



*Grove House Primary School, Myers Lane, Bradford, BD2 4ED*

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Dear Parents/ Carers,

I am writing to you with just a few updates and messages to communicate with you before the half term break.

#### **PE Kit and uniform**

Thank you to all our parents who have ensured their children have the correct uniform and PE kit. The children look very smart and it really does support creating a climate for learning where expectations are high.

#### **Healthy Snacks**

Again I would like to thank parents for providing healthy snacks for their children as this supports our healthy schools and active curriculum. This has also had an impact on the amount of litter around school which is also helpful to our environment and site team.

#### **Cycling to school**

Could I remind parents and carers that if your child is cycling to school they **must** wear a helmet. If a child arrives at school on a bike without a helmet we would ring parents to ask them to bring a helmet into school for them to wear to ride home. The injuries that can occur if a child has a bad fall or is knocked from a bike are significantly more serious, potentially leading to life changing disability or worse. For this reason if children continue to ride to school without a helmet we would meet with parents and ban them from coming onto premises on a bike.

#### **Dates for your diary**

Please do use our website to keep up to date with what's happening in school and for any up and coming events.

All our letters are saved there and information about parent workshops, coffee mornings and religious and cultural events being celebrated in school are all on there so do keep checking.

We also have this information displayed on the screen that is just outside the main entrance so you can have a look at drop off and pick up times.

#### **Ofsted Inspection**

As you know we had our two day Ofsted inspection on Tuesday and Wednesday this week.





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We had four HMI inspectors in school who carried out a full and rigorous inspection, which involved a wide range of inspection activities such as; observing lessons, talking to children, meeting with leaders, safeguarding checks and analysing the quality of educational provision in our school.

The inspection report usually takes about a month before it is published, which will mean it will hopefully be available towards the end of November.

At this time we are asked not to share the judgement grading, but we would like to say we are very pleased and can't wait to share the report with you when it is finally published.

I would like to thank parents and carers for their support and especially to those who spoke to the inspectors and completed the parent survey.

We look forward to seeing you all again on Monday 30th October at 8.45am.

Until then, have a safe and happy half term break.

Many thanks,

Mrs A Summerscales  
Headteacher

