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A WORD OF WELCOME OF THE DIRECTOR

Dear Parents

Please find below information on various aspects of the school organisation for the new academic year. **The new school year will begin on Wednesday, 2 September 2026, which will be a short day for all cycles, with adjusted school bus timetables.** The dates for the 2026-2027 holidays have already been communicated and can be found in Appendix 1 of this document.

We would like to draw your attention once again to a change in the Luxembourg education system, which also has an impact on the European Schools. From the 2024-2025 school year onwards, the European Schools in Luxembourg must apply the law of 20 July 2023 on compulsory education. Among other things, this law provides for an extension of compulsory education (concerning pupil enrolment and attendance).

As a result, the school will be required to regularly inform the Ministry of Education, Children and Youth about the situation of pupils residing in Luxembourg. You will receive detailed information at the beginning of the school year, with full explanations of how this law will be implemented.

As every year, a series of events will also await you in 2026/2027.

All that remains is for me to wish you all an excellent holiday and every success for the 2026-2027 school year.

Kind regards,

Martin WEDEL / Ariane FARINELLE
Director Director