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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back!

It has been brilliant to see you all again and your children have all had a truly fabulous start to the academic year. A special, warm welcome to the children and families who are new to the school, we hope you feel part of the Stobhillgate community already; it is lovely to have you onboard.

School is feeling remarkably 'normal' as many of our Covid19 measures have started to ease. It has been a delight to see our children enjoying all aspects of Stobhillgate life: mixing with different year groups during playtime; taking part in assemblies and much more! One aspect of school life that has returned to normal is our After School and Breakfast Club, which has returned to its original location. If you would like to book a session for your child at either After School or Breakfast Club please login to [School Gateway](#).

In addition to this we are delighted to announce that children in Year 1, 2, 3 and 4 can sign up for Karate lessons with Ian Willis which will begin next Tuesday 14th September from 15:15 to 16:15. Please check your child's bag for a form.

The building works over the holidays have been completed. Our Year 1-4 classrooms have undergone a full refurbishment. This has included: installation of a new heating system and floating ceiling as well as full decoration throughout and the purchase of entirely new furniture. This new look is very much in keeping with our whole school principal of excellence. We believe our children deserve the best and our new classrooms exemplify this perfectly. We can't wait for you to come and take a look!

In week 3 of the term, we are going to host parents/carer meetings for all year groups. This will be an opportunity to meet your child's class teacher and find out everything you need to know for the year ahead. If you are unable to attend this meeting we will ensure that important information is available in paper form. This meeting will also involve a guided tour to enable you to see our much-improved learning environment. Please use [this](#) form to view dates and confirm if you will be attending.

Kind regards

Glen Whitehead

Autumn Term Dates for your Diary 2021

September	
Monday 20 September - Friday 24 September	Recycle Week Parent/Carer Meetings
Friday 24 September	MacMillan Coffee Morning
Monday 27 September – Friday 01 October	Bike to School Week
October	
Friday 22 October	Halloween Disco School will close at 15:15 for half term
November	
Monday 1st November	School resumes
Tuesday 9 November - Wednesday 10 November	Parental consultations
Friday 13 November	Children in Need
Monday 15 November - Friday 19 November	Anti-Bullying & Road Safety Week
December	
Friday 10 December	Christmas Jumper Day
TBC	Christmas Performance
TBC	Christmas Parties
Friday 17 December	The school will close at 15:15 for Christmas