WELCOME TO CEDAR CLASS 2020

Dear Parent and Carers,

Welcome to Cedar class. Due to obvious circumstances, our usual 'meet the teacher' meeting is now a welcome letter. I would like to start by telling you all how excited I am to be teaching this class and that already we have had a fantastic and positive start to the year. Here are some key points and information; if there are any additional questions we can catch up during the parent/teacher phone calls next week.

Topic and Learning

This term our theme for learning is Japan. Please see our topic web overleaf for further information.

Reading

Reading is a vital aspect of learning as well as a source of creativity and enjoyment. We recommend daily reading for children and for parents to engage in reading with their child. It encourages enjoyment and engagement when children are asked questions about the books they are reading. We will continue to send home reading books weekly.

Homework

Due to current procedures in place, we are reviewing our homework strategy and there will be no weekly homework. Please continue to read every night, practise spellings and timestables. You can visit doodlemaths and doodleEnglish for daily learning as well as timestables rockstars and other websites for additional learning challenges.

PE and PE Kit

PE will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday. Children should always have the correct school PE kit.

Uniform

All children should be wearing the correct uniform and make sure it is labelled. Further details can be found on our website at: https://christchurchschool.cc/school-uniform/

Attendance and Punctuality

Children are expected to attend school on time, every day unless they are unwell. It is incredibly important to arrive on time and attend every day to ensure they are not missing crucial learning.

Safeguarding

Christ Church SW9 has a clear and rigorous set of policies and procedures to keep our children safe. Please also be aware of e-safety and social media guidance.

Communication

We communicate with parents in a number of ways: the weekly newsletter, by phone, text and email. Contact the school office if you need to update your contact details.

Free School Meals

Please return free school meal forms to ensure everyone who is eligible is receiving their entitlement.

Supporting at home

Please make sure children to go to bed at a reasonable time and limitations are placed on screen time in order to help them be ready for the school day.

I look forward to speaking to you next week.

Many thanks,

Mr Tyler & Miss Doherty