



Move to Arbor

As part of a trust wide initiative we will be moving away from our current Management Information System (MIS) to a new platform called Arbor.

This change will eventually allow us to complete all our day to day information systems from one application. These will include:

- Attendance
- Behaviour
- Homework
- Reports
- Payments for food
- Payments for trips
- Letters home and alerts

The first stage of this move is taking place over the half term break, whereby all of our key information will be migrated to Arbor.

We will be retaining the use of GO4schools and Parentmail for the remainder of the Autumn term, so key information that you require will be left unchanged. During the coming months we will be setting up all the necessary applications in Arbor in readiness for a complete roll out in January 2026.

At this stage there is nothing different you as parents need to be doing. However when we return after the half term break we shall be issuing information about the Arbor App and how to sign up for this in order that you are fully prepared for January 2026.

Whilst we are not anticipating any issues with the change this is a significant project for the Academy and would just like to make you aware of this ongoing work, should we encounter any unforeseen issues in the coming weeks.

Many thanks for your continued support.