

7th August 2024

Email for Year 3 Parents

Please see below some information that we think will hopefully make the first few days at Courthouse School easier for you.

Most importantly we would like to let you know that we will be having a Meet the Teacher session from 3.20pm on Thursday 5th September, when you will be able to pop into your child's classroom and meet their teachers.

First Day of Term for all Pupils: Wednesday 4th September 2024

All children will come back to school in our Winter Uniform, if the weather is extremely hot then of course we will email you to let you know if our summer uniform can be worn.

Uniform

Courthouse Emerald green sweater/cardigan

White Shirt

Green tie

Grey trousers/shorts/skirt/skirt-style culottes

Black/Grey or White socks (plain)

Black Shoes

Shoes should be suitable for growing children and 'fashion' shoes/trainers should be reserved for other times. There are many steps in the school and shoes should stay on a child's feet and not slip off too easily. Shoes should be changed when the weather is bad.

Hair bands, clips and bows should be strictly functional. **(Green, black or white)**

What children will need for the first day

Small school bag/book bag

See through pencil case with requested stationary

Water Bottle

Packed Lunch (if not having hot school dinner)

Drop off and Pick Up

On the first morning and thereafter the drop off point for the children will be at the Year 3 door to the playground (a map is attached). The Year 3 teachers or TA's will be waiting at the doors for your children to enter, hang up their coats/bags, and then head into the classroom. Parents will not be able to enter the school with their child, if you have any messages for the teacher, you can pass them on to the person at the door or come round to the school office and they will pass them on for you.

At the end of the day, the pick-up points for 3 Pankhurst & 3 Seacole will be through the doors opening out from the side of the classrooms opposite the terrapins. 3 Potter will be exiting from the Year 3 morning drop off door out into the playground as they do not have an exit door from their classroom.

Mornings- school starts at 8.50am at Courthouse (your child will be marked late after 8.50am) The Courthouse gates will be opened at 8.40am and locked at 9.00am. This does mean that you must arrive to school on time and be off the school site before 9am every morning. If you, on the rare occasion, are later than this time, you will have to go to the main school entrance and sign your child into school as a late arrival.

Afternoons- school ends at 3.20 pm at Courthouse. The Courthouse gates will open at 3.10pm and be locked at 3.35pm. This means all of our families must be off both school sites by 3.35pm as there is not another exit from the playground as the Alwyn gates are closing at the same time.

The Year 3 Team