

LIME ACADEMY WATERGALL

Message from the Headteacher

It's hard to believe that today is the last day of term!

I would like to begin by saying 'goodbye and good luck' to our Year 6 children who are all moving on to secondary school in September. We have not been able to give them our usual send-off but we are planning a small socially distanced gathering with them all in September. We look forward to seeing Year 6 again and hearing all about their adventures in Year 7.

I would like to thank all of the staff who have been working tirelessly since lockdown began in March. They have created learning packs in order to continue to engage the children in their home learning and have enjoyed seeing some of those packs return to school. Many of the teachers and support staff are now teaching again within the bubbles and have been dedicated to supporting the children in adjusting to the changes in school whilst still ensuring they are being taught. I am very proud of the team here at Lime Academy Watergall and the way in which they have responded to recent events.

As some of you may be aware, Miss Ayre is pregnant and will not be returning to us in September as she will be starting her maternity leave. We look forward to welcoming a new member of the wider Watergall family and we will see Miss Ayre towards the end of next academic year when her maternity leave comes to an end.

We say goodbye to Mrs Phillips who is retiring at the end of August. Mrs Phillips will be greatly missed by us in school but we wish her lots of much deserved fun and relaxation after working here for 27 years. She will be visiting us in September to allow us to say goodbye to her properly with the children. We also say goodbye to Mrs Boucher and Mrs Valani who are both leaving us today. Mrs Boucher is moving out of Peterborough and we wish her every success in her new role. Although Mrs Valani has only been with us for a short time, we will be sad to see her leave and wish her lots of luck for her future endeavours. I would like to thank all three ladies for the hard work and commitment that they have given to the school in the time they have worked here.

We welcome two new teachers to our team this year. Miss Lounds will be teaching in Year 3 and Mrs Barmby will be teaching in Reception – we look forward to you all getting to know them as we get into the new school year.

And finally, thank you to all of you who have supported your children through recent times. It has been lovely to see some of you return to school this half term and I know that many of you have also spoken to a member of school staff over the phone. The staff have appreciated the kind words that have been shared with them and we all look forward to seeing you in September.

I hope you all have a lovely summer - stay safe and well.

Mrs Wood
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National Online Safety

We are very pleased to be able to invite you to join the online safety platform that we use in school for teaching about online e-safety. You can sign up for a free Parent/Carer account by using this link:

<http://nationalonlinesafety.com/enrol/lime-academy-watergall>

On the National Online Safety platform you will be able to access a range of useful parental guides linked to e-safety and keeping your children safe online. There are many useful guides, tools and resources linked to the ever-growing list of apps available on mobile devices too, including Whatsapp, Tik Tok, Facebook, Instagram and online gaming.



School Dinner Menu:

Please see the menu for the first week back in September.

Wednesday—Roast Dinner

Thursday—Bolognaise

Friday—Fish Finger Friday



Have a safe,
healthy, and happy
summer!