

Summer Newsletter

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News & Information

The River View App



Please remember to download our App.

A link has been added on the bulletin board on our website for both Apple & Android phones/ tablets or you can also just type in 'River View Primary' into the App Store search on your phone, download & sign in with the following:

Username – riverview
Password – parent

Please Register & make sure you agree to receive push notifications and allow all location services to receive messages.

Over the Autumn term we will be phasing out our text messaging service and the app will be the way we will send messages to you, therefore it is really important that you download it.

Dinner Money — Important Reminder

From September school meals will be charged at **£1.50 per day and £7.50 per week**. This continues to be a discount for parents and our governors are keen to support as many children as possible to enjoy a cooked meal at lunchtime. If your child is on school meals, please ensure they are paid onto ParentPay ready for the week ahead or deposited onto the machines situated in the office.

School Blog

Check out our blog from the link on our app or website. Your child could be mentioned as a 'Star of the week' or an 'Attendance Winner'. There is also information and pictures of activities the children have taken part in.

Check out our Nursery Tesco visit from July

Staff News

We are saying good bye to a few members of staff this summer:-

Miss Harris, Miss Corcoran and Miss Barry are taking up teaching positions overseas and we wish them all the best in their exciting new jobs. Mr Nicholls and Mrs Yarwood have both found new jobs closer to home and we wish them every success in their future careers.

The new staff members we are welcoming are:-

Mrs Wilson will re-join our Y6 team. She may be known to you as Miss Bennett who used to work with us a few years ago. Mr Malvern, Miss Wright, Miss Johnson and Miss Merrick are also joining the teaching staff. Our new support staff members are, Mr Catlow, who will be joining our PE team and Miss Pollock and Mrs Hicks are our new Teaching Assistants.

Miss Ball has now returned from maternity leave but Miss Acklam, Mrs Davies and Mrs Martin will all be starting their maternity leaves in September.

Did you know we have 94 members of staff working at River View.

Who can I ask for help?

It might help for you to know who to ask for if you need additional help or information. Miss O'Connor is your key contact for children in Nursery and Reception. Although she doesn't have a class, she teaches across the whole of Nursery and Reception.

Mrs Martin is our Year 1 and Year 2 leader and during her maternity leave Miss Hulse will lead Year 1 and Mrs Batty will lead Year 2.

Miss Formosa is in charge of Years 3 – 5. She makes sure that children are making good progress and works across all the classes to do this.

Mrs Darby and Miss Brodie have responsibility for Year 6 which is often a key year for our children.

Miss Hulse works very closely with our Special Education Needs Co-ordinators (SENCOs) to support any children that have additional needs.

Mrs Laughton is our Safeguarding Officer, working closely with children and their families to make sure that everything runs smoothly for our children. If you have any questions or need any additional help with your child it might be useful to make contact with one of these key members of staff.

Summer Fair

Many thanks to all who came along and supported our Summer Fair on Thursday 5th July.

We made a total of £481 for school funds. Which will go towards purchasing additional items and activities not covered by the school budget for the benefit of our pupils.

New Term Reminders



School Re-opens on Wednesday 5th September 2018.

Expectations

River View has high standards and expectations for our pupils.

Please visit our school website at www.riverviewprimary.co.uk for details regarding uniform, punctuality and attendance. We expect pupils and parents to adhere to our home school agreement which was signed previously when your child was admitted.

School Uniform

Please ensure correct school uniform is adhered to. This includes assuring that your child has the correct PE kit. All our uniform information is on our website.

Holidays in Term Time

Please may we remind you that as a school we do not authorise any holidays during term time.

Parking

Please be respectful towards our local residents and be mindful of where you park. Thankyou to all our parents who have changed where they park to avoid creating dangerous congestion at the bend on Wheaters Street.

Payment of Trip & Clubs

Our preferred method of payment is now online via Parentpay. If you need a username & details of how to access, please contact the school office and we can help you set this up.

In September we will be starting to introduce a full cashless payment system; this will mean that you will need a Parentpay account to pay for After School Club, all trips, milk, activities and anything else that involves a charge.



Irwell Sports League 2017—2018



We played in 6 competitions against 7 other local schools including basketball, hockey, cross country, benchball, athletics and football with children from year 1 through to year 6 having the opportunity to compete for their school. We made the Salford finals in 2 of these sports and are extremely proud of the determination the children show to work as a team to succeed but also enjoy their experiences. It is FANTASTIC news that we retain the trophy again! Well done to all our children that competed and our PE Team .

	Played	1st	2nd	3rd	Points
River View	6	3	2	0	111
The Friars	6	2	1	0	102
Lower Kersal	6	1	0	4	98
St Phillip's	5	0	1	2	78
Brentnall	4	1	1	0	65
Marlborough	4	0	0	0	59
St George's	3	0	2	1	52
St Paul's	4	0	1	1	46

[Contact us](#) - Our friendly office staff – Mrs Johnson, Mrs Brighthouse, Miss Johnson and Mrs Johnstone are available to help with any queries you may have.

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