



Miss Weir



Mrs Moretti



Miss Spratt



Miss Giles



Miss Morgan

## Reception Autumn 1

In our first topic we will be learning about different aspects of ourselves.

# Me, Me, Me!



### Reminder!

PE kit—Bailey Green black t-shirt and shorts/skort and black elastic or Velcro plimsoles. PE kits can be purchased from Emblematic.

Please **label ALL** school uniform and PE kits with your name.

Please send a labelled water bottle in each day and please do not put them in a school bag.

### Literacy

We will be looking at our individual names, practising writing them correctly. The children will begin to recognise some letters, learning words that contain these letters and how to write them correctly.

Children will be able to talk about stories in their own words and have the opportunity to recognise some sight vocabulary words.

In school children will read each week. We begin with discussion books and move on to phonic books as they are ready. Please read books at home with your child— a love for reading is so important!

### Understanding the World

Children will explore and discuss their own immediate environment. They will learn about changes as they grow up. They will also explore the 5 senses.

### Mathematics

This half term we will be doing a lot of counting and number recognition. The children will learn some mathematical concepts such as biggest, tallest, sequencing and sorting and matching pairs.

### Expressive Arts and Design

Children will look closely at their unique features and record them using different media such as paints and collage. Music and movement using body parts will dominate hall time, practising listening skills too.

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be promoting self help skills as children settle in including the rules and routines of Reception. Please encourage the children to dress themselves at home.

### Physical Development

Indoor and Outdoor play will stimulate imagination and gross motor skills. Regular "Wake and Shake" will be part of the daily routine. Correct pencil grip will be introduced and promoted.

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Could you send in a spare pair of wellies in with your child? Please send in a plastic bag.

