



The Lanes Primary School
(Amalgamation of
Meadow Lane Infant School
College House Primary School)



Update on the Amalgamation Process

Dear Parent/Carer,

We recently held our 3rd governors' meeting and I am writing to you again to provide some further information related to the new school for September 2017. We have now agreed the class split across the two sites for September as well as the start/finish times, and these are stated below.

Class split across sites:

With the number of children now joining in Reception, there are insufficient classrooms at the Meadow Lane site to accommodate all of Key Stage 1. We have therefore decided that the Meadow Lane site will house Reception and Year 1, with the Cator Lane site housing Year 2 in the new unit built last year.

We believe having the year groups move through the school together gives them the best experience, removes the need to merge year groups at Year 3 and will help Year 2 – Year 3 transition.

Key stage 2 (Years 3 to 6) will be located, as they are now, on the Cator Lane site.

Start/Finish times:

The start/finish times will be site based, and remain the same as they are now. As Year 2 will be located at the Cator Lane site, it will follow its site times. Flexibility in 'door open' times will continue to support parents/carers with children on both sites.

Meadow Lane site - Start time 08:55, Finish time 15:20

Cator Lane site – Start time 08:50, Finish time 15:30

We will, of course, continue to update you as we progress the work of amalgamation.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andy Barker".

Andy Barker
Chair of Governors
Temporary Governing Body