



15 September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Start to the new term

It has been an absolute pleasure to welcome your child back into school! It is fantastic to see children's smiley faces, positive attitudes and classrooms alive and buzzing again! I am delighted with how they have returned to school - a big well done to all of them from the staff! I would also like to say a massive thank you to parents for being so punctual and getting your child to school on time. Thank you!

Visits and tour of the school for Foundation Starters in September 2026

Some parents have asked about visiting school with their child as they prepare for them to start school in September 2026. I am pleased to say that we will be offering tours of the school on Thursday 25 September, Friday 3 October and Thursday 9 October. All tours will start at 9.30am. You will need to book a place for this. If you would like to do this, please contact the school office. We will be offering additional tour dates after the October half-term break and will inform you of these in the near future.

Friends of Mundella

The first Friends of Mundella meeting is on Wednesday 24 September at 8pm and will be in the Sportsman pub. Any parent who can give some time to support the school is warmly invited and we hope to see plenty of people there!

Parking around school

We are only in the second week of term and the amount of phone calls and emails I have received from parents and residents about inconsiderate parking has been quite alarming. We have people parking on zig zag and double yellow lines, parking on pavements, blocking residents' driveways and, on one occasion, parking so poorly that it prevented an ambulance getting to a resident's house. I am, again, appealing to the whole Mundella community to park with common sense and consideration. We are having regular conversations with the police and the council about parking issues and they will be supporting us with the issues we seem to have to deal with on a daily basis. We are encouraging parents to either call 111 to report vehicles that are parked inconsiderately and also follow the link below to report the issues to the council or the police. Thank you.

https://forms.sheffield.gov.uk/site/form/auto/incorrectly_parked

<https://www.southyorkshire.police.uk/contact/af/contact-us-beta/contact-us/driving-vehicles-traffic/report-illegal-parking/>



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and where everyone feels valued and able to reach their full potential

Lost Property

We have been back in school two weeks and already the lost property boxes are full to the brim! Please can you make sure that you label all your children's belongings.

Gardening Club

Calling any grandparents or parents who may have a spare afternoon to support our gardening club. Mrs Kallmeier started a gardening club last year and we are really keen to expand this - if we can get some assistance from a parent or a grandparent. If you are interested in supporting this, please come and speak to either myself or Mrs Kallmeier. Below are some photographs of some of the things the club achieved last year:



Parents' evenings

A letter went out on Friday about booking appointments for parents' evenings. Just in case you missed it, the link for the meeting is here: <https://mundella.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

Non-uniform day - Friday 26 September

We often have a non-uniform day in September to support a cancer research charity. This year we are having a non-uniform day to support craniocystoma. There is a link here to give you more information about this condition: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/craniosynostosis/> We have a pupil in school who benefitted from support from this charity and we would like to recognise their help. We will be setting up a Just Giving page if anyone wishes to make a donation and will send details about this in the near future.

Yours sincerely,

William Smith