

Dear Parents/Guardians

Welcome back! I would like to extend a special welcome to children who have joined us throughout school and in our Reception and Nursery classes.

I am delighted to be writing my first newsletter as headteacher after many years as deputy head. Northburn is a fantastic thriving learning community and I know also that a successful and happy school depends upon a good partnership between home and school. I look forward to developing ways in which we can work together to benefit your children.

As we move forward, I intend to build on our successes and further develop Northburn as a unique and innovative community hub. We have plans to enrich our curriculum by further exploiting the school grounds as a learning resource. Many of you will already have seen our Yurt, which will form a focal point for creative lessons to motivate enquiring minds. If you have 'green fingers,' or even if you haven't but would like to get involved, please get in touch.

My aim is to ensure we create an environment where exceptional teaching equips our children with the knowledge and skills to compete academically with the best, and a culture where individual talents and aspirations are nurtured.

Everyone looks extremely smart in their uniforms. A number of parents have mentioned that they find it much easier to be able to buy direct from the supplier. Unfortunately, it has come to light that there has been a change to the logo. This unintended change was made in error and is to be rectified.

Please see reverse for important dates for your diary. You can also find these on our school website.

Thank you for your support.

Mrs Clare Scott
Headteacher

