



7th September 2016

# Haseltine Newsflash!

Dear Parents, Carers, Families & Friends,

Welcome back to all of our existing families and if you are new to us then we would like to offer a very warm welcome to all of you too – we hope that you will be very happy within our Haseltine community.

I hope that you all had fantastic summers and that you are all excited to be back. I know that we are – we have a busy, fun-filled year ahead of us in which your children will be making lots of progress in their learning.

Please remember that we are here for you when you need us. I will be on the playground every morning before school and every evening after school. Please come and chat with me if you have a question or concern (or if you just want to chat!). Haseltine's deputies are also here for you - Aimee Steele & Ellie Whilby, should you need them or if I am out or in a meeting.

Best wishes for a great year,

Sara Anderman

## Meet the Teacher sessions

**We would like to start the year by inviting you all to a 'Meet the Teacher' session tomorrow - Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September, from 3.45 – 4.15. These sessions are for parents of children from Year 1 to Year 6. The teachers really hope to see as many of you as possible in the following classes:**

**Year 1 classes in 1Mc on the bottom floor**

**2E in 2E on the middle floor**

**2B in 2B on the middle floor**

**2F in 2F on the middle floor**

**3J in 3J on the middle floor**

**3GR in 3GR on the middle floor**

**3C in 3C on the middle floor**

**Year 4 classes in 4N on the top floor**

**Year 5 classes in 5B on the top floor**

**Year 6 classes in 6F on the top floor**

## **Library Book Return**

*We would like to take this opportunity to ask our families to return any books which belong to school. In particular, we are currently missing books from our school library. It is important that these be returned so that all of our children can benefit from this resource.*

*The library will be up and running again soon – in the meantime can you please return books but not get any new ones out as yet. We will let you know as soon as it is ready.*

*Thank you for your support.*

**Mr Newsome (English Leader)**

## **Secondary Transfer Meeting**

There is a meeting next **Tuesday (13<sup>th</sup>) at 6pm** for all parents/carers of children in Year 6, in order to support you with the process of applying for secondary schools. I know that I will be there – my daughter has just gone in to year 6 and I am starting that process with you! It feels terrifying at the moment but with this support it will make the whole thing much easier. (Those of you who have done it already – I will appreciate any advice you can give!!)

Don't forget also to start to look at when schools are having their open mornings/evenings, some start as soon as next Tuesday - (the Lewisham/other borough websites will tell you when these are). Your child needs to go with you to visit the schools so just make sure that we know when you will be taking children out to do this.