

Growing and Learning Together through the Love of Christ.

Thursday 18th July 2024

Annwyl/Dear Parents and Carers,

Firstly, thank you so much for all the wonderful gifts and cards you have given us over the past week. We don't expect anything but we really do appreciate such kindness and generosity.

All pupils will return to school on <u>Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September</u>. Our Early Bird sessions and Breakfast Club will be back up and running as normal on this date. Any new pupils wanting to attend either of these sessions must be registered first. Forms are available from Mrs. Croft. Please note that all pupils need to be escorted to the Early Bird/Breakfast Club. All other children should not arrive on site until after 8:45 a.m. as there is no supervision on either yard until after this time. Here are the arrangements for dropping off and picking up your children.

**Reception**: Pick up and drop off at either Reception gate.

Year 1: Pick up and drop off on the patio area (please use the steps not the bank). Year 2: Pick up and drop off on the Infant Yard.

Year 3: Pick up and drop off on the Junior Yard (parents can accompany their children onto the yard until your child is confident to line up on their own).

Year 4, 5 & 6: Line up on the Junior Yard at 8:50 and dismissed from the Junior Yard at 3:15.

## Attendance and Punctuality:

Our attendance is generally very good but once again we would strongly encourage you to avoid taking holidays during term time. We are unable to authorise any holidays during term time and will continue to reward classes and pupils for good attendance. If your child is unwell, please let us know via dojo or telephone the reason for any absences – we understand that this cannot be avoided but would really appreciate you communicating this with us. It is also important to note that school starts at 8:50 am. The children come into class and complete daily maths, Welsh or spelling activities so it is also important that your child arrives in school on time.

## Year 6 Leavers

It's at this point that we would like to say a huge goodbye and good luck to all our Year 6 leavers. They have been a wonderful year group throughout their time at Henllys. We have seen them grow into the fantastic pupils they are today and we are very sad to see them 'fly the nest'.

Enjoy the summer holidays and I look forward to seeing you all again on September 4<sup>th</sup> 2024.

Wishing you all good health and happiness for the rest of the summer season.

Kindest regards,

Mrs. Philippa Minto