

Welcome to Reception

The children have had a good first few mornings at school. They have been busy exploring the classroom environment and making new friends.

- Please encourage your child to come into the cloakroom independently in the morning. As you will have experienced during our transition mornings the cloakroom area becomes very congested when we have 60 children and adults in there. Staff will be in the cloakroom area to assist the children with their belongings.
- PE will be on **Thursday afternoons**. This will start next week so please ensure your child's PE kit is in school next week.
- If your child has any medical conditions that we are not yet aware of then please inform a member of the Reception team.
- Newsletters will be uploaded on to the school website under the class pages: RGA and REB and can be found in the 'Letters home' section. The newsletters will be posted on a Thursday afternoon.
- We will spend the next two weeks completing baseline assessments so we can accurately find out what your child already knows and can do.
- Your child will receive two reading books and a reading diary during the week beginning 15th September. Please could these be kept in book bags and they will be changed on a weekly basis once they have been read at home.
- We are a **nut free** school. Please ensure that any packed lunches do not contain any nut based products e.g. Nutella spreads, cereal bars.
- We have found a couple of items of clothing without names in/on them can you please check that all clothing items and even water bottles are clearly labelled.

Mrs Bromley & Miss Ashton