

Holy Family Foundation Stage

Welcome to Nursery and Reception!

We hope your child is going to have a wonderful year this year.

We aim to create a happy, stimulating environment where your child feels valued, safe and motivated to learn. Although we believe the best way to achieve this is for staff and parents to work together in a partnership, it is not always possible to have detailed discussions in the morning as we are trying to settle children, as well as ensure that all are safe. Therefore, if you do have any worries or questions about your child which requires a detailed discussion, members of staff are available at the end of each day from **2:55pm**.



Topics

Autumn 1 – Marvellous Me!

Autumn 2 – Let's Celebrate

It would be wonderful if your child could bring in a family photo for our display! Thank you.

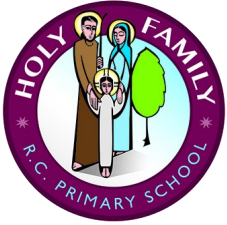
Please ensure that....

- Your child's name is clearly written in all items of clothing.
- Your child has a bag of spare clothes (underwear, pants/skirt/leggings, socks) which stay at school.
- Your child has a water bottle to keep in class .
- Book bags are returned on Thursdays



Shared books

Books are to be shared with a grown up at home. Children may be able to identify some words, but are not expected to read the books independently. Please read the book together and talk about the book. Shared books will be changed on a **THURSDAY**.



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Reading books

When children are ready, they will have their own reading book. Please sign the reading record with a short comment when your child has read with you. If your child has read their book, please encourage them to talk about the story and ask questions to develop their understanding.



Class Dojo

Weekly home learning tasks will be set on the ClassDojo platform.

You can also share photos/video's of things your child has been doing/proud of and we can celebrate this news by putting these pictures on display.



Twitter

Please follow our Twitter pages for regular updates and pictures.

[@NursHolyFamily](#)

[@RecHolyFamily](#)

School day

Please ensure your child is dropped off and collected promptly —no later than **2:55pm**. This then gives the staff time to clean the resources, ready for lots of fun the following day.

We are really looking forward to working with you and your wonderful children this year!

Thank you for your continuing support,

Miss Baggaley, Miss McLaughlin

Mrs Fox and Mrs McNeill