

# Sunnylands News



## September update

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### **Infant Playground**

It's great to see our Primary Ones have all settled so well into Sunnylands Primary and are enjoying school.

We now want to move our children to the next stage of independence, from **Monday 18**<sup>th</sup> **September** all children are asked to enter the infant playground on their own, **leaving their parents at the gate**. Mr Smyth will be meeting our pupils at the gate as well as an infant teacher to encourage the children to me in without parents.

#### After School Clubs

After schools will begin again on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September, please ensure you have signed up and paid for these. Everyone must make a payment (no matter how small) in order to begin clubs, if no payment has been received your child cannot attend.

Our funding for our after school clubs has, like other schools, been reduced and therefore we are having to manage on a much smaller budget and therefore we rely on the contributions made by parents to ensure these clubs can continue.



The weather is very showery and is certainly getting colder. We try to allow our children fresh air and exercise every day, taking account of the weather conditions. Please make sure your child is bringing a waterproof coat to school every day.

#### Breakfast Club

There are still some places available in our breakfast club each morning, providing cereal and toast in our school canteen.

Please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Lyons at any time if you have a question or query about any school issue. 028 93362333

#### Behaviour

A summary leaflet of our Positive Behaviour Policy has been sent home with this newsletter.

It clearly sets out the levels of behaviour alongside the rewards deserved by so many of our pupils and sanctions that will be carried out if necessary. This ensures our school gives everyone the opportunity to learn in a safe environment.

#### Lateness

Please work hard to ensure your child arrives in school on time each morning, 8:55 am. Teachers are keen to start their day and need all children in school on time and ready to learn.



## Dates for your Diary:

18<sup>th</sup> September – After school clubs begin

29<sup>th</sup> September – Staff Training Day, children do not attend on this day