

8th June 2018

Dear Reception Parents,

As the end of the academic year approaches, the children in our Reception classes are also coming towards the end of their time in the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS). The EYFS is strictly controlled by government legislation, with which all schools, state or independent, have to comply. You will be aware that during Reception your child has been assessed against the early learning goals in the seven areas of learning. We have used these headings (along with French) on your child's end of year report, which means the curriculum headings are different from the other classes in Pre-Prep. These headings are:

- Communication and Language
- Physical Development
- Personal, Social and Emotional Development
- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Understanding of the World
- Expressive Arts and Design

The assessments made during the year are recorded in your child's Foundation Stage Profile and, this term, we are required to send the results of these assessments to the Local Education Authority. Your child's end of year report will provide you with a summary of their progress measured against the early learning goals.

We would like to provide you with an opportunity to discuss your child's Foundation Stage Profile. You will be able to meet with your child's class teacher during the weeks of 25th June and 2nd July. From Wednesday 13th June, class teachers will put a list of appointment times in their classroom. Please sign up for a convenient time for you.

Yours sincerely,

Liz Lord
Head of Pre-Prep