



Park Lane Primary & Nursery School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome back to what I hope will be a really positive year for you, your children and the school. In particular I would like to warmly welcome all of our new families and children.

Last year was very successful for the school. For the fourth year in a row our end of key stage exam results improved; OFSTED inspected the school and judged all areas of the school to be robustly good; the children enjoyed so many different activity days, school trips, and exciting activities; and to top it all off we had a very memorable and uplifting 50th anniversary celebration. It was one of those days that I think many of us will remember for most of our lives.

The learning environment continues to improve. This summer all of the schools internal doors were removed and replaced with attractive, modern looking doors. Over the coming months much of the school will also be decorated and the external doors will also be replaced before Christmas.

There are also plans to install a large outdoor area outside the reception classrooms so that the children can play outside in all weathers. Furthermore, as the classrooms are now wireless and our pupils use tablets, computers and laptops more often than not, there are plans to develop the ICT suite into a performing arts hub. Watch this space! It's going to be another exciting year for Park Lane!

It only seems like yesterday that all of the blackboards were removed, and the dated, broken and unattractive furniture was removed from the school, but that was over two years ago. Every year the school becomes a much more attractive and comfortable place for children to learn. Looking forward, everyone at the school wants to build on our recent successes and to improve everything we do further.

If you have any suggestions, ideas, or hopes for the school's future you would like to discuss, please remember that you can always contact me or your child's class teacher. I promise that you will be listened to, and wherever possible we will do all we can to respond to constructive feedback and improve what we do.

Yours sincerely,

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