



Bournville Junior & Infant Schools

Voluntary Aided non-denominational schools

Founded 1906 and 1910

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Amalgamation of Bournville Junior and Infant Schools

The cabinet member for Education Skills and Culture and the Acting Corporate Director for Children and Young People have agreed the amalgamation of Bournville Junior and Infant Schools. This will take place at the start of summer term, when we will reopen as Bournville Village Primary School. Full details of the amalgamation and link to the decision report can be found via the consultation webpage: <https://www.birminghambeheard.org.uk/people-1/bournvilleijfinal>.

Both schools are proud of their reputations for providing a caring and purposeful environment in which the individual needs of each child are recognised, and their achievements and abilities are celebrated. Each school has particular strengths within their relative key stage; the amalgamation will allow these strengths to be maintained and shared across all year groups. The Governing Board feel that this is an exciting opportunity to construct a new identity for the schools together, taking the best practice from both. The uniform will remain the same and classes will continue in children's current classrooms. Discussions have taken place with the School Council and the children would like an area in the playground where they can be together, but the rest of the playgrounds will remain separate for infants and juniors.

We will be checking the position for current year two parents in terms of applications for a Junior School place and will send a separate letter with confirmation of the process. In future years there will be no need for applications as we will be one school.

We thank you for your continued support and look forward to this new chapter in the history of the two schools.

Kind regards

Anne Cull

Chair of Governing Board

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