







Coastal Together

					
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Dear Bacton Parents,

September 2021 Arrangements at Bacton

You will already be aware of the news confirming that Coastal Together will become a full federation from 1st September. In preparation for this I would like to share the following information with you regarding the structure at Bacton.





From September Mr Hopkins, Deputy Executive Head will also be leading Horning Primary School, alongside Bacton Primary. Mr Hopkins will be ably supported by Miss Peck Senior Teacher, who will be in charge on the days when Mr Hopkins is at Horning. Mr Hopkins will still keep a teaching commitment at Bacton and will spend around 50% of his time in each of the schools each week. Horning is a very small school, with around 36 pupils and we hope that we can start introducing the children from both schools to each other, once COVID arrangements eased.

Class Structure and Teaching Staff

Our classes are the same as this year; Starfish Preschool for children aged 2-4 years old, Seahorses (R,1,2), Dolphins (3,4), Sharks (5,6) as are the teaching staff. See the table below for details:

Year Group/s	Class Name	Class Teacher
Age 2-4 years old	Starfish Preschool	Miss Carter - Preschool manager Mrs Philp
Reception/1/2	Seahorse Class	Miss Lucas
3/4	Dolphin Class	Mrs Bellison
5/6	Shark Class	Miss Peck

Following the announcement on Monday 14th June by Boris Johnson outlining the continuation of the current COVID restrictions we are now able to share our modified planned end of year programme of events with you. Unfortunately all the planned events will be child only but we will take lots of photos and upload these to the school website. Hopefully when we return in September we will be in a position to welcome parents and carers back into school.

<p>Transition Morning</p> <p>Our transition activities are planned to take place on the morning of Tuesday 13th July. 9:00-12:00 we will be welcoming our new Reception children into school. Our current year 2 children will spend the morning with Mrs Bellison in Dolphin classroom and our current year 4 children will spend the morning in Shark class. Children in years 3, 5 and 6 will spend the move up morning working in the hall. This will ensure the integrity of the bubble system is maintained as much as possible within school.</p>	
<p>Sports Day - Thursday 15th July</p> <p>Due to current COVID guidance this year's Sports Day will be a <u>child only event</u>. We hope that next year will be different, as we know it is an annual highlight. However the children will still be having a lot of competitive fun without you!! Children in Seahorse class, Dolphin class and Shark class will need to come to school in their P.E. kit on this date please.</p>	
<p>Final Assembly 21st July</p> <p>We are still planning to hold our end of year Congratulations Assembly but as a child only event outside on the playground weather permitting or virtually as the children have become accustomed to if inclement.. We want to celebrate the children's achievements and allow them some time to reflect upon the year that has been. This is also where we will thank our current Head Girl and Boy and welcome in our new Head Pupils.</p>	
<p>Leavers Day - Tuesday 20th July</p> <p>Our leavers event will be on the penultimate day of term. We are inviting our year 6 children back into school 4:30-9:00 for a leaver's barbecue and games evening. The children who have ordered them will also be presented with their leavers hoodies.</p>	
<p>September Arrangement</p> <p>Hopefully a little nearer to the end of term we will be able to communicate with you about how schools will operate from September. When we receive guidance from the Government and the local authority we will write to you.</p>	

Simon Wakeman
Executive Head

David Hopkins
Head of school - Bacton