



4th September 2026

Newsletter

Welcome Back –

Message from Mr Carver



It has been a real privilege to welcome everyone back to Friezland this week. The children have settled wonderfully into their new classes and there has been such a lovely atmosphere around school. It has been a joy to see so many happy faces returning through the doors, looking incredibly smart in their polished uniforms and new school shoes! I have been particularly impressed by how calmly and confidently the children have begun the new school year. Our classrooms are already busy, purposeful places filled with learning, laughter and enthusiasm. Thank you to all our families for helping to make the start of term such a positive one. I am incredibly proud to be Headteacher of Friezland, to work with such a wonderful team and very much looking forward to the year ahead.

Frosties & Sport Clubs



Letters have been sent home and bookings are live on Spider for after school sports clubs on Mondays & Thursdays. This is an exciting opportunity to get you children involved early especially if your keen for them to be a part of the Saddleworth Olympics next year.

After-school sport clubs starting next week are:

Mondays Years 3 & 4: Dodgeball with *Saddleworth Dodgers*

Thursdays Years 5 & 6: Football with *Football Fun Factory*

Frosties clubs starting next week are:

Tuesdays: Badminton Club

Wednesdays: Board Games Club

These are available for children to join in with, alongside our usual range of activities. Fridays in Frosties will be **Super-Fridays** with music, dancing and special snack! Please note, Frosties closes at 4.30pm on Fridays. Did you know, you can use Tax-Free Childcare Vouchers to help pay for this wraparound care.

Class Welcome Meetings



Please join us for our Class welcome meetings: they are an opportunity to visit the classroom, meet teachers, find out about timetables, routines and expectations in each class. It will also be the place to find out about how each class organises their homework and how you can help your children at home.

Class 4 (Year 5 & 6) Thursday 10th September 4.30 – 5.00pm

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Class 2 (Year 1 & 2) Tuesday 8th September 4.30 – 5.00pm

Class 1 (Reception) Tuesday 8th September 5.00 – 5.30pm

In the meantime, please read the **class newsletter** which children will bring home today. These will give you information about what your child is learning this term, PE days and diary dates.

Summer Reading Challenge

Remember to log your 6 reading books with the local library in order to receive your reading challenge rewards!

Staffing Updates

We are delighted to welcome Miss Adams, who joins us as our Class 4 teacher and brings with her a wealth of experience, enthusiasm and a real passion for helping children to learn and thrive. We are very pleased to have her as part of the Friezland team.



Guitar, Ukelele & Keyboard Tuition



Music tuition will begin next week: Keyboards on Mondays and Guitars on Wednesdays. If you are interested in lessons for your child, please email: hazeldaviesfrets@hotmail.com

Flu Immunisations

The flu vaccinations will take place at school on 19th September. You will shortly receive an email direct from MAVIS a new NHS system where you will be asked to consent or refuse the vaccination. If you have any problems with the email please telephone 0333 3583 397 option 1 option 3.

School Dinners



Our delicious school dinners are freshly prepared and cooked on site each day, with plenty of tasty choices for everyone. From Pizza favourites to a traditional home cooked dinner, there is always something to enjoy. Please take a look at our weekly menus and book your child's meals through the school spider app.

Dates for the Diary

September

Tuesday 2nd First Day of Term

9th Class 3 (Year 3 & 4) swimming starts

8th C2 Welcome Meet 4.30 / C1 Welcome Meet 5.00

10th C4 Welcome Meet 4.30 / C3 Welcome Meet 5.00

22nd Phonics workshops - 5:00pm – 5:45pm

23rd Phonics workshops – 9.00am - 9:45am

25th Flu Immunisations

