

A note from Mrs Hunter, Mrs Welsh, Miss Day & Mrs Cullen

Welcome back! It is so lovely to see you all! We can't wait to find out all about you all and have fun with our learning. We have so many different areas in the classroom ready and waiting for you to explore.

**Reception
Newsletter**

Important Reminders:

Reception will have PE every Monday. Please ensure your child attends school wearing their full PE kit on this day. All PE lessons will take place outside, so please make sure that your child is wearing suitable clothing (white tshirt, dark joggers) and foot wear.

Your child also needs a water bottle so they can drink during the day. This **MUST** be water and please make sure the bottle is labelled with your child's name

This term in class we are learning about...

Our topic this term is 'Friendship. We will all be making new friends and showing how kind we can be with each other. Some of the activities we will be getting up to:

- Reading stories about being a good friend and how we can be kind and helpful to others
- Talking about what makes us special, what we look like and our families
- Exploring the different areas in the classroom
- Watching how the outside environment changes over time and what happens at Autumn time.

Homework:

Your child will be sent home a new letter sound every other day. These are to be kept at home. Please check your emails as we will be sending out ideas and activities you can do with the letter sounds and what to do with them when your child is ready to move onto reading words. When your child is ready they will receive a reading book and an email will be sent out about what the child needs to concentrate on.

Educational Visits and assemblies this half term:

Week Beginning Monday 7th September 2020 – Culture Week

The children will be learning about the country they live in. They will be learning about the different countries that make up the United Kingdom. They will also be learning about the famous artist Banksy and listening to the composer Benjamin Britten.

