



Monday 9th September

This week in Reception

We had a great first couple of days last week and we were very impressed with how well and quickly the children settled into school life. This week we will be expecting children to come into school independently, one of the adults will be at the door and the other adults will be available to help the help children put away their things.

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.

Phonics
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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 they are holding their pencil correctly.



Action points

- ★PE will start this half term on Monday with a coach 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 everyday.
- ★The curriculum presentation for Reception class is on Wednesday 18th at 3.15, we hope you can attend.

If you have any concerns please feel free to come and chat to one of us.

Reception Team

Miss King, Miss Cope, Mrs Case & Mrs Gleeson