Encourage each other to do well

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NORTHFIELD JUNIOR SCHOOL

A WARM WELCOME

Dear Y2 Parent & Children

On behalf of all of us at Northfield, may I welcome you, as a new or familiar family, to our wonderful school!

Moving to a new school is a very exciting time and we do all we can to make parents and children feel at home as soon as possible. We know that only when children are happy and secure in their surroundings, can the learning process start with a firm foundation.

Meet Key Staff Members

Whilst you may have already visited the school back in October, it is important you recognise key members of staff within school that are responsible for ensuring you and your child settle into the Northfield family.

Mr Walmsley
(Headteacher)

Miss Jones
(Y3 Transition Lead)

Mrs Housley
(Business Officer)

Mrs Senior
(Office Assistant)

Pre-Transition Day Events

The following transition dates have been agreed with your child's infant school and we look forward to meeting your child at these events:

- Thursday 2nd July - Children to visit Northfield 9.30am - 11.30am
- Wednesday 8th July - Children to visit Northfield 9.30am - 11.30am

On both of these days, the children will be walked to Northfield from their infant school.

'The little school with the big heart'

Transition Day - Monday 20th July

On Monday 20th July, your child will come to Northfield for the full day. They will be met at the top gate by a member of Northfield staff, in their infant school uniform (Northfield uniform if you wish), at 9:15am. On this day, it is your responsibility to bring your child to Northfield.
School will provide the children with a school meal - if you would like to send your child with a packed lunch, then you may.
You will then need to collect your child at 3pm from the top yard.

Northfield Admissions Forms

Please complete our online Northfield Admissions Form which is available on our website (under quick links, Y2 transition information) or from the QR code to the left. Within our online Northfield Admission form there is an opportunity to let us know your child's friendship group. We use these, along with the information from the infant schools, to compile classes. We will try to ensure your child has at least one chosen friend in their new class.

Class Arrangements & Meet the Teacher

At the time of writing, the exact class structure in Y3/4 has not been confirmed. There will be three classes taught by Miss Jones, Mrs Bristow, Mr Mears, Mrs Mallaband and Mrs Hay. You are welcomed to our Meet the Teacher event on Monday 20th July.

It's Good to Talk

Please remember that if there is anything you would like to discuss regarding your child's education and welfare please talk to us straight away. Northfield is a very warm and friendly school and we will always do our best to address your concerns as soon as we know about them! We have a dedicated parent email address parent@northfield.derbyshire.sch.uk if you have any question - big or small.

I look forward to welcoming you and your child to the school in the near future.

Best Wishes,

Johnathon Walmsley