

Dear Parent;

We are really excited to be welcoming (name) to Wildern School from September 2023. We are currently working hard behind the scenes with our local partner primary schools to ensure that the transition process for your child is as smooth as possible.

Part of the transition process is offering an Induction Day for all new students so they can get a flavour of what life will be like as a Wildern student. This year's Induction Day will be on **Thursday 29th June 2023**. We ask that students meet at the tennis courts behind the school by 8.40am. There will be staff and signs directing students to where they should be on the day. They will then be dismissed at 2.45pm. Students should be wearing their primary school uniform and bring with them a packed lunch and drink. If your child is eligible for free school meals we will have them available for them should they wish. If your child would like to purchase food from the canteen they can do so at both breaks but they will need to bring money in to do so. Currently the cost of a meal deal is £2.50.

We would also like to then invite you as parents back in the evening between 5.30pm and 7.30pm with your child. This will be a good opportunity to have a tour of the school, speak with staff and also hear from our Headteacher, Mrs Oakley. Please see below for the timings of the Headteacher's talks. We ask that you stick to these allotted times and, where possible, we ask that siblings not join due to limited space in the Hall. Your child will be notified of their Tutor Group prior to their arrival on the day.

<u>Tutor Group</u>	<u>Time</u>
A1, A2, B1, B2	5.30 - 6.00pm
D1, D2, J1, J2	6.15 - 6.45pm
P1, P2, S1, S2	7.00 - 7.30pm

Please also be aware that on site parking can be limited. Please find details of the [park and stride](#) to help you plan your journey beforehand.

Key Staff members

In advance of Induction Day you can get to know some of the other key staff members by clicking [here](#). (Username; parents Password; wildern)

Uniform

For new starters Skoolkit will be holding a 10% discount week in their Eastleigh Store from Saturday 15th – Friday 21st July . Please find further information about this attached.

Should you prefer please be aware that on Induction Evening our Pre-Loved uniform will be available for you to purchase for a donation.

We are very much looking forward to meeting you and your child on 29th June; in the meantime should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely

Mrs K Thomas - Assistant Headteacher