

June 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Noremarsh!

At Noremarsh, we believe that school is a partnership between parents, children and teachers. This year is no exception to this! We have worked closely with both Wootton Bassett Infants School (WBIS) and previous parents on our induction arrangements.

Starting a new school is a really important milestone in a child's life. We want to make this a happy memory, giving you and your child as much experience and familiarity as possible with Noremarsh before the September 2023 start.

Noremarsh Headteacher Visits (Mrs MacMeekin): Thursdays 15th June & 29th June
I began my transition visits in the Autumn term, sharing stories with all the year 2 children.
Last term on my visit I asked them to think of questions they would like to ask me before they start. I will be visiting the year 2 classes again to share some more of my favourite stories and answer the questions they have generated.

Noremarsh Teacher Visit

Some of our teachers will be visiting later in the term. During this the teachers will explain how the school day at Noremarsh works and will answer any questions that the children have.

Induction Morning - Thursday 29th June

Please arrive at Noremarsh for no later than 08.55. The children will be taking part in some exciting activities taught by the year 3 teachers. We hope that meeting their teachers will mean that the children feel more confident and excited about coming to Noremarsh. Children should wear their normal WBIS school uniform and please make sure that your child brings a water bottle and a healthy litter free snack to eat at playtime. The children will return to WBIS in time for lunch.

Traditional sports day – Monday 3th July please arrive at Noremarsh for 08.55

We are inviting all the Year 2 children to join us for our traditional sports morning. They will join with our children in a range of traditional athletics activities including races. Parents and carers welcome from 9.30am.

Fun Sports Morning – Wednesday 5th July please arrive at Noremarsh for 08.55 We are inviting all WBIS children to join us for our fun sports morning. They will take part in a range of fun PE activities on rotation. Parents and carers welcome from 9.30am.



For both sporting events, children should arrive at Noremarsh to start at 08.55, where they will meet WBIS teachers on the Noremarsh playground. Your child will need to wear their PE kits and be ready to meet their teachers. Please make sure that your child brings a water bottle and a healthy snack to eat at playtime. Please apply sun cream as required before sending them in that morning. WBIS children and parents are invited to stay for a picnic lunch.

If you are bringing your child by car the dropping off point is at the top of the ramp in the car park. Please do not "wait" or park on the school grounds.

We hope that the information you receive will give you all the information you need. However, should you have any further questions please contact us through the school office on 01793 852250 and asking to speak to Mrs Beard or by emailing kbeard@njs.ascendlearningtrust.org.uk

Hilary MacMeekin Headteacher On behalf of the children and teachers of Noremarsh