



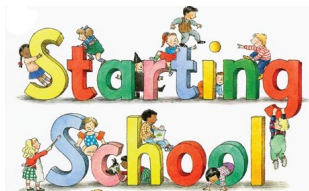
**DODFORD FIRST SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER**
Every Day, a Learning Journey

We are thinking about the value 'RESILIENCE' this half term...



School Photograph Day

Tempest will be in school on Tuesday 27th September to take individual photographs and sibling photographs. Please ensure that your child is in full uniform and has their cardigan or jumper with them as they tend to blend into the white background without them!



Do you know anyone who has a child starting school in September 2023?

We will be having our Open Afternoons and Mornings during early November. More information is in the flyer attached with this newsletter. Please spread the word about our lovely village school as we are hidden away, unlike many other first schools in Bromsgrove!

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CLUBS

**MONDAY 3.15—4.15 —
ART**

THURSDAY 3.15—4.15

MULTI SPORTS

FRIDAY 3.15—4.15

FOOTBALL

COMING SOON!

Fri 23rd Sept—School Disco

Tuesday 27th September—
School Photographs

Fri 30th Sept—Macmillan Coffee Morning—8.45—9.30am in school hall

Cake sale for children at play-time—50p a cake (max of 2)

Friday 30th Sept—Feel Good Friday

Diary dates have been sent out today via email

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'Friends of Dodford' - Parents Association Fundraiser Disco

I hope all of those children who have brought tickets for tonight's disco have a wonderful time. It is great to be able to events like these again where we can bring the Dodford family together and have a bit of fun. Dance your socks off!

Letter regarding the Governing Body

You should have all received a letter regarding changes to the Governing Body. If you haven't please request a copy from the school office.

Meet the Teacher—Owls class

The Meet the Teacher session has been rearranged to Wednesday 28th September at 3.30pm. Please wait on the playground and Mrs Eggleton will come and collect you just before 3.30pm and take you to the classroom.

Meet the Teacher—Wrens and Robins

Thank you to all those parents that have come into school this week to meet their child's class teacher and find out a little more about the year ahead. The presentations will be put onto the school website for those that could not make the meetings.

MacMillan Coffee Morning—Friday 30th September

Can cakes please be sent in from Wednesday onwards and please remember that we have known allergies in school, so please no cakes containing or decorated with nuts, thank you!

Polite Reminder

All extra-curricular clubs finish at 4.15pm. Please can you be prompt in collecting your child, if you are going to be late, please inform the school office. Thank you.

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**STAR OF THE WEEK
AWARD**

WRENS— EDIE

ROBINS 1— LEILA

ROBINS 2— MOLLIE

OWLS 3— KAAYLIAH

OWLS 4— LUKE

ATTENDANCE

WRENS— 97.4%

ROBINS 1— 97.8%

ROBINS 2— 97.6%

OWLS 3— 100%

OWLS 4— 100%

HOUSE POINTS:

AVON: 16

TEME : 16

SEVERN: 12



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School Councillors

The polling station opened yesterday afternoon and the children completed their ballot papers! Here are this year's school councillors, who will work on projects with Mrs Parkes;

Wrens— Evelyn

Robins 1— Rose

Robins 2— Katie

Owls 3— Keziah

Owls 4— Alice

Pupil Forum

We have chosen children in Years 2 to 4 to be members of the Pupil Forum and they will discuss teaching and learning across the school with Mrs Parkes, they are;

Robins 2—Zak and Philippa

Owls 3—Sophie and Croyde

Owls 4—Annabel and Edward

Wellbeing Champions

Our children who will champion wellbeing across the school, working alongside Mrs Eggleton are;

Nieva, Joseph, Beatrice, Sophie, Imogen and Croyde

Sports Crew

Our sports crew will lead on playground games and sporting events and decisions across the school year, working alongside Mrs Eggleton, they are;

Theo (Head), Petal, Edward, William, Boe and Luke.

Our Green Team (eco-warriors!) will be announced next week.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Parkes