



Early Years Newsletter

Autumn 1 2023

5/9/23 - 27/10/23



Welcome to the Early Years at Hartburn Primary School.

We hope everyone had a wonderful summer and we are looking forward to an exciting new school year.

Our topic for the Autumn Term is Me and my Community

In the Me and My Community project, your child will learn about the school community and building friendships. They will explore the school grounds and find out about all the people in school who are there to help them. They will explore how they are special and unique and how everyone's family is different. They will take part in practical activities to support them to build new friendships and explore what makes a good friend. They will also find out about people in the community who help us, including doctors, nurses, and the emergency services.

If you have anything that you could share with the children that will enhance this topic please let us know!

Reading and Home Learning in Nursery

Please read and share books at home with your child.

Nursery 'Home Learning' books need to be handed in on a Thursday—your child will receive these on the Friday after their start date.

During the Nursery session, children will visit Nursery Library and choose a book to enjoy at home.

Reading and Home Learning in Reception

'Library' books and 'Homework' folders will be sent home each Friday, please return them to school on the following Thursday.

Some 'Home Learning' tasks will also be uploaded to SEESAW each Friday.

If you have any spare time and would like to come into school to support children's reading please let your child's class teacher know. We really appreciate any time you can give.

BECOME A VOLUNTEER - MAKE A DIFFERENCE



School Uniform and Outdoor Clothing

Please ensure children wear the correct uniform and either blue or grey hair ribbons or small bows. Fancy hairbands are not suitable for school.

We do spend lots of time outdoors so please ensure children always have warm, waterproof coats and sensible footwear.

Reception children must come to school on a Wednesday wearing their PE kit. They will wear this all day.

Please get in touch with Mrs Park directly if you need financial support with school uniform.



Please save items for our workshop.

Boxes, cards, ribbon, buttons, cartons, sweet wrappers and any seasonal objects.

Please hand items to a member of the EY team.

Thank you



This year the government have introduced a statutory baseline assessment for all Reception aged children. In line with this guidance your child will complete this baseline within the first 6 weeks of starting school. Please click on the link below for more information.

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1004560/2021_Information_for_parents_reception_baseline_assessment.pdf

Open Evening and E-Safety Event—Monday 18th September 3:45 - 6:00pm

Reception Stay and Read - Tuesday 17th October 8:45 - 9:15am

Nursery Stay and Play - Wednesday 18th October 8:30-9:30am and 12:15 - 1:15pm

(Only 1 adult is permitted to accompany each child at these times)

School closes for half term Friday 27th October



Please remember to log onto your child's seesaw account regularly to find out what they have been doing in Early Years!