



**GOOSEACRE
PRIMARY ACADEMY**

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Dear Parent/Carers,

I am writing to inform you of some very important changes that will be happening in school from September.

Early last year, the government announced their intentions that every school will be open for 32.5 hours each week. Currently we are only open for 30 hours and 50 minutes.

This means, that from September we will be changing and increasing our school day:

Nursery AM Session = 8:45am – 11:45am

Nursery PM Session = 12:20pm – 3:20pm

Reception – Year 6 = 8:45am – 3:15pm

In a morning, classroom doors will continue to stay open until 9:00am. After this time, children will be classed as late and will have to enter through the main school office. Please ensure child(ren) are in school before 9:00am.

The extra time in school will be used for learning and help us to find more time to teach important skills of reading and handwriting amongst other things. Some of this time will also be used for assemblies.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation with this.

Mr J Moore
Principal