

Happy

Successful

and Safe



Deanwood
Primary School

4th September 2026

This Week at Deanwood

The school building has undergone a transformation over the summer break! Not only have we had a shift around in the reception area but we also now have a wonderful timeline on the wall as you enter the main body of the school. Our RWI groups have also been enjoying having a new designated space for their learning outside the Staff Room. As well as this, Years 4, 5 and 6 have been given a lick of paint and new flooring and Years 3 and 4 have new tables and chairs. The school looks very smart! We would like to say a big "Thank You" to THAT's Estates Team who have helped to make all of this happen in a very short space of time. Please feel free to come and take a look if you are coming to one of the Meet and Greet sessions next week. We can guarantee that you will say "Wow!" when you see the transformation.



Hello From Our Principal

Welcome Back!

I have thoroughly enjoyed seeing the children coming back to school this week with smiles on their faces. They have all been keen to tell me about everything that they have been up to over the summer break - they have certainly been busy!

It has been great to see the children looking so smart in their new school uniforms. Please ensure that you have written your child's name in all of their uniform (including their shoes and wellies) so that we can return lost items to their owners.

This week, Keely in Nursery was proud to tell me all about the Mini Summer Reading Challenge that she completed. Well done!



Attendance data

Whole School



The government's expectation is for all children to attend school at least 95% of the time. This week, our whole school data is above this expectation.

Year R



Year 1



Year 2



Year 3



Year 4



Year 5



Year 6



Classroom Spotlight

Elm Class

Welcome back Year 6!

What a great start to the term; the children have settled really well and are already modelling high standards of both work ethic and behaviour. We have dived straight into Maths looking at numbers to 10 million and exploring values as well as what these look like in both numerals and words.

Some of the children have already taken on new roles like Play Leaders and hall monitors - they have done a great job so far!

As a class, we have immersed ourselves in PSHE looking at rules, rewards, consequences and what democracy is as well as what this looks like in our school. The children have discussed ambitions and how our hopes may differ from children in other countries.

We have also played some high energy team games in our first PE lesson.

A fabulous start to the new school year! I am looking forward to watching the children grow and develop throughout their final year of Primary School.

Safeguarding

If you are worried about a child's safety or well-being, please report your concern to our safeguarding team immediately.



Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) is **Mrs J Wright**



Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead is **Mrs L Russell**



Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead is **Mrs R Fuller**

Important Dates

- 7th September** Maple Class Meet and Greet @ 3:30p.m.
Hawthorn Class Meet and Greet @ 3:50p.m.
- 8th September** Elm Class Meet and Greet @ 3:30p.m.
Cedar Class Meet and Greet @ 3:50p.m.
- 9th September** KS2 Author Visit
- 10th September** Oak Class Meet and Greet @ 3:50p.m.



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