

Welcome to Reception

The children have had a fantastic first session at school. This week, the children will continue to explore their indoor and outdoor learning environment, learn routines and make new friends.

- The children will continue to enter the classroom independently. Staff will be in the cloakroom area to assist the children with their belongings.
- If your child has any medical conditions that we are not yet aware of then please inform a member of the Reception team.
- A healthy snack is provided in school, therefore you do not need to send your child in with a snack. Milk is provided at the end of the day.
- 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.
- Please ensure all clothing items and even water bottles are clearly labelled.
- PE will be on a **Tuesday**. This will start next week on Tuesday 9th October so please ensure your child's PE kit is in school on this day. We will be sending your child's PE kit home on the same day so it can be washed and returned to school on the following Tuesday. **Please note: we will not be storing PE kits at school.**
- Spare clothes must be kept in school on your child's peg e.g. pants, socks, black trousers and a shirt.
- A pair of wellies can also be left in school for welly walks/outdoor play (clearly labelled).
- We will spend the next few weeks completing the Reception Baseline Assessment (RBA), which is a statutory government assessment. We will also complete our own baseline assessments so we can accurately find out what your child already knows and can do. If you would like to know more about the RBA, you can download information for parents via our class page on the school website.
- Our Life in Reception Newsletters will be emailed to you and uploaded onto the school website via the 'Learning for Life' – 'Year Group Pages' – 'Reception' – 'Letters Home'.

Thank you!

Miss Ashton, Miss Ross, Mrs Wassall and Mrs Jeavons

The EYFS team 😊