



Nottingham Academy Primary

Weekly Newsletter—Friday 11th September

Highlights and Updates

Welcome back!

It has been absolutely wonderful to welcome our children back to school this week. After the summer break, seeing our classrooms, corridors and playgrounds full of smiling faces once again has been fantastic, and the children have settled brilliantly into the new academic year.

Moving to our new site is a significant change for all of us, and we recognise that, as with any major transition, there will inevitably be some challenges along the way. We would like to thank parents, children and staff for their patience, flexibility and support as we navigate these early weeks together. We are listening carefully to feedback, reflecting on experiences and making adaptations wherever needed so that we can continue to provide the very best experience for all of our children, families and staff.

Most importantly, from the children's perspective, it has been an exceptional start to the term. The standards of work we have seen in classrooms have been very high and children have worn their uniforms with pride. Their positivity, resilience and enthusiasm have shone through, and they have embraced both the opportunities and changes that this exciting new chapter brings.

As always, we look forward to working closely with you throughout the year and sharing the many successes and achievements of our children in the months ahead. Your feedback is really important and I will continue to listen to this and make improvements wherever possible.

Mr Staszkiwicz

Uniform Expectations

As we begin the new academic year, we'd like to remind families of the importance of wearing the correct school uniform each day (please see below). Uniforms help create a sense of belonging and pride in our school community and ensure all children are dressed appropriately for learning and play. We understand that circumstances can sometimes make this challenging, and we're here to support you—please don't hesitate to contact the school office if you need any help with uniform items or have any concerns. We want to help all of our children and parents feel part of our school.

The uniform for all pupils (Nursery through to Year 6) comprises:

- Academy polo t-shirt with logo or plain white polo t-shirt
- Grey or black trousers or skirt or pinafore dress (jeans and cords are not allowed)
- Academy sweatshirt or cardigan, in purple, with the Academy logo or a plain purple sweatshirt or cardigan
- Grey or black socks with trousers, white socks or grey / black tights with skirts
- One book bag or backpack
- One PE bag

PE Kit:

- Black shorts with the Academy logo or plain black shorts or jogging bottoms
- Purple sports polo shirt with black panels and Academy logo or a plain black t-shirt
- Suitable trainers or other PE footwear

Parents are asked to provide:

- Sensible black shoes (no boots or trainers)
- Suitable footwear for PE
- A warm coat (no denim) for travelling to and from the Academy

Mr Staszkiwicz
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Dates

02.10.26	Drumming Workshops- Dan Piper
05.10.26	Condoover Hall Residential
08.10.26	Y5/6 Sports Hall Athletics Event
13.10.26	Parents Evening 1
14.10.26	Parents Evening 2
16.10.26	Half-term
02.11.26	Children return to school

Parent Pay

Just a reminder that all school meals need to be booked via ParentPay 2 weeks in advance, the school office is no longer able to book school dinners. If a meal is not booked via ParentPay please send your child to school with a packed lunch.



Pick up and drop-off time

We understand that parking around the school, particularly on the Sneinton Boulevard side, is currently challenging at busy drop-off and collection times. We know that, for many families, the start and end of the school day can feel difficult when roads are busy, and we appreciate the patience and cooperation you have shown during these first weeks in our new home.

Following feedback from parents, including points raised at the recent Parent Forum, I will be contacting Nottingham City Council to share the concerns that have been raised about traffic levels, parking pressures and, most importantly, the safety of children and families crossing nearby roads.

Your feedback is invaluable in helping us identify issues and work towards solutions, and please be assured that the safety and wellbeing of our children will always remain our highest priority. We will continue to keep this under review and update you on any progress that is made.

Thank you.



**Have a brilliant weekend, see you on
Monday!!!**