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At St. Hild's Church of England School we aim to provide all of our pupils with a world class education in a Christian context. We expect to find God at work in our school.



29th August 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

I hope you have had a relaxing summer holiday and enjoyed some family time together. We are looking forward to welcoming all pupils back to school on **Tuesday 5th September at 8:45am prompt**. We are aiming for 100% attendance on the day so that all pupils have a positive start to the term and have all of the information and equipment needed to make good progress throughout the coming academic year. Lessons will begin on this day, which may include PE, so please ensure your child comes with their PE kit which can be stored in their locker.

We are very proud of how smart our children look when attending school and thank you for your cooperation and continued support with this. Please do not be encouraged by your child to purchase expensive branded items as these are not allowed as part of our uniform. If you are unsure what is acceptable, please refer to our Uniform Policy which is available on our website at <u>www.sthilds.neat.org.uk</u> along with other useful information. I would also like to take this opportunity to remind parents and carers that false nails, false eyelashes, and facial piercings are not permitted in school and will need to be removed.

Our new Trust-wide Attendance Policy will take effect from Tuesday 5th September; enclosed with this letter is a leaflet about the importance of good attendance to school and what you can do to support your child to achieve the expected 97% attendance. The policy can be found on our website.

This promises to be a very exciting year and I hope your child is looking forward to returning to school, we are certainly looking forward to seeing them.

Yours sincerely

Mrs T Gibson Headteacher

"I have come that they may have life in all its fullness." - John 10:10

