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Dear Parents and Carers,

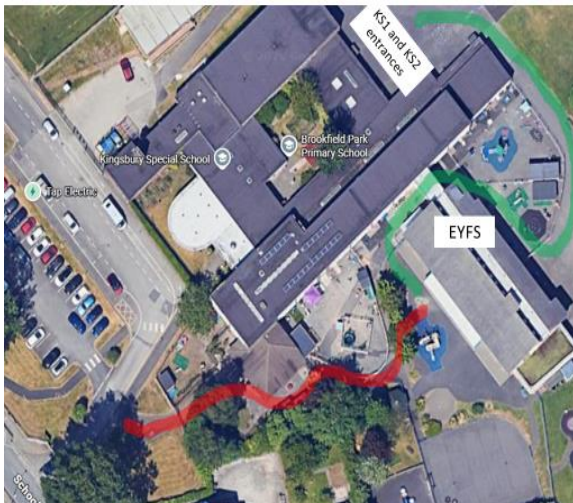
Thankyou for your responses to the change in start times to the school day. The feedback was overwhelmingly in favour of the change. There were a few parents who felt it may cause issues, we have tried to offer solutions for this and will continue to work with any families who may find it difficult. We appreciate that drop off at secondary school will clash with our new start times but please do use the free breakfast club which is offered to every single child.

We appreciate that there may be some adjustment period and some wrinkles to iron out however we will fully support and work with anyone who is having difficulty with the change so please do come and chat if you need help.

We will **officially begin our school day sat down in the classroom at 8:45 am** which means we will be opening the doors 5 minutes earlier at 8:40 to allow the children time to get in and to their classrooms.

This means that our **free breakfast club for years Reception to Year 6** will also be moving back and **will begin at 8:15 am** through the hall doors. We will also be moving the **start time for our paid breakfast club to 7:30am**. The **cost will remain the same at £3:00 per child** for the session

The change will come into place after October half term, when the children return on Monday 2nd November.



One added advantage to this change of times is that we have been able to negotiate a shorter way for children in any of the EYFS classrooms to get to their doors first thing in the morning. If parents are coming in via the front gates at school you will be able to drop your child off by entering through the Kingsbury playground to the right of the path. Please see the map. The gate will be opened at 8:40am but will have to be closed promptly at 8:50am to enable Kingsbury children to enter. If you arrive after that time you will need to bring your child to the front entrance where they will be collected by an adult and taken to the EYFS unit. If you have older children to drop off at the back entrances it is then easy to just carry on through the glass corridor and round on to the back playground, essentially walking a loop rather than all the way round and back again.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation and please do reach out if you anticipate any problems.

Yours Sincerely

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