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Dear Parents,

Welcome to Year 3-4. We hope you all had a wonderful summer holiday. We have had a super start to the term and we know it is going to continue over the next few weeks with many exciting things planned. Now we are back into routine, children should be coming home with library books and reading books, reading diaries and spelling group lists.

The Year 3-4 teaching team consists of:

Robin Class: Miss McInally
Sparrow Class: Mrs Whitwham and Mrs Welch
Wren Class: Mrs Simmons

On a Wednesday afternoon, the children in Robin Class are taught by Mrs Redford, and the children of Wren Class are taught by Mrs Hearn.

Throughout the week, the children will also be supported by our wonderful Learning Support Assistants: Mrs Sprack, Mrs Millard, Mrs Alexander, Mrs Armstrong and Mrs Kurn.

Maths
For maths lessons, children will be in maths groups that match their chronological age.

PE Kits
Children are expected to have their PE kits in school **at all times** in the event of timetable changes. In accordance with the updated PE Kit policy, children are allowed to wear a plain, coloured T-shirt in the same colour as their house or a plain white T shirt. Children should wear black or dark shorts and sensible PE trainers for running around in. In the event of forgotten PE kit, children will be expected to take part in PE in the form of an observer, and will complete a PE observation form focussing on the skills taught in the lesson.

Drink Bottles
Please ensure your child has a drink bottle filled with water in school every day and that this is named.

Parent Helpers
We are always incredibly appreciative when parents (or other adults) get involved in classroom life. If you are interested in volunteering to hear readers, run a club or for special events/trips, please let the office or one of us know.

We are all looking forward to a year full of great successes and lots of pride.

Kind regards,

Miss McInally, Mrs Simmons, Mrs Welch and Mrs Whitwham

