



September 2022

Important Information

- **Healthy Snacks** – Each day, we receive a delivery of fruit or vegetables for the children to have as a snack. If you wish to, you are welcome to send in a *healthy* alternative / additional snack from home.
- **Learning Journal Diaries** – Today , we have sent home Learning Journal diaries in a plastic folder with your child. We ask that these diaries stay in the folders and are brought to and from school every day. The diaries can be used to communicate with your child’s class teacher – just pop a note inside if there is something you want to tell us. Outside each classroom every morning, there will be a box – please pop the diary (in the folder) in the box if there is a note you need us to see. The box can also be used to return forms, etc.
- **Reading books** – As a school, we are moving on to using ‘Sounds Write’ to teach phonics and reading. We will be sending reading books home in a few weeks time.



Behaviour Ladder

In each class, there is a ladder to promote good behaviour choices. There are seven steps and each day every child starts on the middle rung. When a child demonstrates one of our school values (pride, trust, respect, compassion, determination) they move one step up the ladder. When they reach the top (3 steps up), they will receive a certificate to take home.

Reminders

- **Water bottles** – Please ensure these are named and are filled with fresh water at home. We will top up bottles when they are empty.
- **Clothing** – Please ensure that *all* items of clothing are clearly named.
- **Wellies** – If you haven’t already done so, please send in some wellies for your child to keep in school.

PE

Once the children are fully settled, they will have PE lessons on the following days:

- Tuesday – Pearl Class
- Thursday – Crystal Class
- Friday – Opal Class

We will inform you when PE will begin.