

# Reception's Newsletter September 2021

## Well Done!

Wow!! We cannot believe how well the children have settled and learnt the routines of school. Thank you for your support with this.

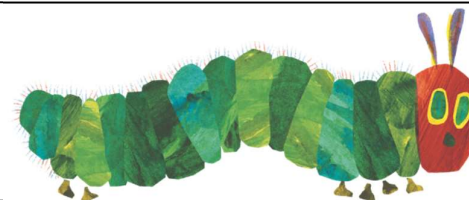
If your child does get upset as you drop off, please do not worry they are fine a couple of



## Welcome to Kislingbury C of E

## Children's Interests/Topics This Term

- All about me
- Discussing favourite picture books including The Very Hungry Caterpillar, Elmer, Guess How Much I Love You, We're Going on



## Links to EYFS

**Physical, Social and Emotional Development:** We will make new friends and build relationships with new adults.

**Communication and Language:** We will initiate conversations with each other and share our learning together.

**Physical Development:** We will learn how to be independent and put our coats on our pegs and our shoes/wellies on.

**Literacy:** We will be exploring different ways we can make marks and begin to write our own names.

**Maths:** Sorting objects, comparing quantities and exploring numbers to 5.

**Understanding the World:** We will explore our new environment and explore our outdoor landscape,

**Expressive Arts and Design:** We will act out our own



## 5 Things About Me

The children will receive a note with details of when the children can bring in 5 things that they can show the class to let us all get to know them a bit better. We will be asking a few children each day to show their objects in the third week of school, so look out for the note!

We would also love it if children brought in a copy of a photo showing a special time you have shared as a family or a family photo to put on

### Reminders

Please could you ensure that your child comes to school **every day** with the following?

- Named uniform.
  - Named waterproof coat (you can leave this at school if you wish).
  - Named book bag (with reading packet in)
  - Named water bottle – this must be water, no juice
- thank you. Please can your child come in



### Homework

When your child is full time we will send homework home. We will be keeping a log of completed homework, and children with high homework completion will receive a certificate at Christmas. Please make sure homework books are in book bags on **Tuesdays**. They will be

### Check list

Have we received/seen the following?

- Your child's birth certificate.
- All forms that were in the induction pack.
- A pair of wellington boots to



Miss Pittam will be available for updates on how your child is feeling on the playground before school, but if you require a longer chat, please ask for a meeting after school.

### Things for you to know

\*In the mornings (before school) we ask that the children do not play on the grass as it is often wet and causes muddy shoes!

\*Please encourage your child to be as independent as possible i.e. come into school carrying their own belongings.

\*We do not check book bags everyday so please hand letters, reply slips, money etc. to us in the mornings.

\* We have a list of names of children in the class so if you need one for birthdays, Christmas cards etc. then please just ask.

\*On Friday we allow the children to bring in a 'treat' snack from home for 'treat

### Dates for Your Calendar

Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> September	Children start school (8.40-11.50)
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> September	Children stay for lunch (8.40-12.50)
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	Children stay at school all day (8.40-3.10)
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Festival at St Luke's church
20 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup> October	Parents Evenings
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Parents Stay and Play