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Dear families,

I would like to officially welcome back all our children and families to Horton Mill this week. I hope that you have all had a wonderful summer break and are ready for the new school year. The children have settled well into their new year groups and are enjoying learning with their new teachers.

**Newsletters:** To continue to be an Eco Friendly school, we have decided to not waste paper or create litter in our local environment by uploading the weekly newsletter to the school website & Twitter. We will add the newsletter to the Information Boards outside Nursery, the Family Room and Nursery.

**Breakfast Club:** Our Breakfast Club will start on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September from 8.00 in the Family Room. We are still very fortunate to receive cereal and porridge from 'Magic Breakfast' so please take advantage of this wonderful opportunity. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Early Morning Reading:** From 8.30, we would like to invite our children and families to join in with our early morning reading activities in the hall. Children will have the opportunity to read with adults, their friends and their families.



**School Uniform:** The children have looked extremely smart and proud in their school uniforms this week. I would like to remind our families that all items of jewellery **are not allowed** to be worn in school for health and safety reasons. Thank you for your support in this matter.

**Punctuality:** The Family Room and Key Stage Two doors are open from **8.45**. All children need to be in school by **8.55**. Any child arriving after this time will receive a **late** mark in the register. Thank you for your continued support.

**Meet the Teacher:** Next week you will be invited to come into school to join in with your child in their new class and have the opportunity to meet the new teachers and learning support assistants.

**After School Clubs:** Next week, letters will be sent home about the different after school clubs that will be on offer this half term. If you would like your child to attend, please return the letter to school as soon as possible.

**School Dinners:** From September, the cost of a school dinner has risen to **£2.30 per day, £11.50 per week**. The costs are charged by the Local Authority and schools have to follow this charge. The main reason for the increase in the overall price is due to the increases in the cost of food. The Catering Service is committed to providing a 'Gold Service' for your children.

Have a wonderful weekend and see you all on Monday.

Warmest wishes,  
*Mrs Cook*

