

Monday 14th September

This week in Reception

We have had a great first few days at school and we are so pleased with how well the children have settled into school life. Thank you for working with us to ensure that our morning routine runs as smoothly as possible. We appreciate that this system can be very time consuming but we are doing our best to adapt and speed up the process each day. One of the Reception adults will always be at the door and the other adults will be available to help children put their bags away inside.

Our first topic will be 'All about me.' We will be talking about ourselves, things we like, looking at our names and talking about who is in our family.



Phonic focus for this week

This week we will be playing sound games focusing on initial sounds in words and to develop the children's listening skills. We will also do some basic rhyming activities.



Maths

This week in Maths we will be counting and matching numbers to objects in lots of practical fun ways.

What can you do at home?

We will be sending home a copy of all the children's names written in the school script, please help them practice and check that they are holding their pencil correctly.



Action points

- ★ PE will take place on Monday each week so please do ensure that your child/children have a PE bag in school with the correct named uniform.
- ★ Please ensure that your child has a named water bottle that they bring to school every day.
- ★ We provide fruit and milk during morning snack time but if you would also like to bring in a **healthy snack** for them to have then please do so.
- ★ As the weather is turning colder, please ensure your child has a coat in school every day.
- ★ The curriculum presentation for Reception class will be held on Wednesday 16th September at 4pm, we hope you can attend this via zoom. Invites will be sent out shortly.

If you have any concerns, please feel free to email us. Reception Team

Miss Frank, Mrs Mohan, Mrs Cutting & Mrs Hall