

WELTON ST MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY ACADEMY

'Together we care, learn and thrive'

We hope you have all had a fantastic summer, enjoying lots of time with family and friends.

We are starting the school year refreshed, full of energy and commitment to the children and families of Welton and the surrounding areas which we serve. We are all hoping for a more settled year in school and the opportunities that this will bring.

There are many new children and families in our school, both in foundation stage and in other year groups and we extend a very warm welcome to them. We look forward to working with them over the coming years.

We have dates in the diary for welcoming children and families starting school in September 2022. If your child was born between September 2017 and August 2018, they can start school from September 2022. Parents and carers will need to apply for a school place between November and the deadline of 15th January 2022. Applications can be made at www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/school admissions or by calling 01522 782030. Children do not need to live in Welton to attend our school.

Open days for parents of children starting school in September 2022 are Tuesday 21st September at 9.30am and 11am; Monday 15th October at 1.45pm and 2.45pm; and Wednesday 12th January 2022 at 9.30am and 11am. Those wishing to attend should phone in advance (or e-mail enquiries@welton-st-marys.lincs.sch.uk) to book a time and confirm attendance. For further information, have a look at our website. If you are looking for a school place in any other year group, please get in touch.

As we start another new year, we are looking to extend our links with the local community and St Mary's church. If you have ideas for events, activities or areas where we could volunteer our help, please give us a call. We are keen to serve our local community, so if you are a community group who would benefit from some extra support, please get in touch; if it is something we can help with, we will. Our children are always happy to help. We are also looking for willing volunteers to come and work with our children. We have some great support from members of our local community and would like to develop this even further. If you have a skill you would like to share or are interested in volunteering some of your time to help keep our school library working effectively or if you have an interest in gardening and growing fruit and vegetables and would be able to help with our raised beds please get in touch. All volunteers are police checked before joining our team.

We are all excited to be back at school and are looking forward to the year ahead.

Look at our website and Twitter@wsacademy to find out more about what we are doing.

Best wishes

Nicola Gough, Headteacher

Website: <https://weltonstmarysacademy.co.uk/starting-school-september-2021/>