



# Ash Croft Primary Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! It is lovely to see all the children back in school. Thank you very much for your cooperation and understanding this morning with the new ways of dropping children at school. We appreciate it took a little bit longer than expected and are sorry for any inconvenience this caused you. It was the first day and some children have not been away from their parents for 6 months, some of our reception children haven't even visited the school before and not everyone was so confident with which entrance to use. Most importantly all the children are happy and settled in school and we have not had any tears – thank you for preparing your children so well to return.

From Monday we will be making a slight change to help things flow more smoothly. Children in Rauf (Mr Carter's Class) and Rowling (Miss Watterson's Class) will use the small gate on Deep Dale Lane near the shop. This will enable them to go directly round to the porta-cabins and give more space for the younger children so say goodbye to their parents.

We anticipate that once we have been back for a few days everyone will be more confident and dropping off will be much smoother, but if we feel we can improve things further we will make more changes.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Mrs Lindsay Trail  
Head of Academy



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