

Dear Parents,

6<sup>th</sup> September 2021



Welcome to Frogs Class!

This year Frogs class will be taught by Miss Jefferies. The children will also be supported all week by the class teaching assistant Miss Remnant.

### **Topic**

This term our topic will be 'All About Me'. A topic web will be displayed on the school website in due course, which briefly outlines the learning for the term.

### **Morning Routine**

The children are welcome to come into the classroom as soon as the door is opened by a member of staff. As the cloakroom is limited on space, we politely ask that you encourage your child to come into the classroom independently by leaving them at the planters just outside the cloakroom door.

### **Home time Routine**

We will stand with the children at the classroom door and send them to you when we see you. The playground can be busy at the end of the day so please give us a wave so we can send your child to you promptly. If your child is going home with someone other than yourself, please let Miss Jefferies know when at the morning drop off, or alternatively leave a message with the office and they will pass it on.

### **School Uniform**

Please make sure ALL items of clothing are clearly labelled including PE kit, hats, coats etc.

### **Wellington Boots**

It would be helpful if your child could bring a pair of named wellies to keep in the cloakroom for wet weather activities and welly walks.

### **PE**

Please make sure ALL items of clothing are clearly labelled, including PE kit. PE kit should be in school at all times and should include coloured t-shirt, shorts and daps (also trainers/jogging bottoms for cold and wet weather).

### **Snack**

We have a morning snack of fruit, milk or water. In order to do this and to cover the cost of food tasting and cooking activities throughout the year, we ask for a contribution of £12.00 to cover the whole year OR £2 every term. Please give the money, in a named envelope, to your child to pass to one of the adults in the classroom so that we can tick it off. Once children turn 5 years old they are no longer entitled to free milk so we purchase milk on a weekly basis. Please ask at the school office if you would like your child to receive milk with their snack.

### **Water bottles**

Please ensure your child brings in a named water bottle every day to school. We politely ask that it is only filled with water (unless there is a medical reason) due to spillages.

### **Reading books, bookbags and records**

Please read daily with your child and record it in their reading records. Your child should bring their book bag to school every day, as we listen to the children read throughout the week. At the back of their reading record, you will find your child's Purple Mash and Times Table Rockstars log in, should you wish to access them at home.

### **Friday celebrations**

On Friday's we have our weekly celebration assembly. If your child is chosen to take home the Maths Monkey or Values Owl, please ensure they are brought back into class the following Monday.

We look forward to working with you and your child over the next academic year. If you have any queries please contact us via email or let us know at drop off/pick up.

Many thanks, Miss Jefferies and Miss Remnant