



FEATHERS!



Welcome to 'Big School'!! I hope your children are as excited about starting school as we are about having them here!

The first couple of weeks will be focused on getting to know your children by playing with them, and carrying out observations. We will start your child's 'Learning Scrapbook' which you will see regularly throughout the year. We have asked each child to bring in an 'All about me' box to share with the class. We have already enjoyed looking at some of them, the children have chatted happily about the contents.

Our first topic is 'Feathers' and we will be learning 'The Little Red Hen' story. Following this we will be studying owls and using the 'Owl Babies' book by Martin Waddell.

As always, my door is always open if you have any worries or just want to ask us a question.

Mrs May, Mrs Wilmott and Mrs Freeman ☺

Please make sure your child has a named pair of wellies in school all the time – we like to get out and about in the mud as much as possible!

We will be holding a Read, Write, Inc meeting on Monday 1st October at 2.35pm. This will give you a brief overview of the phonics scheme we use and how it works in school and at home.

Diary dates

TUESDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER – COMMUNITY CHOIR TRIAL SESSION 3.15PM W/C
17TH SEPTEMBER – FLEXI WEEK
W/C 24TH SEPTEMBER – ALL CHILDREN FULL TIME
WEDNESDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER – SCHOOL PHOTOS
THURSDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER - FIRST WELLY WALK
THURSDAY 11TH OCTOBER – KS1/EYFS HARVEST FESTIVAL AT ST MARY'S CHURCH
FRIDAY 12TH OCTOBER – PTFA DISCO
MONDAY 1ST OCTOBER – PHONICS MEETING 2.35PM IN THE DEN
THURSDAY 18TH OCTOBER – END OF TERM 1

LIME CLASS

MRS MAY

TERM 1

2018-2019

RECEPTION

Routines

Physical Development

Focused teaching of PE will be on a Tuesday. Please make sure ALL PE kit is named and kept in school.

Den (Library)

Lime Class will visit the den on a Wednesday. Please send your child's book back each week so they can swap it.

Read Write Inc Phonics

We will begin teaching the sounds on Monday 10th September. Please check book bags for handwriting homework sheets and send them back to school for House Points!

We will be going on a Welly Walk every Thursday afternoon at 2.15pm, beginning 27th September. You are very welcome to join us ☺

Your child will need a named water bottle (not squash or juice) and suitable coat in school every day please.

Reading books should be in school daily and will be changed on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. We will change books that have been read twice at home so please make sure you record in the yellow reading record.