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Welcome Back

It was great to see all the children after the Summer Holiday back at St George's, ready to learn and grow with us again. To our new parents and indeed everyone in the school community, please do come and ask us if you have any queries at all, we will be very happy to help you. Many classes have already used our Facebook page to show pictures. It was great to see Reception and Year 1 reading.

We had an extremely successful school year last year and we are determined to build on that success further, ensuring that your children receive a high quality education both in and out of the classroom. That is what your children deserve and it is our job here to strive to provide the very best. To do so we also rely on your vital support from home with reading, practise with maths and various homework tasks. Countless studies show that support from home makes an enormous difference to how a child achieves at school and beyond. Your commitment to them is beyond price. Please look to see how you can be as involved in your child's learning as possible.

Wraparound, Breakfast, After School Club

You should have received a club's booking form. Breakfast Club, After School and Wraparound started last week from Monday -Thursday. If you wish to book, please do so in advance, using the **Items section in Lunch Shop**. School trips are also payable online which gives you a great opportunity to pay for the longer residential in advance.

Teacher from Germany

For the next three months, we welcome a visiting member of staff from Germany called Mr Hacke, from the University of Cologne. He is completing an internship that supports his Masters degree on the teaching of English and History. Mr Hacke will assist with lots of different activities throughout the school. It will be a great opportunity for the children to meet and learn from someone from another country.

Attendance

You will have received the attendance leaflet. The policy has been tightened up by the Local Authority. For term time holidays in particular, it is very, very unlikely for one to be authorised and a fine is also highly possible. Research proves a child's education often suffers when interrupted, so please do bear this in mind.

Diary Dates

These dates will be out in the newsletter next week. However, please save the date for our Macmillan Coffee Morning on Friday September 27th.