## Headteacher Update June 2023

## Welcome Back after the break!

After the half term break, we now head into the last weeks of this academic year and it is a very busy time of year for everyone.

It was lovely to see the children this morning as they came into school smiling - so many said a lovely good morning and I was delighted to spot so many children carefully walking their scooters into the school grounds. A big thank you for supporting us with this!

Despite a chilly start to the week, we understand that the weather may soon warm up and the sun appear. In preparation for this, we have updated our Sun Safety Policy, which will be sent out to you later this week. Please read it and help us to help your children stay safe in the sun.

In staffing news, we said a special farewell to Mrs Anna Gee (Teaching Assistant) who has retired after more than 25 years. We wish her all the best and thank her for her commitment and work.

There are lots of events planned for the children this half term - Year 2 walks to the local church, Sports Day, Healthy Week, Topic Celebrations, Class Assemblies, Fathers Celebration and many transition activities to help children prepare for the next stage in their learning journey.

Please be aware that transition can be a worrying, exciting or curious time for your child. Whilst we work closely as a staff and with our feeder junior school to prepare children, we also speak with other settings and schools to make sure your child has a good start in September. You can help by encouraging your child to see new things as an adventure and by talking to class staff if your child identifies any particular worries about new schools or new classes.

We look forward to working with you this half term.

Regards Mrs Taylor