

Newsletter

Friday 6th September 2019

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“Love each other as I have loved you”, John 15 v 12

Integrity, Humility, Compassion, Forgiveness and Grace

Dear Parents and Carers ,

Welcome back after the summer break. It has been lovely hearing all about your holidays and seeing everyone again. The children have really settled in well to their new classes and all of the staff have commented on how ready everyone has been to start the new year.

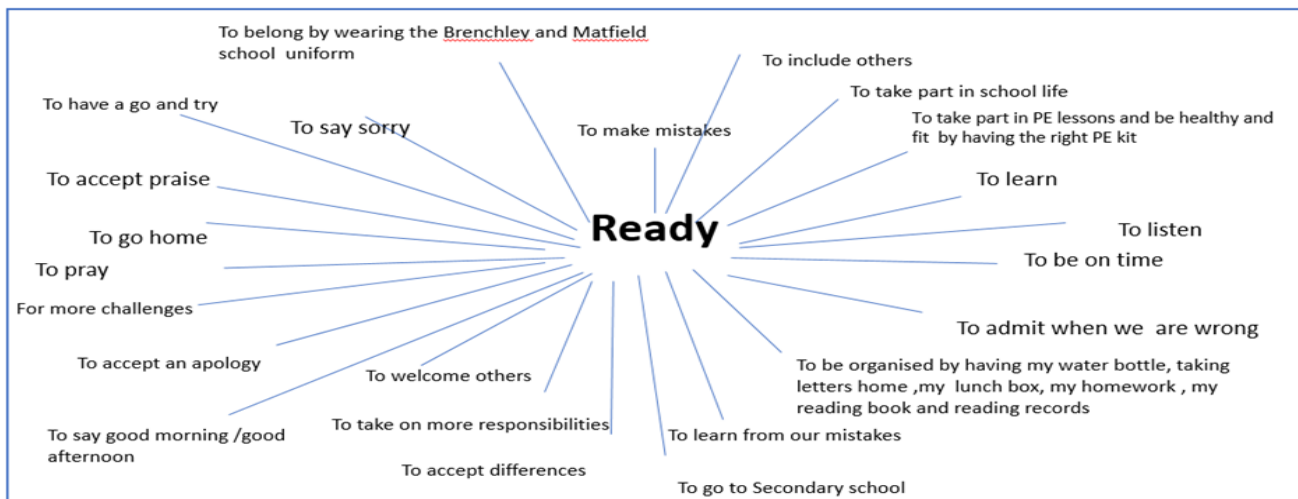
The staff team spent the first two days of this week on whole school training and development. We used this time to reassess and reevaluate what we do well and what we thought could be improved. Our focus is always promoting the well -being and safety of all children and staff whilst always thinking about of our school vision and school values;

Humility, Compassion, Grace, Forgiveness and Integrity

We have revamped our school rules into three memorable words;

READY, RESPECTABLE, SAFE

We will be spending the whole of this term focussing on what these mean to us to be part of the whole school community. This week there is whole school focus on **READY**



Uniform

Thank you to all parents and carers who have ensured that their child “is **Ready**” to be part of our school community by providing them with the correct school uniform.

Thank you to all parents and carers who have ensured that their child is “**Ready**” to be fit and healthy by providing them with the correct PE kit every day.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school office (in confidence) if you would like support with school uniform and PE kit

Next week we will focus on

SAFE

Brenchley & Matfield PTFA

Welcome back all & hope you've all had a lovely Summer break!

An exciting term ahead with our new music event "The Big Cheese" on Friday 4th October in the school hall (adults only) when we will be welcoming back local band The 38's (who played at the summer fete) for a night of cheese! A journey through the eighties, nineties & noughties accompanied by a bar & cheese & biscuits. Tickets will be on sale shortly so look out for further notices!

Also on sale very soon is our new PTFA calendar! For just £4, it has all the dates & more that you should need for the school year plus additional pointers/information for various events. So to make sure you are fully informed & up to date please purchase one (or more for the family!) & all monies raised will go directly back into enhancing your children's education - as just one example, we are due to fund more exciting in-school workshops for all this year.

Don't forget our eco friendly party pack is ready to hire. Flyers will be coming out next week in bookbags but if you're interested sooner, please email partypack@bmtfta.org for information.

Our first meeting of the term is on Wednesday 11th September at 1.30pm in Grays. All welcome.

Don't forget there's a big weekend of events coming up on the 13th September kicking off with the comedy night on the Friday. Tickets still available at Brenchley Post Office. On the 14th there's a Craft Fair and Dog Show in the marquee and a party in the evening. For details about the party or to book please e mail Ali.fullick@gmail.com profits this year are going towards children's play equipment in the Scout Field



Whole School Attendance



Diary Dates

Meet the teacher dates

09.09.19 year 1 @9.00 am

10.09.19 year 6 @9.00am

11.09.19 year 2@9.00am

11.09.19 year 3 @9.30am

12.09.19 year 4 @9.00am

13.09.19 year 5 @9.00am

12.09.19 11 plus day

19.09.19 **Volunteer** Coffee Morning @9.00am

27.09.19 Macmillan Coffee afternoon @2.00pm

Golden Book Entries

No Golden Assembly this week.