

Reception Newsletter

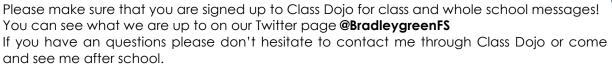


Autumn 1

<u>Welcome</u>

Hello and a very warm welcome to Reception. I am Mrs Booth and I am the Class Teacher. Mrs Lord-Jones and Miss Davis will be our teaching assistant. Mrs Lord – Jones will cover on Thursday afternoons when I am not in class, so for any urgent matters, please contact her on Class Dojo.

<u>Dates</u>	<u>PE</u>
02.09.24 - INSET Day	PE will be on Tuesdays this term. Children need to come to school in their PE kit. Our Kit consists of black shorts/bottoms, white t-shirt, PE hoodie and black trainers. Also, please remember no ear-
03.09.24 - First day back	
04.09.24 - Open welcome session (3:15-4:30)	
23.09.24- Harvest collection week	rings on PE days.
27.09.24 - Macmillan coffee and cake event 2:45pm	Forest School
14.10.24 - Individual school photographs	
21.10.24 - Parents evening	Forest school will be on Friday afternoons. Please can you provide your child with wellingtons and waterproofs .
Curriculum	Many thanks.
Our author of the half term is Rebecca Cobb and our text is Hello friend.	Homework
In Geography we will be learning all about the school grounds, aerial photographs and exploring what jobs people do in our community.	Maths Paper worksheets will be sent home every
In History we will be looking at the differences between peo- ple and families.	Monday and Dojo points will be rewarded for children that take part. Children can still continue to log on to
In Science we will be learning about Autumn and look at the seasonal changes.	Numbots to practice their numeracy skills.
In RE we will be learning all about 'Which people are special and why?'	<u>Reading</u>
In Art we will be introducing sketchbooks, exploring pencil drawing and colour mixing. We will be looking at the work of Henri Matisse and practicing the technique of pointillism.	Children need to read their book to develop fluency. Please bring books back on Mondays to be change. Books will be recorded on the GoRead/Boomreader app which can be accessed at home by parents/carers. This helps us see any areas which your child can be support- ed through their reading journey. We aim for books to go home on Wednesdays . No books will be given the first two weeks due to assessments.
In Music we will make up new words and actions about differ- ent emotions and feelings. Explore making sound with our voices to create different feelings and moods.	
We will also be having weekly mental heath session through My Happy Mind, where we will be learning about how our brain works and incorporating happy breathing.	Fead



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