Colville County Primary School

4th September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back. I hope the children all enjoyed their summer holidays and are looking forward to returning to school and starting their year in Sparrow Class. If your child is worried about anything connected with being back at school, then please let me know so we can help. You can catch me after school or email me: smitchell@colville.cambs.sch.uk. Mrs Deane and Mrs Rollings are the Sparrow Class teaching assistants.

PE will be on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Please make sure your child has a PE kit in school. We will be doing PE outdoors as much as possible. It is best if the kit stays in school and only goes home for an occasional wash as that leaves less chance of it being forgotten. Wednesday will be hockey and Thursday dance for the first half of the autumn term. You will receive a letter with information about swimming shortly.

Spellings will run from Wednesday to Wednesday. The format will be slightly different to last year: there will be 5 spellings to learn each week but there is more work to complete around the meaning of each word on the sheet which will be sent home. Please return the sheet once it is completed.

Maths homework will continue to be set on Mathletics. Please let me know if you have forgotten your log-in details or need any other assistance.

Reading books will be sent home as they were in Year 2. Please listen to your child read each day and record their reading in their homework diary. Children are also welcome to borrow a second book from our book corner (it could be one they would struggle to read by themselves) for an adult to read to them at home. It is really beneficial for children who are beginning to become more independent in their reading to continue to hear books being read to them.

There is a document with general information about Year 3 with this letter. A curriculum overview and the half-term homework will also be sent separately.

Kind regards,

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