



WELCOME NEWSLETTER



Term- Spring
September 2023

Everyone at Archdale would like to say welcome back to all of our pupils returning this term. Also a huge welcome to our new starters, it is so lovely to see the school full of life again.



Polite reminders

- School starts at 8:50am – parents who bring their child to school please wait patiently outside reception and phone the office to say that you are here. The teachers /TAs will then meet you outside to collect your child and take them to their class.
- School Finishes at 3:15pm – When you arrive you do not need to phone the office, please wait outside and your child will be brought to you at the finishing time.
- If you are running late to collect your child please call the office, waiting in reception can be very unsettling for the children.
- If your child is sick please phone/email school with the reason, if we do not hear from you by 9:30am you will receive an absence text or call.
- Holiday request forms must be filled out if you are planning a holiday in term time. Please be aware that Archdale School follow the Local Authority guidelines, time taken out of school could result in a fine. Follow this link for more details <https://www.gov.uk/school-attendance-absence/legal-action-to-enforce-school-attendance>

Thankyou!

School Topic this term – ‘Our Environment’

All of our classes will be focusing on different areas of ‘Our Environment’

EYFS will be learning all about the environment within school, feeling safe in their new class room, getting to know the staff that are supporting them and the new friends that they have made.

KS1 & KS2 are excited to learn about recycling and the outdoors. As the weather changes they will be collecting leaves, litter picking, planting and taking trips to the local park.



FOOD BANK

The Archdale food bank will continue to help our families. Food parcels will be sent home to those who need it. If you would like to be put on the list to receive help please call school and speak to reception or our healthcare team.

Please donate if you can!



Premises Update

Swan Class

The new canopy is now up, the children can now enjoy their outdoor space.

Lighting

Over the summer holidays we have had energy saving lighting fitted throughout the school and solar panels repaired to help reduce the cost.

Outdoor Learning Provision

We are currently in the process of developing our outdoor spaces, if you have any spare pots and pans, kitchen utensils, mini trowels, colanders please send them into school

Parents Evening

Wednesday 11th October 2023

Wednesday 7th February 2024

School Photos

Wednesday 22nd November 2023

STAFF UPDATE - welcome to our newest staff members

Holly & Eleanor
Teachers



Michael
HLTA



Souad, Lauren & Kamilla
Support Staff



Chair of Governor

Say hello to our new chair of governor who will be sharing the post.
You can find more information on our website.

Jill LeBihan



Antonella Pini



Dietary changers

If there are any changers to your child's diet or any confirmed allergies please contact the school office and Taylor Shaw to ensure that their feeding plan is updated.

Taylor Shaw
Seeing food differently