



# Sion Mills Integrated Primary School

September 2024 Edition

## Dates for the diary

- ✦ Breakfast Club and After-School Club begin  
Monday 2nd Sept
- ✦ Milk Money £4 payment due on School Gateway App
- ✦ Friday 6th Sept  
Official Opening Celebration Day
- ✦ Class welcome meetings scheduled by each teacher during September
- ✦ PTFA Meeting Monday 30th Sept @7pm
- ✦ BOG Meeting Tuesday 24th Sept @7pm
- ✦ Monday 23rd Sept SDD  
School Closed for pupils
- ✦ Mid Term Break  
School closed week 28th-31st Oct

Welcome back to what promises to be another exciting year for us in Sion Mills Integrated P.S. I would like to extend a warm welcome to our new families joining us and a hearty welcome back to our returning ones. We are looking forward to providing fun learning opportunities that will inspire a love for learning in every pupil within a positive environment that encourages everyone to reach their full potential. We believe our partnership with parents is key; we are here to support you in any way we can. We are excited to see all the wonderful things we will achieve together throughout the 2024-2025 school year.



Mrs Kingh

## Focus for the month

- Seek and share information to help everyone get settled back into the school routine.
- Establish a Healthy Break and Lunch routine, including a reusable water bottle for healthy brain breaks in class
- Our school value of the month is **RESPECT**

## Reminders

- ✓ Register for our School Gateway App to receive all future communication
- ✓ Complete, sign and return pupil collection packs to class teachers
- ✓ Use QR code to login to school Seesaw Account



Together We Learn

Together We Grow

Together We Shine

# Important information:



You must reapply every year to check eligibility for Free School Meals and Uniform Allowance. You can do this at [www.eani.org.uk/fsm](http://www.eani.org.uk/fsm)



We are now a Cashless School. All dinners including those entitled to Free School Meals and Milk must be booked using the School Gateway App .



To enable us to continue to use Seesaw as a means of teacher-parent communication, revised guidance on usage has been provided with you new QR code.



Please take time to familiarize yourself with our Safeguarding and Child Protection procedures outlined in the attached pamphlet.

The following policies have been updated and are available to read on our website parent area:



- Sion Mills Integrated Primary School Positive Behaviour Policy
- Sion Mills Integrated Primary School Uniform Policy
- Sion Mills Integrated Primary School Anti-Bullying Policy
- Sion Mills Integrated Primary School Healthy Eating Policy

We recognise the importance of home -school communication. We will be providing :



- A monthly newsletter will be shared via the School Gateway App
- Information on classes, events, curriculum links, pupil groups and policies on our School Website
- Celebrations and notices on our School facebook page



Please reach out if there is anything we can support you with, we are here to help.

**Check us out on our school website  
and our school Facebook Page  
for more information contact:  
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