



OLD PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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PARENTS' EVENING - WEDNESDAY, 1st November 2017

Dear Parents

The first Parents' Evening of this academic year for Reception/KS1 and KS2 will be held on the above date between 3.30pm and 6.30pm. **Nursery times differ slightly (please see reply slip attached). The children will be in school as normal.**

This parents' meeting is a chance for you to meet your child's new teacher and to discuss the routines and expectations in their particular year group. In addition, we are continuing the practice of discussing the specific targets that your child needs to work towards in order to improve their overall achievement. The standard of achievement at our school is something we are proud of but we always continue to aim high. Through identifying areas where your child needs to consolidate or improve and by setting related targets, we believe efforts can be more focused and that the school, the parent and the child can work together more effectively in partnership. There is much evidence to suggest that where the home/school partnership is strong and working towards the same goals, the greater the achievement of the children.

At the meeting the class teacher will discuss a small number of appropriate targets for your child. You will be invited to discuss the targets and ways in which you can help your child to meet them. You will then be asked to sign, along with the class teacher, a target record sheet to say that you agree with the targets and will work in partnership to help your child achieve them. **It is expected that the children will not be present at this meeting in order that the discussion can be quite focused.** It is expected that this parent's evening will be a short 5 minute meeting. Please support us to keep to these time limits so all parents are seen in a timely fashion. If you have concerns or feel that you need a lengthier appointment please contact your child's teacher for a separate meeting.

We will also be using the Parents' meeting for you to return our 'Home School Agreement'. This statement sets out the commitments to be made by school, pupil and parents as we work together. You will also find attached the 'Home School Agreement' please read through this document with your child, sign it and return it to your child's teacher at Parents' evening.

Yours sincerely

Mrs T Boddington, Head Teacher





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REPLY SLIP – RECEPTION /KS1 /KS2 ONLY

Wednesday, 1st November 2017

Name(s) of Child(ren)	Class	Please do not include Nursery in this List. Thank You

- **If your child is in Nursery please use reply slip below**

I would like an appointment between

- 3.30 pm and 5.00 pm
- 5.00 pm and 6.30 pm

We will do our best to ensure that your appointments are in the time frames above but unfortunately we cannot guarantee this. Please be aware that if you exceed your 5 minute time slot then other parents will then have to wait.

I would like an appointment with:-

- Head Teacher
- Mrs Pearce – Deputy Head Teacher/SENCO

