



Bourton on the Water Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We would like to extend a particularly warm welcome to the many new faces who have recently joined our school and we trust that you all had a lovely time over the summer holidays. This week as the children move up the school into their new year groups, we hope they will soon settle into their new classes. Inevitably there will be the odd teething problem so please touch base with us, should issues arise.

As a result of the school staff conference last summer term, we have now prepared the School Development Plan for 2011 – 2012.

Our vision includes a clear educational mission statement:

Challenge, Amaze, Respect, Enjoy

Our tag line 'We CARE' underpins every aspect of school life and is key to ensuring high levels of motivation, enthusiasm and excitement for everyone:-

- Challenge** – we show determination to improve and succeed
- Amaze** – we celebrate the achievements of others and ourselves
- Respect** – we look after ourselves, each other and our community
- Enjoy** – we achieve our potential and gain skills for life

We recognise that parental involvement is an important part of school life for all our pupils. We therefore wish to extend an invitation to all our parents for the following events:

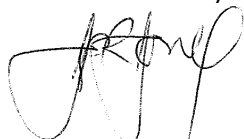
Date	Title	Where and When
14 th September	Parental Briefing Conference	Classroom Year 1 at 3.15pm
		Classrooms Year 2 at 3.30pm
		Classroom Year 3 at 3.45pm
		Classroom Year 4 at 4pm
		Classroom Year 5 at 4.15pm
		Classrooms Year 6 at 4.30pm
7 th October	School Harvest Service	St Lawrence's Church 2pm.
11 th November	Armistice Day	The War Memorial, High Street, Bourton on the Water for 11am
15 th & 16 th November	Parents Consultation Evenings	Individual appointment dates & times to be confirmed later
1 st December	'My Maths' an opportunity for your child will show you their Maths skills	Your child's classroom 3pm to 4pm
12 th & 13 th December	Infants KS1 Christmas Performance	School Hall 1.45pm on both days
14 th December	Junior KS2 Christmas Performance	St Lawrence's Church, 1.30pm & 6pm

The first of these events is next Wednesday, 14th September (times vary according to year group) with the parental briefing conference. This is a short meeting where the teachers will introduce themselves, run through the term's topic and the homework expectations.

Whilst you are with us for the Parental Briefing Conference, we would like to invite you to look through the children's lost property which will be in our school hall. Hopefully your child will be reunited with any missing items of uniform.

We look forward to seeing you next Wednesday.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jap R Jones', written in a cursive style.

Jap R Jones
Headteacher