



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to the Autumn term 2020!

The Reception team would like to thank those parents who attended the **Parent Consultations and Virtual Home Visits**. Hopefully we have answered any questions or queries that you had.

We would also like to remind you of the following information, which will support your child's learning in Reception as this is a really important year for them.

Starting dates Timetable

1 st week 7.09.20-11.09.20	2 nd week 14.09.20-18.09.20	3 rd week onwards
9.00am – 11.45pm	9.00am-13.30pm	9.00am-3pm

Attendance and Punctuality

School begins at 9.00am and finishes at 3:00pm. We expect your child to be in school every day and on time. The gate will open at 8.50am, please arrive promptly. Please make any appointments your child needs outside of school hours. Children need to be in school every day if they are to succeed.

School Uniform

Please ensure that your child wears the correct school uniform every day. Every item of clothing must have their name written inside. Trainers are not part of the school uniform, this includes black trainers. Please make sure that your child wears weather appropriate clothing to school every day. This includes jackets, hats, mittens, and wellies for outside play. Due to COVID restrictions please do not bring bags from home unless bringing a packed lunch. The school has provided a water bottle for each child and if spare cloths are needed they will be staying at school on the students pegs.

Reading Books

Reading books will be issued during the autumn term. Please make sure that you read with your child every day. If a reading book is lost, £5.00 will need to be paid to the school to replace it. Take time to make a note in your child's reading record book. This will ensure that we maintain a clear dialogue between us all.

Homework

Homework will be checked and will be related to the learning in the classroom that week. Homework is issued on a Friday and must be completed by Monday. We will provide online homework through Tapestry and the Seesaw platform.

Please see the curriculum map attached, which is also on the website.
If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us,

Regards,

Miss McKay and Mr. Thomas
The Reception Team