

25th September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Phonics Workshop

The children have made a great start to school and are settling in well to new routines and engaging with lots of wonderful learning opportunities.

This week we have begun teaching daily phonics lessons to the Reception children. We use a synthetic phonics scheme called Read Write Inc which supports children to read and spell in a systematic way.

Your role, as your child's first teacher at home, in helping your child to learn to read is incredibly important to the progress they make. We would like to invite you to a short meeting after school at 3.30pm on Thursday 2nd October to find out how phonics is taught in class and for you to become familiar with the vocabulary and strategies we use in school. This will help ensure your child receives a consistent approach in school and at home and will make a strong start on their reading journey.

Children are welcome to attend with you but will need to remain under your supervision.

We look forward to working with you to help your child make the best possible start to school!

Kind regards

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