

BURLINGTON JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Monday 15th June

Dear Year 2 Parents,

This is normally such an exciting time of year for your children, finishing their time at the Infant School and beginning their transition into the Junior School for September 2020. However we are all faced with quite complex issues which will affect the arrangements for your children transitioning and starting a different school. Although these arrangements will be different we are hoping to make the process as smooth as possible. Currently we are planning for a September start for your children.

We are pleased to announce your child's new teacher:

Miss L Duncombe: Venus

Mr M Logan: Jupiter

Miss L Golding: Saturn

Mrs L Leahy: Mercury

Over the next few weeks we will share these things with you and your children through the Google Classrooms. We will also put them in the New Year 3 Parents section on our website here:

http://www.burlingtonj.kingston.sch.uk/page/?title=New+Year+3+Parents&pid=92

- 1. A short video introduction from myself, Mrs Utting, Mr Blow the Deputy Head and Mrs Case the Assistant Head and leader of inclusion.
- 2. A video tour of the school. In the current climate the school does not look as inviting as we would want, but it is still nice to see the building if you haven't already. .
- 3. Plans of the school shared with you so you can identify your child's classroom and understand possible entry and exit points.
- 4. A short video welcome from your child's new class teacher.

We normally offer a chance to come and meet all the staff, look around the school and we share information during an evening presentation. We will still be able to share the information with you all and if the current restrictions for schools do change, we will try to arrange a time to see inside the building.

















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We are advising parents to purchase uniform for a September start. Details about our uniform will be in the information we are sending soon. We, like you, will continue to watch the daily Government briefings to monitor if children will return to school on September 2nd 2020 as planned or later, depending on where we are with the current COVID pandemic and social distancing restrictions.

In the meantime, there are various forms which we need filling in please. We will be sending these as a Google Forms during the coming days so that it can be collated and added to the school records. This also reduces the need to send paper copies out/collect in.

We look forward to meeting you and your child/ren in September, all being well, and I am so sorry we cannot offer our usual transition arrangements to help your child on their journey from Year 2 to 3. However, we will write again soon with more details regarding the transition from Infants to Juniors, but in the meantime we are asking you to fill out a short survey to help us with this. We look forward to reading your responses.

Links to survey for Parents https://forms.gle/a6K8wbSyski9BSE96

Link to survey for Pupils https://forms.gle/Nyt9GmtdVizaQVFz9

Best wishes.

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Pip Utting Headteacher













