Ramsgate Arts Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers of Team Rees-Boughton,

Your class teacher for next year will be Miss Amin, she has made a short welcome video which can be accessed through this link:

https://vimeo.com/437045889

The password is RAPS

As a part of the Year 3 transition we are also holding a 'Hello and Goodbye' picnic on Tuesday 21st July 12.00-1.00 (we have altered the time slightly) and all of the children are invited to attend, although this is of course optional. We do ask that the children bring along their own labelled packed lunch.

Miss Rees Boughton will be attending along with Miss Amin. The picnic will be outside and socially distanced appropriately. Unfortunately, we are unable to invite parents to attend but we do ask that you bring your child onto the school site via the entrance by the dance studio and walk them around to the playground where the children will be directed onto the field. Parents are then asked to leave the school site via the exit onto Newington Road next to Miss Spurrier's classroom. Children will be collected at 1.00 from the Newington Rd gate. These are not arrangements that in normal circumstances we would choose but I hope you can understand that we must work with the constraints of DFE guidance.

If it rains we will be able to continue with the picnic as we have gazebos but please make sure you children wear appropriate clothing.

A new class blog page will be set up before 1st September with a new Padlet, this will be a platform for the children to ask any questions or share any concerns they may have before starting school on the 3rd September. It will also be an area to post any home learning the new class teacher has set.

New DFE guidance was published last week which outlines arrangement for full opening of schools. This will take some considerable planning but I can tell you that children will be going straight up to their new classes with their new teachers. Old teachers will be able to pop by to see the children but I will be working on a "bubble" model to limit contact between individuals. I will of course, be in touch towards the end of the summer holidays to confirm all of our arrangements.

Kind regards

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