

# New Parents Presentation Reception 2020-2021



# Our Mission Statement

*Hand in hand, in God's loving  
family,  
we will dream and learn,  
growing into the best we can be.*





# The Foundation Stage

## Prime Areas

- . **Communication and language**
- . **Personal, social and emotional development**
- . **Physical development**

## Specific Areas

- . **Literacy**
- . **Mathematics**
- . **Understanding the World**
- . **Expressive arts and design**

## Characteristics of Effective Learning

- . **Playing and exploring**
- . **Active learning**
- . **Creating and thinking critically**



# RE

- 10% of the curriculum
- Whole School Assemblies
- Class Assemblies
- Prayer Services





# Our Reception Teachers



Mrs Larcombe  
Class Teacher  
Giraffe



Mrs Smith  
EYFS Lead  
Class Teacher  
Tiger



Miss Bham  
Class Teacher  
Tiger

# Parent Partnership

## Parent Workshops

- At the start of the year we will run some parent workshops. These will be based on
  - ▶ Phonics, English & Play
  - ▶ Maths & Play
- Dates will be given out in the first few weeks of term, this will obviously depend on advice given due to COVID 19.





# Parent Partnership



We need to know what achievements the children make outside of school.

The children will be given a *Me, Myself, My World* book which they will take home each term with an activity to complete. You could include:

- Photos
- Notes
- Work

# The First two weeks...

- ▶ On the week commencing Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> September meetings with individual parents will be conducted by Class Teachers in school (instead of Home visits) therefore, children will not attend school this week.
- ▶ Your child will start school the week beginning 7th September 2020 from 8:30am to 12:45pm. During that week, your child will attend school for one half day and stay for lunch, this will be either Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday of this week.
- ▶ On Thursday 10th September your child will attend for a half day including lunch and then on Friday 11th September your child will attend all day (8:30 to 3pm.)





# Morning and Afternoon Routines

Children will come into the classrooms with their parents through the classroom doors at 8.30am.

Children will be collected at 3pm from your child's class.

The children will line up and will be released one at a time when we see their parent.

Please inform us if someone else will be collecting your child on the day.



# What I need for School

- PE Kit - Labelled with their name. Please include a pair of underwear in case of any accidents.
- A waterproof coat. Named please!
- Book bag - please bring into school & label with name.
- Dinner - Initially this will be done manually and thereafter, you must order the week before using Parent Pay website.
- Water bottle (Named please!)





# Other Information

- At the beginning of the school year our doors will open at 8:30am to allow the children time to settle into school.
- Buddies - your child will be paired up with a Y6 child who will sit with them in assembly and have a session with them in their class.
- Medicines - medical form in your pack.
- Inhalers - please bring one into school if your child requires one.
- Children will receive free milk everyday until they are 5. More information is in the pack. - Cool Milk.
- Children will receive free fruit everyday for snack.



# Things to do over the summer

## Things you could do to help

- ▶ Talk to your child about starting school. How do they feel about it? Is there anything that they are excited to do? Anything that is worrying them?
- ▶ Using a knife and fork for meal times. Practise cutting soft food with a knife.
- ▶ Practice getting dressed and undressed.
- ▶ Establish a good bedtime routine.
- ▶ Practice number rhymes and counting games.
- ▶ Read stories to your child.





And finally...

If you do have any concerns  
or worries then please come  
and speak to us!

