



Our Lady's Bishop Eton Primary School



Reception Weekly Newsletter

Term: Autumn Term 1

Week: 1

Week ending: 09.09.2022

Welcome to the Reception newsletter

What a wonderful three days we have had! The children have settled in really well during their half day sessions and it has really given them a chance to explore their learning environment and make some new friends before all of our cohort are in school together.

The children look so smart in their new uniforms and have loved coming in and chatting to the adults, telling us about their interests and showing us some lovely play and learning.

Thank you to all of the parents/carers who attended our meet the teacher sessions at the beginning of the week, it was lovely for us to have an opportunity to chat about your child and for you to tell us more about them and we hope you also found useful in terms of gaining any information or answering any questions.

As stated in the meetings, if you do have any questions / concerns, please speak to a member of staff.

From next week, a staff member will be at the door each morning where you are welcome to leave messages for your child's class teacher. Alternatively, you can speak to us at collection time at the door.

If you require a longer or more private chat or more general information, you can contact the school office who will pass on any emails to us.

Their details can be found below:

Mrs Murray - businessmanager@ourladysbishopeton.com

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Admin officer – hbowers@ourladysbishopeton.com

The children received a school water bottle yesterday. Please remember to send this to school each day filled with fresh water so we can encourage the children to stay hydrated. It may be useful to put a colourful sticker or name label on the front in order for children to identify their own bottle as they are all the same.

Some of you have begun to send in waterproof suits and wellies so please continue to do so over the coming weeks especially as the children have been enjoying using our new mud kitchen already. This can get very messy so we encourage the children to put on their suits and boots to protect their clothes and keep them dry in the rain.

In addition, it is useful to send in spare socks and underwear for your child which we will keep in their PE bag on their peg, in case of any toileting accidents. We do have some spares in school these often run short, especially socks in wet weather.

Please remember to label **ALL** items of your children's clothing, including shoes and socks as they are very easily mistaken, even with names and especially after the children have been in the sandpit.

As you are aware, children will be staying for lunch from Monday onwards. The weekly lunch menu is sent out to parents on parentApp. It would be useful if you could talk the options with the children the previous evening as this will help them to choose each day.

We hope you all have a lovely weekend together and the children have a good rest ready for starting their full days in school next week.

Thank you
The EYFS team.

