

May 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Noremarsch!

At Noremarsch, 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 Noremarsch before your child starts with us in September 2026.

Noremarsch Headteacher Visits (Mrs MacMeekin)

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 throughout term 6 to share some more of my favourite stories and answer the questions they have generated.

Noremarsch Teacher Visit

In Term 6 some of our teaching team hope to visit and meet the children, so that there is another opportunity for the children to understand how the school day at Noremarsch works and ask questions.

Traditional sports day – Monday 15th June please arrive at Noremarsch for 08.55

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

Fun Sports Morning – Wednesday 17th June please arrive at Noremarsch for 08.55

We are inviting all WBIS children to join us for our fun sports morning as part of our fitness and wellbeing week. 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 Noremarsch to start at 08.55, where they will meet WBIS teachers on the Noremarsch 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 and make sure that your child is wearing a hat if the weather is warm, as our field can be quite warm.

Induction Morning – Friday 3rd July 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 team. We hope that meeting their new team 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.

SEN Coffee Morning – Thursday 16th July at 9am

All welcome to join us for our final SEN coffee morning of the academic year. A lovely opportunity to speak with Jo Ballinger (SENCO), Clair Wannell (Student Manager) and parents that have settled into our Noremarsh community.

If you are bringing your child by car to any of our induction activities, 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 as Noremarsh is a car free zone at these times.

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 Sherwood or by emailing esherwood@njs.ascendlearningtrust.org.uk

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On behalf of the children and teachers of Noremarsh