

**Welcome to Pre-School**

We are looking forward to the start of a new school year and sharing all the great learning experiences we have in store for your child. Keeping you, as parents/carers, involved in your child’s learning is very important to us, so we would like to share some important information with you.

**The Pre-School Team**

Miss Elms Miss Davies Mrs Stevenson Mrs Snelson Mrs Bradshaw Miss Woollam

**Key Information**

**Reading**

* Reading is at the heart of our school curriculum. In Pre-School, we share high quality texts as a whole class during daily story times, alongside one-to-one and small group reading activities.
* Your child will have the opportunity to choose a book from our school library to share with you at home.

**Home Learning**

* The Home Learning activities are designed to consolidate and extend learning done in school.
* Home Learning activities are shared via the Tapestry App. They are designed to be fun and engaging; sometimes your child may need support to complete them.
* If your child completes any of the home learning tasks, please upload these to Tapestry so we can share and celebrate their work together in school.

**Home School Communications**

* The Pre-School team is available every morning and at the end of the school day to receive messages. Please allow time for safe arrival/dismissal of pupils before speaking to the Class Teacher.
* Your child’s Class Teacher should always be your first point of contact; you can arrange a phone call or book a meeting via the school office.

**Drop-off and Collection Arrangements**

* Pre-School children will enter school through the Pre-School door from the playground at 8.45am.
* The children will be dismissed from the Pre-School door onto the school playground, directly to their parent/carer at 3.15pm.
* If the person collecting at the end of the day is different to usual, please inform the school’s admin team before 2.30pm so that they can notify the Class Teacher.

**Snack**

* Government-funded fruit and milk are provided for Pre-School children.
* A milk alternative can be brought into school in a small bottle or flask, but please remember that we are an allergy-aware school and these products cannot contain nuts.
* Please remember to send your child’s school water bottle into school with them every day.

**Uniform**

* Children should come to Pre-School wearing a school polo shirt and comfortable shoes.
* Please ensure all items coming into school are clearly labelled with your child’s name.

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

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