

# Welcome to Cedar class

Meet the teacher September 2024

## Agenda...

- Meet the team
- School uniform and PE
- Curriculum newsletters
- Morning and afternoon routines
- ▶ Timetable
- ► Home learning activities
- Roles and responsibilities
- ▶ Trips and visits and future events
- Questions

#### Meet the team...

**Teacher – Mrs Smith** I teach Cedar Class on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

I have been teaching for 5 years. I retrained after a career in business in Marketing and Market Research. I am married with three children aged 20, 18 and 15. I love to travel and enjoy keeping fit, especially walking our cockapoo called Oscar!

#### Teacher – Mrs Bickerton

I have been teaching at Kidmore End for 12 years and am also the SENCo. I have two children aged 3 and 6 who keep me busy when I am not teaching! When I do get some time to relax I love reading and am part of a book club.

#### Teaching Assistant – Mrs Jordan

I have been working at Kidmore End for 7 years. I have two grown up children. I have a tortoise and two chickens. I enjoy keeping fit!

#### Teaching Assistant – Mrs Davies

I have been working at Kidmore End for 6 years. I have two children, 18 and 13 (they both came to Kidmore End School). I like walking my dog and cooking.



## School uniform expectations, a reminder...

- It has been wonderful to see your children looking so smart!
- Navy Skirt, Pinafore Dress or Smart Trousers or Red & White Gingham Dress in Summer (optional)
- Grey Shorts or Trousers
- Red School Polo Shirt\*
- Navy School Sweatshirt or Cardigan \*
- Navy or white knee-length socks or navy tights
- Grey socks
- Black shoes, not trainers or ankle boots
- > Details of the uniform can be found on our website:

https://www.kidmore-end.co.uk/parents/school-uniform

#### PLEASE NAME EVERYTHING!



## PE days ...

- > Your child needs to come to school wearing their PE uniform on their PE days.
- > Details of the uniform can be found on our website:

<u>https://www.kidmore-end.co.uk/parents/school-uniform</u>

- ► The PE uniform is:
  - Red School PE T-Shirt
  - Navy Shorts
  - Navy Tracksuit bottoms
  - Plain Navy PE Jumper or School sweatshirt
  - ► Trainers
- ▶ We have PE on a:
  - ▶ Tuesday
  - ► Friday

#### Curriculum newsletters...

- ▶ These will be emailed out termly
- They give and overview of our learning for the term across all areas of the curriculum
- ► <u>KE newsletter</u>

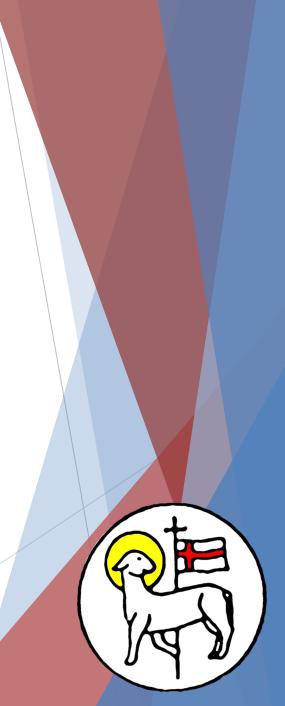
### The morning and home time routine...

#### Morning

- ▶ Gates open at 8.30am
- Bell is rung at 8.35am. Children can start to enter school from this time
- Registration is at 8.45am arriving after this time will result in your child being marked as late in the register
- ▶ If arriving after 8.45am, please enter through the front entrance

#### ► Afternoon

- ▶ Gates open at 3.10pm
- Children are dismissed at 3.15pm



### Our timetable

	8.45- 9.00	9.00-9.20	9.20-10.00	10.00-10.45		11.00-12.00	12.00-12.15			1.30-2.15	2.15-3.00		
Monday	Fine Motor	Whole school assembly	Phonics	Literacy		Maths	Whole class reading/daily 1:1 readers			History	PSHE	Story 3-3.15	
Tuesday	Fine Motor	Church assembly	Phonics	Literacy	1.00	Maths	Whole class reading/daily 1:1 readers	1.15	laths	PE	Science		
Wednesday	Fine Motor	Singing assembly	Phonics	Literacy	BREAK 10.45-11.00	Maths	Whole class reading/daily 1:1 readers	LUNCH 12.15 -1.15	NCETM Quick Maths	Music	Reading/ Book Club		
Thursday	Fine Motor	Class assembly	Phonics	Literacy		Maths	Whole class reading/daily 1:1 readers			Art	D.T		
Friday	Fine Motor	Celebration assembly	Phonics	Literacy		R.E	Whole class reading/daily 1:1 readers			Computing	P.E		

#### Home learning activities and expectations...

Daily reading

- Tricky words
- ▶ Termly topic project:
  - Term 1 Your Family Tree (drawings, models or any other way!) by Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October please!

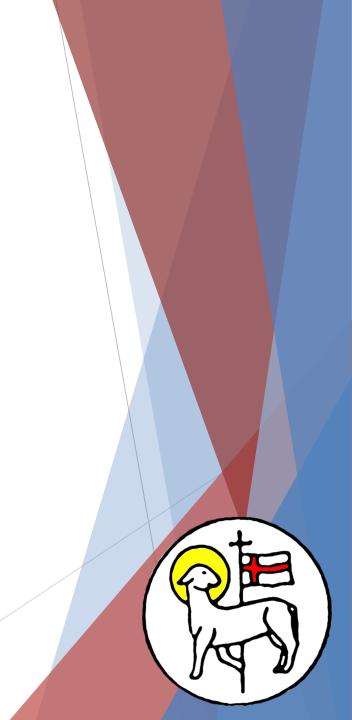
### Roles and responsibilities ...

- School council (Y1 Y6. Elected by class after 'speech')
- Eco council (Y1 Y6. Elected by class after 'speech')
- Prefects (Y6. Application to Miss Spankie)
- Playground leaders (Y6. Application to Mrs Machin)
- Team captains (Y6. Elected by their team after 'speech')

## Trips and visits this year...

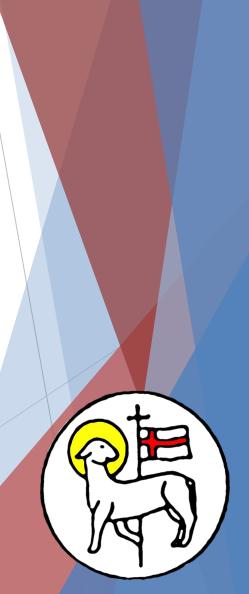
Autumn term

- ▶ Walk around Kidmore End Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November
- Spring term
  - ► Legoland
- Summer term
  - ▶ Trip linked to our animal topic



#### Future events...

- Parents evening w/c 4<sup>th</sup> November
- ► KESA events
- Christmas events Cedar/Cherry Nativity Play
- Further details and dates will be emailed and included in the weekly school newsletter
- Please arrange a meeting or phone call via the office with either of us if you have any concerns or questions



#### Optional extra page...

- Book Club each Wednesday afternoon we would like to invite your child to bring in a book that they have particularly enjoyed to share with the class.
- Childhood topic as we explore what is was like to be a child in the past, we would like to invite any grandparents to visit Cedar Class on the Monday afternoon of either 14th October or 21st October. If this is of interest please contact the office to let us know.

### Questions...

