

## ***Nightingale Infant and Nursery School***

### **Headteacher's Newsletter: 16th September 2016**

Dear Parents and Carers

With almost two weeks into the autumn term, everyone seems to have settled quickly back into school life. We will be focusing on improving teaching and learning throughout this year and making sure that every child is able to fulfil their potential at Nightingale Infant and Nursery. If you have any questions or would like to understand more about any changes then please do come along to the next **Head's Drop in Session on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September at 2:30pm.**

#### **Parent Consultations 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> October**

All meetings will take place as last year, in your child's classroom. A letter about booking appointments will be sent out closer to the time.

#### **Inclusion Consultations**

If your child has an Individual Education Plan (IEP) we would like to invite you to a meeting with your child's class teacher in the week beginning the 17th October. These meetings will be held in the hall. Our SENDCO/PAFS lead Mrs Hart will be available should you wish to speak to her. A letter about booking appointments will be sent out closer to the time.

#### **Governors**

We write to inform you that Anna Hogg has left our Governing Body after 2 years of working with us. We thank her for all of her work for Nightingale. In her place, may we welcome Hilary Anderson to our governing body. Her role will be to oversee the Pastoral side of the school and we are pleased that she has been able to join us.

#### **Curriculum**

We hope that you were able to enjoy the launch of our new topics for this term during the Big Share this week. Please speak to your child's class teacher if you require any further information. Please take a look at our VLE for a copy of the information shared during these meetings.

#### **Surveys**

We will shortly be carrying out a series of surveys, including one for parents, and one for pupils in order to gain a better understanding of how we can improve. Please look out for a letter coming home shortly. Your responses will help to provide us with important feedback on how we can make our school even better.

### **Class Names**

The class names are as follows:

Nursery	Kingfisher Room
Nursery	Puffin Room
Mrs Warner	Robin Class
Mrs Hart	Wren Class
Mr Hollis & Mrs Martin	Dove Class
Mrs Bradfield & Mrs Martin	Owl Class
Mrs Hastings & Mrs Shepherd	Woodpecker Class
Mr Whitehead & Mrs Shepherd	Goldfinch Class

### **Photographs**

Reception, Year1 & 2 individual photographs will be taken in school on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2016.

Nursery individual photographs will be taken on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2016

Yours faithfully

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