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Dear Parents/Carers

Another exciting and inspiring school year lies ahead. We wish an extra special welcome to the YR Hedgehog children and our other new arrivals throughout the school. We are sure you will be happy at Newton Tony CE VC Primary School and will quickly feel part of our school family.

The start of a new school year enables us to set the tone for learning and behaviour in the school. It is an important time for teachers and children to establish classroom routines and to set expectations of behaviour and working well together. Please help us by ensuring children are in school by 8.55am at the latest (in preparation for registration), wearing the correct school uniform and prepared to learn. We know it takes a week or two to get used to going to bed on time and settling back in and this is key to helping the children do their best.

We need to update the information we hold in school about your child. We try to keep the number of requests to a minimum however it is important for the safety of all children that we have up to date and accurate information. I thank you for a timely response to any such requests, which will come to you in the coming weeks.

During the week starting the 24th September we will hold a series of meetings after school for parents/carers, which will provide you with an understanding of the curriculum and expectations of each year group. On Thursday 27th September, we will also be holding a 'support your child in the early stages of reading' meeting (suitable for parents in YR, Y1 and Y2).

| After School Club Provision (Y1 – Y6) Please speak to Mrs Talbot-King to book a place for your child | | | | |
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| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
| PH Sport Netball Club 3.15pm – 4.15pm | Mad Science Club 3.15pm – 4.15pm | Value 4 Life Club 3.15pm-4.00pm | Mathletics Laptop Club 3.15pm-4.00pm | PH Sport Football Club 3.15pm-4.15pm |
| Our red Kite Club finishes at 5.30pm (YR –Y6) | | | | |

We consider the care and happiness of your child to be prime importance and fundamental to all we do. If anything has happened over the summer that you need to tell us about, please contact the school or speak with the class teacher urgently. Knowing what is happening in children's lives really affects the way we are able help them. Please complete the parent questionnaire attached to help us continue to drive our school forward.

Kind regards

S Priestley

Head Teacher

