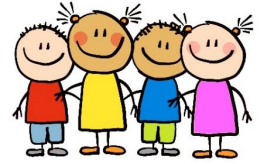


Peek at the



Week Self Portraits

The children have painted some wonderful self portraits this week! They looked closely at themselves in a mirror to paint their portraits and we were very impressed by some of the little details the children included. We discussed in our classes what makes us special and what we are good at. We also introduced the children to our school rules (RRS).

Ready

Respectful

Safe

The children have been trying really hard to remember these when they are playing and learning and during carpet times. In Maths, the children practised their sorting skills, sorting objects into different colours. They have also coped amazingly well with a fire alarm practice this week!



IMPORTANT: School Registration forms

Most of these are now done so we will take this off next week!

An email has gone out to remind all parents to please complete the school registration forms. They are online this year and can be accessed using a QR code.

The Forms include **photo consent**. Until we have that, we cannot post photos of what the children are learning in Peek at the Week.

Below is a link to the Dorchester website's 'Reception Welcome Information pack':

<https://www.dorchesterprimary.com/page/?title=Reception+Welcome+Information+Pack+2024&pid=129>

There is also a link on this page to the registration forms.

If you have any problems, please contact the office. If you have already completed these, thank you.

Clothing

Name Labels: Please remember to name **EVERYTHING** your child brings or wears to school including coats, shoes and water bottles.

Wellies: As the children will be playing outside in **ALL** weathers, please could you send in a pair of **named Wellies** (if you have not done so already), which we will keep outside the classrooms for the children to change into for Forest School and puddle jumping!

Spare Clothes: Please could you send in a **NAMED** set of spare clothes in a separate bag, preferably in a drawstring bag or a bag that closes. Please also include **socks!** The clothes do not have to be school uniform but please keep the clothes plain – without logos or characters.

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October

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10th - Bronze

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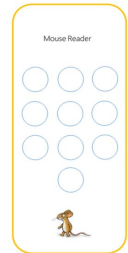
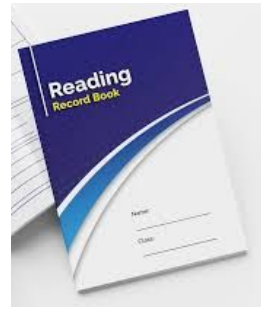
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Reading

The children will bring home a reading record and a library book, that they will have chosen themselves. The library books are to share with their adults and family. Please put the date in the Reading Record and which book you have read together. We know the parents will be doing the reading at this stage but would like everyone to make a note that they have read together every night. The teachers will collect the reading diaries every Thursday and, if the children have read at least 5 times in a week (7 times is better), then the children will receive two stickers on their bookmark - one for reading every night and one for having their reading diary in school every day.

When not being read, all books and the Reading Record should stay in the book bag and be brought into school every day.



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Important Dates

Managing Behaviour Workshop - Wednesday October 9th
8:45am-10:30am. Coffee morning for EYFS parents led by
clinical psychologist Dr Danielle Shbero.

Parents Evening: Wednesday 16th October 3.30pm-5.30pm

Parents Evening: Thursday 17th October 3.30pm - 7pm
(Information will be sent on the Gateway app nearer the time so you
can book a slot with your teacher - please make sure you download
our school gateway communications app)

Last day of term: Thursday 24th October

Inset Day: School Closed Friday 25th October

Contacts

If you would like to contact any of us by email. We will reply as
soon as possible within school working hours.

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