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Wednesday 30th September 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to inform you that our next 'Open Morning' is on Wednesday 21st October 2026 from 8:45am – 10:00am. The focus for the morning is **'Celebrating diversity'**. It is an opportunity for parents, carers or grandparents to join in learning experiences alongside their own child(ren).

The morning will consist of a presentation that will focus on celebrating diversity and exploring the importance of equality and respect in our society. Mrs Butler will share some thought-provoking stimuli and ideas to encourage discussion and reflection about what makes us all unique, while highlighting the importance of recognising, respecting and celebrating our differences. During the morning, she will also introduce our idea for a new group of children, the **EARA (Equality and Rights Advocates)**, who will play an important role in promoting equality, inclusion and children's rights across our school community. As Mrs Butler is working across both schools this year, leading on Maths, this is also a lovely opportunity for parents to meet her, get to know her and hear more about her work. We would love for parents and carers to join us, learn more about our work and share in this important conversation.

After the presentation there will also be some time to complete some tasks linked to resilience and big picture thinking in the classrooms when you can work alongside your child(ren).

Parents, carers and grandparents are invited to come in and learn alongside their child(ren). However, due to the space available we request that **only one adult (no younger siblings please) attends per child**. We will have other Open Mornings in the future so that a different family member can attend. If you are a parent or carer of two or more children across the school, you are welcome to spend some time with each child. We ask parents, carers or grandparents to enter and exit the school through reception and not the children's cloakrooms; this way we are aware who is on the school site in case of an emergency.

We hope you can join us and we look forward to a thought-provoking morning for everyone!

Warmest regards

P. Shakespeare

Paul Shakespeare
Executive Headteacher