



11th July 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

RE Confirmed Changes to Timings of the School Day at Wedmore First School Academy

Following the letter sent to you on 14/6/2024 and the subsequent consultation period which has been open regarding the proposed changes to the timings of the school day at Wedmore First School, I am writing to inform you of the confirmed changes, which will take effect from Thursday 5 September 2024.

I would like to thank all of you who took the time to engage with the consultation and offer feedback on our proposed changes. Whilst we may not have had the opportunity to respond to each and every one of you individually, all feedback and/or queries have been taken into consideration when agreeing the final changes.

The confirmed changes are as follow:

- The start of the formal school day (morning registration) will commence at 8.55am
- School gates and classroom doors will open at 8.40am
- All children will be expected to be in school by 8.55am
- All children will leave the school at 3.25pm
- There will be no changes to the current break and lunch time periods, for children and staff.
- Your child/ren will benefit from an additional 25 minutes of education per week.

These changes have been agreed in accordance with our Trust, our Local Governing Body, school transport companies and breakfast and after-school club providers to ensure there is minimal disruption to the running of our school and its community.

We look forward to continuing working with you collaboratively for the remainder of this academic school year, and as these changes are implemented from September 2024.

Yours sincerely

Shelley Kent
Headteacher