



Rishton Methodist Primary School

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"Rise up ... take courage and do it" Ezra 10:4



Dear Parents/Carers,

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you and your child to the Reception Class. I hope your child has enjoyed their first days at school.

When the children attend full time on Friday 15th September staff will be on the yard to greet your child at 8.45 a.m. ready for the 8.50 a.m. bell. Children will then line up and be led around the building into the Foundation Stage Classroom. At home time children will line up on the school playground and be dismissed at 3.15 p.m. Staff will send children in line order to their parents. **For safety reasons please do not call your child to you until their name is called.** Thank you for your support with this.

During this term please encourage your child to do as much reading at home as possible. Each child will be given a reading day, and this has been written on the front of their reading record. Please bring your book to be changed on that day. Two books will normally be given every week. Your child will be given sounds and words to read from their group teacher which we would like you to practise at home please. Homework will be given on a Friday to be returned the following Friday please. It will generally be a piece of maths work or English work which will be linked to what we have been learning in class. Please let me know if your child has any problems completing it.

P.E will be on a Tuesday. Please can you ensure that your child has their full P.E kit in school until half term when it will be sent home to be washed. Please can earrings be removed on those days or your child will not be able to take part. Please find the overview of this first half term attached to this letter.

Thank you for your support,
Mrs Houlker
Foundation Stage Leader

