

Welcome to Reception

Welcome to Reception. We are looking forward to the school year ahead and to sharing all of the great learning experiences and opportunities we have in store for your child. We really value parent/carer engagement and feel it is important to share some important information with you to support your child in their learning this year:

Reading

- 2 phonics decodable books will be taken home each week - we change books on Mondays and Thursdays
- Your child will take part in Guided Reading with their teacher and bring the book home each week
- Please comment in your child's Reading Record when you have read with your child
- Your child's Reading books and Reading Record should be brought into school each day

Home Learning

In Reception the home learning is focussed on regular reading practise and consolidation. Please read your school reading book for 10 minutes each day and practise your word wallet and phonics flash cards.

Home School Communication

- The Reception team are available for brief conversations every morning and at the end of the school day. Should you require a more in-depth discussion with your child's Class Teacher, please arrange for specific time to meet with them
- Your child's Class Teacher should always be your first point of contact
- Feedback can be shared throughout the year with Parent Council Reps, Governors and the PTA as appropriate

Drop-off and Collection Arrangements

- Reception children will enter and leave school through the door outside their classroom
- If the adult collecting your child at the end of the day is different to usual, please inform the School Office (or your child's Class Teacher) before pick-up

Snack

Government-funded milk and fruit is provided for Reception children.

We look forward to working with you and your child during the year ahead.

The Reception Team