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Dear Parents/Carers,

We have been so impressed with the positive and polite way the children in year 3 have begun their time at MJS. We hope you all get some well-earned rest this weekend! There are a few messages specifically for parents of year 3 pupils that I would like to share.

Parent Information Meeting

I want to let you know that we have changed the date of the parent information meeting. This will now take place on Tuesday 10th September at 5pm. The meeting will take place in the school hall. (You will be able to enter via the hall doors, which are just past the school office entrance.) We will share essential information about the year, expectations, topics, etc, and give you a chance to say a quick hello to the class teacher.

Mid-morning snack

We encourage children to have a healthy snack at playtime, so that they are not too hungry before their lunch at 12 o'clock. The snack should be a healthy one, such as fruit, vegetables, breadsticks, nut-free cereal bar, etc. Snacks should not be crisps, cakes, chocolate, etc. These items can be included as *part* of your child's lunch. A few children have not been sure which items are for lunch and which are a snack, so it would be helpful if you could talk with your child so they know what to eat when.

Nut Allergies

Like many schools, we do have pupils with severe nut allergies. We are therefore a nut-free school. Please ensure that packed lunches and snacks do not contain any nut products, including items like chocolate spreads that have nuts in their ingredients. We understand that this may require extra attention when preparing food, but it is a crucial step in creating a safe environment for all our students.

Thank you for your understanding and support.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'David Williams'.

David Footman Williams
Deputy Head
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