

Welcome to
Meet the Teacher!

Reception





Staffing



Foundation Stage Staff

Miss Allsopp (Reception Class Teacher)

Mrs Lowrie(Nursery Class Teacher)

Mrs Hogg (Teaching Assistant)

Mrs Ross (Teaching Assistant)

Miss Henderson (Teaching Assistant)



Routines



In Reception we engage in learning through play. Learning opportunities are based around the seven areas of learning:-

- Personal, social and emotional development
- Communication and language
- Physical development
- Understanding the world
- Mathematics
- Literacy
- Expressive arts and design

Everyday we will have whole class learning sessions. We will also have weekly PE, music, phonic, circle time, numeracy and literacy sessions.



Our Topics



We'll be trying to ensure we have fun, because happy children learn better!

Our topic for this half term is "All about me" and "Autumn". Play opportunities are based around these topics and also around children's current interests and experiences.



Learning Journal



Each child in Reception has their own Learning Journal. Photographs and children's work will be added into each journal regularly to show things that each child has been doing and achieved.

The "My World Book" is your opportunity to show us all the things your child has been doing at home. It will help us to create a picture of the whole child and also feeds into our end of year assessment.

Home-school books will be sent home every Friday and are to be brought back every Tuesday. Your child will also bring home a home reading book. Please read this with your child at home and write a comment as to how they manage at home.



Medication and Absence



All medical needs should be shared as soon as possible to ensure we can meet your child's needs. Any medication needs to be prescribed and be labelled. The office oversees medication in school so may be in touch for more serious conditions or to clarify medication.

Absence simply needs to be reported to the office - any requests for absence need to be submitted to Mr Boddy.



Who to see for what!



For any issues, simply contact either me on the yard
or by email...

rachaelallsopp@whitemereprimary.org

For any issues that may require more than a brief
chat, please feel free to make an appointment with
me.

If you feel a matter is personal or related to a whole
school matter, appointments can be made to see Mr
Boddy or Mrs Hutchinson.



Useful things to share!



- If your child experiences success in some way outside of school, share that with us (email a picture, send a note) so we can share it in class
 - Please ensure there are names in clothes
 - Any money in named envelopes
 - School trips
- Do follow us on Twitter @OffWhiteMere

Thank you for coming!

