



## *Barrowby Church of England Primary School*

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to [Barrowby Church of England Primary School](#). I appreciate that this is an exciting time for both our new pupils and their parents.

At Barrowby we aim to create a happy, encouraging and challenging environment, where we strive for excellence in all that we do; enabling everyone to fulfil their potential.

We value our caring, friendly family atmosphere within which we set high standards of [behaviour](#) and good manners, in keeping with the ethos of a church school where the [partnership between home, school and the community is vital](#).

School starts for all our children on **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September**. The start and end of a school day can be very busy with parents coming and going, causing congestion and making it very difficult for adults and children.

If you are using the 'Breakfast Club' you will have been advised of the appropriate start time for your child. For those not using this provision, please aim to arrive at school-lining up on the Church path: between 8.45 and 8.55am for both Mrs Banfield's and Mrs Selby's classes. Please do not arrive any earlier than this.

From Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September until Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September, you may bring your child down to their classroom's Fire Exit door, located in the Outdoor Classroom. Please wait on the Church path for a member of staff who will then direct you down the side of the hall building to queue waiting to enter the Outdoor Classroom entrance, where either Mrs Banfield or Mrs Selby, their new class teacher will greet you.

Once you have dropped off your child we would ask that you follow the one-way system in place-walking on the left-hand side through the school's carpark as you leave. When leaving or entering the school, we ask that parents/visitors walk on the left-hand side of the school car park. There will be members of staff on hand to direct you.

During the first week, parents of Reception children can collect their child/ren from the Fire Exit Doors at 3.00pm, at the end of the school day.

From the second week, week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> September, we ask that Reception parents queue with the other infant children on the Church path, at the end of the school day, between 3.15 and 3.30pm to collect their child/ren. Each class will be brought outside and handed over to their parent/carer. Please remember to leave through the car park, walking on the left-hand side.

From the third week, week beginning 20<sup>th</sup> September, we ask that you aim to arrive at school-lining up on the Church path, at the times stated above, and wait to be greeted by a member of staff. The children will then be encouraged to leave their parents at the Church path and walk to their classrooms, supported by school staff.

All pupils should wear their full-school uniform. This includes:

- **Girls:** Barrowby cardigan/jumper, white polo shirt and either mid grey skirt or pinafore dress with mid-grey tights; or mid grey tailored trousers.
- **Boys:** Barrowby jumper, white polo shirt and mid grey tailored trousers.

During the Autumn term:

- **Girls** will not be permitted to wear summer dresses or white ankle socks or white knee length socks; and
- **Boys** will not be permitted to wear mid-grey tailored shorts.

Children will also need their PE kit in school including plimsolls for PE sessions in the hall and their book bag.



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I look forward to seeing you on Monday and welcoming you both to your new school family.

Yours sincerely,



Mr L Batey  
Headteacher



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