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Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2025

## **Flexi-Schooling**

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are always looking for ways that we can improve the opportunities for our children and families at Antingham and Southrepps Primary School. We know how lucky we are to have such extensive grounds and well-resourced classrooms – we really are the envy of the five schools within our group! On top of this, our staff team are positive and motivated to keep making improvements, and we know that the support we have from yourselves, especially from our Friends, is just adding more and more to what we can provide.

In my role as Executive Headteacher at my current and previous schools, I have had many families approach me over the years to ask if I would consider Flexi-Schooling. My answer has aways been no. This is because I have never been at a school where I felt we could genuinely provide the right level of guidance and support to make a Flexi-School offer work effectively. However, I think that Antingham & Southrepps Primary is the exception.

Ms Gowland, Mrs Davenport and I have been researching Flexi-Schooling for the last few months. Using this research, we have created a model which we think we could offer to some families that would suit them well, and that would have a positive impact on the school overall.

I would like to invite you to come and find out more about it on **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December at 3.30pm**, before the Carols on the Lawn. We look forward to sharing our ideas with you and answering any questions that you may have then. If you can't make it, please do email in any questions that you have. My plan is to document any questions and comments along with our responses, so that everyone is fully informed before we go ahead with our ideas.

I hope to see you on Thursday.

Best wishes,

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