

Heaton St. Barnabas' C.E. Primary School

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

We hope your child has had an excellent start to school and is settling in with us well! The children are relaxed, happy and, most importantly, have started to form new relationships with their peers and the adults in reception. I would like to take this opportunity to say a big 'thank you' for all your co-operation in your child's first few weeks at school.

We would also like to remind you of some of the items we encourage your child to have in school to help with their daily routines:

- Indoor pumps.
- Wellies (if possible) as the weather changes.
- A warm/waterproof coat as the weather begins to change.
- Pump/PE bag a school drawstring bag is ideal for the cloakroom. Unfortunately, some of the children's own rucksacks are too big for the pegs.
- School book bag they are ideal for the children's books and letters that go home. Reading books and library books will be changed on **Monday or Wednesday** so please bring them on both days.
- PE is going to be on **Wednesday** and we ask that the children come to school that day in their kit (we will not start this properly until after October half term).

Please ensure that all items are clearly labelled with your child's name.

Punctuality and attendance is also really important to us so please ensure your child arrives at school between the door opening time at 8.35am and closing at 8.45am.

We are looking forward to working in partnership with you, to ensure that your child reaches their full potential.

Thank you,

Miss Marshall (Assistant Headteacher/EYFS leader), Mr Clark, and the Reception Team



