



**“ACHIEVING IS BELIEVING”**

## A message from the Headteacher

A warm welcome to all our new and returning families to Limes Farm Junior School.

It has been so lovely to welcome all of our children back to school after so long!

We have all really missed seeing the children every day and our return back has been so positive. Seeing children reunited with their friends and listening to their laughter has been wonderful. Though several changes have been put in place, we have embraced these changes and look forward to helping children on their learning journey once again.



### School Communication:

We will be sending home printed letters and school information in September. From October, all school communication will be carried out via School Ping and Parent Pay email. It is important that all new parents register to have access.

### **SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS:**

**9am-4pm**

# Limes Farm Junior School Newsletter- 7<sup>th</sup> September 2020

## School Policies Update

Our school policies are available on our school website. There have been some amendments made to some of our policies which are highlighted below: (full policies are available on our website).

Administering Medication at School- As a school, we no longer administer medication unless it is an exceptional reason. Please ensure your GP prescribes dosages outside of school hours.

Asthma Policy- Asthma pumps will be kept in classrooms. Asthma pumps will be stored securely and pupils will request their pump as needed. Support staff will record number of puffs needed.

Mobile Phones- Pupils cannot bring their mobile phones to school.

Healthy School/Healthy Eating- We are now a “nut free” school

Remote Access Learning and Homework- Information regarding how we will be using Google Classroom with pupils and also what our homework expectations are will be communicated to parents by the end of the week.



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## Curriculum Update

### **School Drivers**

Every year we choose 4 new ‘School Drivers’ to ensure that the curriculum we provide is tailored to meet the needs of our pupils during the current climate. Covid 19, and the time spent away from each other has heavily influenced our planning for this new academic year and these new drivers, which are: Hope, Community, Resilience and Kindness. This has been a challenging time for all of our community and we want to ensure that our pupils have these four attributes to carry them through difficult times.

### **Recovery Curriculum**

Initially our focus is to ensure that our children feel happy, safe and relaxed. Once this is embedded and we have a feel for where our pupils are up to, we will begin to implement our recovery curriculum. We have spent a long time working as a team and with external consultants to ensure that our lessons focus on the most important strands in learning, whilst still ensuring that the curriculum is as creative, exciting and varied as always.

### Covid-19 information

We have attached a useful diagram on the next page that explains what you need to do if someone in your household develops symptoms.

# COVID SYMPTOMS AT HOME FLOW CHART

