

Paulton Infant School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope that you have all had a fantastic summer break and are excited and ready for the new academic year to begin on Wednesday 4th September 2024.

We recognise that this can be an exciting but anxious time for parents and children and so if you feel it is helpful, do refer to the social stories that we have created for your children to help them develop familiarity with their new classrooms and adults. Electronic versions of these can be found on the school website by clicking on the KS1 tab.

We are really looking forward to welcoming the children back to school and wanted to share some information with you prior to the start of term.

This year, PE expectations are changing slightly. All children will still have 2 lessons of PE a week; 1 with our PE Coach Mr Jackson and one with their class teacher. However, to help maximize learning time we ask that **children come to school dressed for PE on their set days** and they will remain in their PE kit for the entire school day. As PE will primarily take place outside where possible, please do ensure that children have appropriate named kit with them.

Current PE days are as follows:

Class	PE Days
Hawthorn (Year 1)	Wednesday and Friday
Hazel (Year 1)	Monday and Wednesday
Sycamore (Year 2)	Tuesday and Friday
Magnolia (Year 2)	Monday and Friday

Please note that coaching sessions start this week so **Hawthorn and Hazel may come to school on Wednesday 3rd September dressed in their PE kits if you wish or can come in ordinary school uniform.**

On another note, over the next few days, please do take a look at the KS1 page on the website which is currently being updated with key information and documents relating to term 1.

For now, have a wonderful last few days at home and we will see you on Wednesday! As always, any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the school office or speak to your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr Cozens (KS Lead) on behalf of the KS1 Team