

HAMP COMMUNITY JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back I hope you all had a good summer break. I would like to take this opportunity to welcome all of our new children and their parents and carers, to Hamp Community Junior School.

Federation

Hamp Juniors and Robert Blake Science College are now fully 'federated' with one governing body and myself as Headteacher of both schools with Steve Dobson leading on the day to day aspects of school life. The federation provides lots of opportunities for children and staff from both schools. Our main focus is on improving attainment in the basic skills of literacy and numeracy so please help your child wherever you can. Every evening they should be explaining to you what they are learning.

School Uniform

We would like to thank you for your support with ensuring your child attends in full school uniform, as per our school prospectus. We like to see the children looking smart in school sweatshirts/cardigans either with or without the school logo. PE kits will also need to be in school every day as this ensures all children will be able to participate.

School Photographer

The school photographer will be in school next Thursday 15th September during the morning. Please ensure children are in uniform and bring a brush/comb etc to look their best. The children will be photographed individually and with any siblings in the school and will bring home a proof for you to place orders.



Football and Netball After School Clubs

Letters will be sent out advising of other clubs available nearer the time. We look forward to seeing those pupils who have already returned a consent form and received back notification of a place next Wednesday for football/ netball.

Swimming reminder

Year 5 will be starting swimming on Tuesday 13th September until Wednesday 18th October. Please make sure your child has the appropriate kit. Children will return to school at approx 3.15pm, If you haven't already returned the consent form please can you do so by Monday 12th September.

Year 6 Parents Session

Here is advance notice to year 6 parents that on Tuesday 27th September at 2 pm, we have an afternoon session on 'moving on' where we will explain the admission process and exactly what you have to do for admissions to secondary school. I will also explain the Robert Blake Science College new build in detail and what it offers the community.

Thank you for your support,

Ann Winter
Headteacher

Steve Dobson
Deputy Head

