



*To make our people the best they can be.*

Dear Parents and Carers,

Well done to our Reception children who have settled so well into the routines of school. It has been a real pleasure to welcome new children and families to the Fibbersley family. The gorgeous weather has meant that we have all enjoyed using our outside areas and playing outside. We have also welcomed new members of staff to the Fibbersley team. Mr Brewin, our new Deputy Headteacher, has really enjoyed meeting the children. Mr Brewin will be outside at the start of the school day– please come along and say hello. Mrs Hughes, our new family support worker and safeguarding lead, has also met many families this week and is outside school at the start of the day. In Year 4 & 5 we have also been joined by Miss Cooper and Miss Bayliss. Whilst on the subject of new arrivals I'm sure you will join me in sending our congratulations to Mrs Castley and her family who have just celebrated the arrival of her little girl during the holidays.



At Fibbersley we always enjoy sharing our good news, however some times we have bad news to share. We are all deeply saddened at the loss of Mrs Gould, who supported the office and would have been familiar to you all as she welcomed the children into school each day. Ruth sadly passed away after a very short illness last week. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family and friends at this very sad time. Ruth had links with Fibbersley for nearly 30 years and in that time has offered support to so many colleagues, family and children. She will be deeply missed by us all..



Wishing you all a very peaceful weekend

Mrs Sugars



### Unity

We know that by working together, we are stronger than working alone. We work together as a family, united in our shared responsibility to achieve our mission.



### Excellence

We have a strong commitment to continuous improvement, a willingness to learn, and a dedication to becoming the best that we can be.



### Courage

We show courage by being ambitious, challenging ourselves and others to achieve more. We take on challenges with enthusiasm, determination, and resilience, learning from failures.



### Integrity

We show integrity by being honest, truthful, and transparent; always doing what we believe is right and true. We show kindness and respect by treating others with dignity, empathy, and understanding.



### Curiosity

We show curiosity by having a passion to learn, explore, and discover new things and new ways of working. We are innovative and ambitious, always seeking to be even better.

Over the next few weeks we will be launching our new Victoria Academies Trust values and exploring what each value means to the children.