Witchampton CofE First School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Witchampton C of E First School, part of Wimborne Academy Trust.

Thank you for choosing Witchampton for your child. We are very much looking forward to them joining our school and developing a long and successful partnership with yourselves during their time with us.

Usually this letter would contain details of our transition arrangements. Unfortunately, our current situation will mean that our transition will be a little bit different this year. Please be assured that, whatever the circumstances, we will work with you, your child's previous setting and your child, to provide a positive transition experience.

We have already made contact with pre-school settings and if we are in the position to do so we will be visiting your child in their pre-school before they start school. Our normal transition would also include some 'Hedgehog Club' sessions to familiarise your child with our school. We also hold a parent information evening towards the end of the summer term. We will let you know nearer the time if these sessions can still go ahead and what alternative arrangements we have put in place if they cannot take place. We will communicate this by email, so please reply to this email to let me know you have received it and in order for me to have your most current email address. This way I will be sure to know you are receiving all the key information.

In the meantime, if you have any questions please don't hesitate to ask, or you can visit our website https://www.witchampton.dorset.sch.uk which is both a good source of information and where you can view our school video. There is also a Starting School page in the Parents section which we will keep regularly updated.

I look forward to meeting you as soon as it is possible and welcoming you to our school.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Jo Hancock Headteacher