



# Norris Bank Primary School

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Dear Parents / Carers,

I am really excited to be welcoming you to Norris Bank Primary School.

The Staff team with the support of the Governing body aim to provide your children with a safe friendly and enthusiastic place to learn and grow together.

I am a parent of three children at NBPS so I know first-hand what an exciting and positive place the school is, giving every child a place to thrive.

Your child is about to embark on an exciting journey of discovery and as parents there is so much that we can do to help them on that journey so please do get involved in the school community when you can. There are a range of opportunities from attending update meetings at the school, through to volunteering as a parent reader (listening to the children read), joining the PTA or even becoming a Governor like me. The school often ask for extra hands on school trips and after my den building experience at Lyme Park I know these trips are as much fun for the parents as they are for the kids!!

Our Parent Teacher Association (PTA) is run by enthusiastic and dedicated parents like you and works hard to raise vital funds for the school. Some of their projects have included funding Christmas cinema trips, purchasing outdoor play equipment and developing the school gardens. They never run out of fund raising ideas and of ways in which that funding can be used to improve the school experience for all children. New volunteers are always welcome, so please do offer your time to help on fundraising events or join the committee if you can.

Norris Bank Primary school is an amazing school that is often oversubscribed but we never assume that we cannot improve and continue to strive for higher standards and inclusive support for all of our remarkable children. Parents and carers also have a voice through the Governing Body and periodically the opportunity to become a governor becomes available so do look out for vacancies. Pupils themselves also have the opportunity to have their thoughts heard through the Student Council and the Student Voice system, so please do encourage them to have their say. The School and Governing Body truly value your views so please do get in touch with us!

If you are interested in getting more involved with any of the opportunities available, please contact the school office directly for more information.

Taking their voyage into learning is the biggest step for our little people's little minds and I can't think of a better place for them to start than with the Reception team at NBPS!

Yours sincerely

Anna Green – Chair of Governors

