

Aim high, believe; Fly high, achieve.

17th September 2024

WELCOME TO RECEPTION!

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Firstly, thank you for your support in helping your children settle in well. They have shown good listening skills and increasing confidence.

This email is to let you know a few pieces of key information:

P.E. will be on a Monday and Wednesday. Please send your child dressed in PE kit on those days.

Forest school will be on Friday. Please send your child to school dressed in their normal school uniform and bring a change of clothes for the forest in a named bag. Children will need to have their arms and legs covered e.g. long sleeved top and leggings/ trousers. They will need wellies or old trainers/ walking shoes and a waterproof coat/overalls. Please make sure all items are named.

Thank you to those of you who have already logged on to Boom Reader to record your child's reading. If you need any support in accessing this, please see Mrs Lang or Miss Muncer. Please try to read with your child daily, as this really benefits them in becoming a reader. We appreciate that on occasion home life can be busy, so we ask that every child reads at least three times each week at home.

As mentioned during parent/carer meetings, there is an online reading course available. This will help you to support your child in learning to read and write using a phonic approach.

<https://www.udemy.com/course/help-your-child-to-read-and-write/>

Learning to read and write has changed greatly over the years and this is a really useful update.

Finally, a quick reminder to please send your child with a named bottle water bottle each day.

We look forward to getting to know you all and working with you to ensure your child has the best start to school life at Archbishop Wake. If we can help further in any way, please speak to a member of our EYFS team.

Kind regards

Mrs Lang and Miss Muncer

EYFS Teachers