sincerely,
J. Burtt, Headteacher

Commitment to keeping children safe:

Paper copies of our safeguarding policy are available for parents from the school office. It is also posted on the policies section of the website.



EYFS/KS1

Well Done KS1

**What a fantastic KS1 &
what a fantastic year
we've had!**



KS2

Well Done KS2

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what a fantastic year
we've had!**



**Assembly theme / on our return:
A fresh start**



	Class	ATTENDANCE
1st	6	98.08%
2nd	4	92.02%
3rd	3	91.91%
4th	5	89.05%
5th	1	88.67%
6th	R	80.58%
7th	2	71.49%



	Class	ON TIME
1st	R	97.84%
2nd	3	97.06%
95.8%	5	95.99%
4th	4	95.82%
5th	1	93.75%
6th	2	93.57%
7th	6	92.72%