

# Welcome to Reception



Our theme in Term 1 is 'Our World'. We will begin by finding out about ourselves and our families. We will also find out about our local area. We will then move onto finding out about Planet Earth and how we can look after our planet. Finally, we will finish the term learning about space!



## Important Information

Our reading books will be changed every **Monday**. Please make sure book bags are in school on this day with your child's books and yellow reading record. This is the only day your child needs a bag in school.

Our PE day is **Monday**. Please send your child to school in their PE kit on this day.

## Everyday Essentials

Please provide your child with a name labelled water bottle. Our school policy is **water only** in bottles.



Reception are provided with rolling snack in class so do not need to bring a snack into school with them. However, if you would like to send a snack in it needs to be a healthy option not chocolate, sweets, biscuits or crisps.

## Class Text

We will be looking at a few different focus texts this term. These include 'Here We Are' by Oliver Jeffers, 'Martha Maps it Out' by Leigh Hodgkinson and 'Somebody Swallowed Stanley' by Sarah Roberts.



## Estimated Trip Costs

We will go on a school trip later on in the year. Our estimated trip costs for the year are £30.00. We will send out more information about the trip nearer the time.



Starting school is a HUGE milestone for your children. We know you may have questions along the way! At the end of the school day, please feel free to ask any questions once all of the children have been dismissed. If you have a concern that needs a more in-depth discussion, please contact [admin@bps.cbatacademy](mailto:admin@bps.cbatacademy) to arrange a telephone appointment.

We can't wait to begin our journey in Reception together!

Mrs Ferris, Mrs Combes and Miss. Hawkins