

# Welcome to Conker Class

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Class Dojo 

## Reception

Welcome to Reception! We have lots of exciting topics throughout the year and as the children first of all settle into school life and begin to make new friendships, our first topic this half term is 'All About Me'. The content has been chosen and sequenced carefully to cover all areas of learning within the new Early Years Foundation Stage framework. Children in Reception will also learn a new Nursery Rhyme/Action song each week (details will be posted on class dojo). Please ensure you have followed the link via email to activate your account on class dojo as lots of information and photos of what we have been getting up to in Reception will be shared on there. Please let me know if you would like me to resend the email invitation.

If you would like to discuss anything, please call the office and I will be in touch. Thank you.

### Autumn Term

Our theme this term will be:  
'All About Me'.

Our Enquiry question will be...  
What do I like about being Me?

### Phonics and Maths

**Phonics** - This term children will be introduced to phonics through Read Write Inc. Children will learn 4 new sounds a week.

**Maths** - Matching & Sorting. Children will explore comparing different amounts as well as comparing size mass and capacity.

### We will be learning:

**Personal, Social & Emotional Development:** *Making new friends, daily routines, classroom rules, managing our behaviour.*

**Communication & Language Development:** *Story time, Nursery Rhyme Challenge, Carpet time.*

**Physical Development:** *PE, Dough Disco, Wake up Shake Up, Writing, Funky Fingers.*

**Literacy:** *Phonics, initial mark making recognising own name and writing own name.*

**Mathematics:** *Matching and Sorting, Recognising numbers to 5.*

**Understanding the World:** *Seasons/Autumn, Our School, Birthdays, Human Body, Our Senses.*

**Expressive Art & Design:** *Portraits, Family Pictures, Nature Crafts, Construction, Colour making, Pizza faces!*

### Important Days

Our PE day is **Friday**. Children need to come in their PE kits on this day.

Read Write Inc for Parents: TBC

Children will begin reading Lilac books which have no words. Please talk with your child about what is happening in the pictures. Once they know some sounds and begin to blend they will progress on to word books. We all need to read 5 times a week and Reading Records will be checked and changed on **MONDAYS**.