



SWANBOURNE CE SCHOOL  
TRANSITION MEETING

# The School Day



- The school gates open at 8.40am
- Morning break is at 11.00 – 11.15am.
- Lunchtime is at 12.15 – 1pm.
- School finishes at 3.15pm.
- Wrap around care at Drayton Parslow is available.
- Timetable

# Communication

- Each class has its own e- schools page where information is displayed for both children and parents.
- All letters are sent to parents via email.
- Please speak to staff member on gate duty to pass on any messages.
- Contact main office to make an appointment.
- Please report absence to the office

# Uniform

- Uniform information outlined in 'Information for new parents'.
- Children need a suitable indoor and outdoor kit. They bring in on a Monday and take home on a Friday, or leave in school for the whole half term.
- Please ensure all PE kit is clearly labelled.

# What will you need?

- ❑ Please ensure your child brings a named water bottle to school each day.
- ❑ We encourage the children to bring a book bag to school.
- ❑ Please ensure their reading books are in school daily and the spelling folders and homework are in school on the set days. These will be explained to the children and displayed on the class e-schools page.
- ❑ Children don't need to bring in a pencil case.

# Reading

- All children will be reading from our KS2 reading scheme at a level appropriate to them.
- Please ensure you listen to your child read, share a book together or read to your child at least 4 times a week. Please record this in their reading record book.
- The children will have the opportunity to choose a library book to bring home each week.

# Homework

- Homework is set weekly and a homework timetable is displayed on each class e-schools page.
- Maths - The children will receive a piece of maths homework, either a written piece or a computer based piece found on Mymaths. They will also be expected to practice their multiplication and related division facts.
- English - The children will bring home weekly English homework. This might be a talk homework, grammar or a preparation task for writing. They will also bring home a set of individualised spellings to learn each week. These will then be tested in school.

# Additional Information

- Class Rules
- Fab Friday
- House Points & badges
- Celebration Assembly
- Volunteers



# What can you do?

- Talk about school when you walk or drive past, showing them where they will be coming in September.
- Helping children to organise themselves, learning the independence that comes with moving up in the school.
- Reading regularly at home.
- Regularly practising times tables at home.
- Helping to complete homework tasks and talk homework.

# Parking

- Please use the drop off zone outside the school.
- Please don't park on the corner at the beginning of Station Road.
- You could park at the Betsey Wynne and walk to school.

# What you can look forward to

- New topics as part of our creative curriculum.
- Autumn term topic – Rainforests
- Whole class instrumental lessons – strings.
- Individual music lessons – application form in the parents handbook.
- Caldecotte Experience.

# Caldecotte

- During the summer term we organise for the children to spend the day at Caldecotte for an outdoor adventure day. Some of the activities the children enjoyed this year included: Sailing, canoeing, scaling the climbing wall and high ropes.



	9.00am - 10.00am	10.00am - 11.00am	11.00am - 11.15am Break	11.15am - 12.15pm	12.15pm - 1.15pm Lunch	1.15pm - 2.15pm	2.15pm - 3.15pm	3.15pm - 3.30pm
Monday	ENGLISH (MH)	MATHS (MH)		FRENCH (MH)		MATHS SPELLING (MH)	SCIENCE (MH)	WORSHIP
Tuesday	ENGLISH (MH)	MATHS (MH)		GUIDED READING (MH)		MATHS SPELLING (MH)	R.E (MH) DT (MH)	WORSHIP
Wednesday	ICT (AC)	P.E (TO)		ENGLISH (SG and MH)		MATHS (SG and MH)	TOPIC (SG)	WORSHIP
Thursday	ENGLISH (SG)	DANCE (TW)		MATHS (SG)		MUSIC (BLT)	TOPIC (SG)	WORSHIP
Friday	ENGLISH (SG)	MATHS (SG)		ART (ZP)		FAB FRIDAY	MATHS SPELLING (SG) P.S.H.E (SG)	WORSHIP