



## NEWSLETTER NO.1

**28<sup>th</sup> August 2023**

### Dear parents,

The holidays are certainly coming to an end and I firmly believe that you and your children have had a wonderful summer and that our pupils are looking forward to seeing us as much as we are looking forward to seeing them. 😊

I hope that our first graders will enjoy their new beginning for as long as possible, preferably the whole nine years. These days, our teachers are busy preparing their classrooms and all the important things for the start of the school year. They will send you more information about each class soon.

Below you will find a list of classes with the names of their class teachers in the new school year.

I.E1 - Mgr. Alice Štoudková, Mgr. Iva Mynářová  
I.E2 – Mgr. Jana Masníková, Mgr. Iva Mynářová  
II.E1 – Mgr. Hana Ondrušková  
II.E2- Mgr. Štěpánka Hausková  
III.E1 - Mgr. Lenka Příhodová  
III.E2 – Mgr. Gabriela Bohanusová  
IV.E - Mgr. Kamila Hermanová  
V.E1 - Mgr. Tereza Čiklová  
V.E2 - Mgr. Natalie Szlauer  
VI.E - Mgr. Kateřina Zemčíková, M.Litt.  
VII.E1 – Mgr. Silvie Černínová  
VII.E2 – Mgr. Jitka Kynčlová  
VIII.E1 – Bc. Silvie Kubíčková  
VIII.E2 – Mgr. Jindřich Švub  
IX.E - Mgr. Radka Faltýnková

As you can see, our bilingual team has slightly changed again. However, none of the new colleagues are completely 'new' to us. Ms Kamila, Ms Iva and Ms Jana have worked in our school in previous years and we are very happy that good teachers come back. Also, Ms Silvie, the new class teacher in 8.E1, has been our colleague for many years. However, what is new in this school year is tandem teaching in the 1st-grade classes. Some of the lessons will be taught by a pair of teachers, which will allow for more individualization and variety of teaching.

As in previous years, our bilingual team will consist of native speakers: Ms Lesley-Anne, Ms Jericho, Ms Jie, Ms Linet (Spanish), Mr Rich and newcomer Ms Piu.

### Some information about the beginning of the school year:

**1<sup>st</sup> SCHOOL DAY – 4<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023 (Monday)**

### **Upcoming Events:**

**September 4 – opening ceremony of the school year**

**1<sup>st</sup> grade parent-teacher meeting (9.00)**

**September 5 – 2<sup>nd</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> grades parent-teacher meetings (16.00)**

**September 6 - 3.E1, E2 – swimming course begins**

**September 6 - 8 - 9.E – school trip to Prague**

**September 27 – Assembly for the 1<sup>st</sup> stage bilingual classes, pupils can come dressed in the colours of their 'House'**

**(This dress code doesn't apply to the first graders, who will be ceremonially put to their 'Houses'.)**

**October 2-6 6<sup>th</sup> grade - adaptation course**

The classes are from 8.00 to 8.45 on this day. The first graders' parents may be present with their children in the classrooms. The school canteen and the care centre are not open on this day.

A parent-teacher meeting for 1.E1,2: from 9.00 am.

Our care centre assistants will take care of your children during the meeting.

**SEPTEMBER 28  
PUBLIC  
HOLIDAY**

### **2<sup>nd</sup> SCHOOL DAY – 5<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023 (Tuesday)**

#### **Organization of classes – only lessons with class teachers:**

- 1.E1,2: 8.00 – 9.40 (children enrolled in the care centre can already stay in the care centre)
- 2. – 5.E: 8.00 – 11.40 (followed by the care centre)
- 6. - 9.E: 8.00 – 12.35
- **16.00 – Parent-teacher meetings for 2<sup>nd</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> grades** - Your 100% participation is very important, not only for signing documents. ☺

**SEPTEMBER 29  
HEADMASTER'  
S HOLIDAY**

### **3<sup>rd</sup> SCHOOL DAY – 6<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023 (Wednesday)**

#### **Organization of classes – only lessons with class teachers:**

- 1.E1,2: 8.00 – 9.40 (followed by the care centre)
- 2. – 5.E: 8.00 – 11.40 (followed by the care centre)
- 6. - 9.E: 8.00 – 12.35

### **4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> SCHOOL DAY – 7<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER (Thursday, Friday)**

#### **Organization of classes – only lessons with class teachers:**

- 1.E1,2: 8.00 – 10.45 (followed by the care centre)
- 2. – 5.E: 8.00 – 11.40 (followed by the care centre)
- 6. - 9. E: 8.00 – 12.35

### **2<sup>nd</sup> school week – 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023**

**Regular classes (timetable verification), without compulsory extracurricular clubs.**

### **3<sup>rd</sup> school week – 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023**

**Classes according to the permanent timetable, including compulsory extracurricular clubs.**

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE FIRST DAYS OF SCHOOL**

- **Care centre - opening hours from Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2023:** until 5.00 p.m. (morning care centre from 6.30 a.m.).
- **Bilingual lessons with native speakers from 18<sup>th</sup> September.**
- **Please use the online system and cashless payment method to order and cancel lunches. Parents of new pupils, please visit the**

**school canteen office in person on 30<sup>th</sup> or 31<sup>st</sup> August between 6.30 and 14.00 or in the following weeks according to the office hours (Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7.00 – 8.00 a.m.).**

- **Headmaster's Holiday is scheduled for 29<sup>th</sup> September due to the staff training.**

I wish you a wonderful and relaxing start to the new school year and look forward to our cooperation throughout the year.

We look forward to seeing you soon.

On behalf of the entire bilingual team

Táňa Bahnerová, Deputy Headmaster for Bilingual Classes