

AUTUMN 1

Amazing Acorns



Dear Parents/Carers,

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you and your child back to Acorns and the start of another exciting year! If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff.

Miss Evely

Mrs Marshall will be looking after the Reception and Year 1 children on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon.

Please ensure that ALL items of clothing are named!

Tricky Words

Reception will be bringing home tricky word cards alongside their reading books from next week. These words are to be learnt by sight so 'flash' the words at the end of the reading session. The children will have their tricky words tested in class and new ones will be given.

Reading

Once your child is ready they will bring home a reading book. At the beginning of your child's reading journey we will begin by changing their reading book once a week. This will give you an opportunity to read the book to your child as well as them reading to you. It would be helpful if you would point to the words as you are reading so your child can follow along with you. While looking at the book please encourage your child to look at the pictures, talk about what has been happening in the story and make predictions about what they think will happen next.

I would encourage you to write a comment in their reading journal, as we will change their reading books once they have been read both at home and at school.

Please keep your child's reading book in their bag all week.

PE is on Friday morning.

Please ensure that your Reception child has their full PE kit in school. White T-shirt, black/navy shorts, plimsolls and outdoor clothing.

Please bring in a pair of named wellingtons that can be left on your child's peg for use in the outdoor area.

Walk in Wednesdays

The children in Acorns are so excited by their learning that they would like to share it with you!

Our doors will be open for an hour every Wednesday so you or any family member can join in with the Acorns fun!

Important Dates

13th September – School Photographs

18th September 9am Phonics Parent Session EYFS

20th September AFTERNOON Seeing is believing

5th October MORNING Mums and Ladies

12th October MORNING Dads and Lads

