



## Foundation Welcome Meeting Notes 2023

- Topic this half term is **Me and My Family**
- Show and Tell- pictures of your family/ when they were babies **W.B 18th September**. We will gradually go through them all during the half term
- Phonics scheme is Supersonic Phonics –diaries will be coming home within the next few weeks and a reading book when your child is ready. PLEASE DO NOT book water bottles in their book bags- show ruined books! We ask for a contribution towards a replacement.
- Phonics Meeting **Thursday 28th September 4pm in here**
- Lunch time (11.45-12.45) the children will all have their lunch together.
- Reward Structure- sunshine, rainbow, star and clouds for sanctions.

Dragons gold as a whole school reward system.

Celebration assembly with KS1 with Dragon certificates if the children would like to bring in anything from outside of school to show their achievements e.g. swimming/ football/ gymnastics etc.

- Wow moments to fill in and identify great progress noticed at home e.g. swimming, helping, getting dressed, setting the table, tidying up etc. Upload to SeeSaw or send in.
- Children need to be able to write their name with just one capital letter at the beginning. Encourage your child to write their name as often as possible. Please see school readiness on the website for more information.
- Key ring book bag so the chn can identify their own bag.

### **Website Information:**

- Lady Bay website class page: Each half term is on there and how you can support your child at home- **show website**.
- We do put photos on regularly once we know who can go on the website. **Mention photo consent!!** (Nativity/ trips)

### **General:**

- Update SeeSaw regularly with photos/messages great for communication- it is confidential to just us. Please don't put photos on social media if it has other children in the photo.
- Please ensure you **name everything** including PE kits (come to school in their kits **every Thursday for Autumn 1 and Tuesday for Autumn 2. We will let you know when PE is for the other half terms towards the end of the Autumn Term.**)
- Coats every day / Ensure your child has layers as our doors will always been open!
- Please don't let your child into the foundation area before or after school as we'll be setting up/ tidying away.
- If you need to speak to us, please try and catch us at the end of the day when we have dismissed the children or message us on SeeSaw.
- Birthdays- book to celebrate their birthday/ invitations!

### **Trips/Dates**

**Parents' Evening- 17th/19th for FJO and 16th/19th for FG Theatre-** Lakeside 20th December to help on the trip(s) you will need to have a DBS. **Please go to the office to put your name down. Thank you!**

**Mat leave cover.**

**(Ms Foster newly appointed.)**