



# Birchington CE Primary School

Our children returned to school on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023 following their long summer holiday. The sun was shining and staff were ready to greet their new classes with a smile.

Our gates open at 8.15am (for Yr1-6) and our children are able to enter their classrooms at any time between 8.15am and 8.50am. This staggered start provides a calm, peaceful start to the day whilst also enabling each child to be greeted personally by their teacher and teaching assistant. The Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) are our youngest children and the majority have already started schooling full-time.

They are coming into school each morning eager to explore our wealth of resources and begin their learning journey with us.

Our children have made a super start to the new school year! They have settled back into the familiar school routines and are ready to make this their best year yet!

We can't wait to see what successes this year will bring!