

Break out. Shout out. Stand out.

Welcome to your new School

A very warm welcome to Meltham CE Primary school.

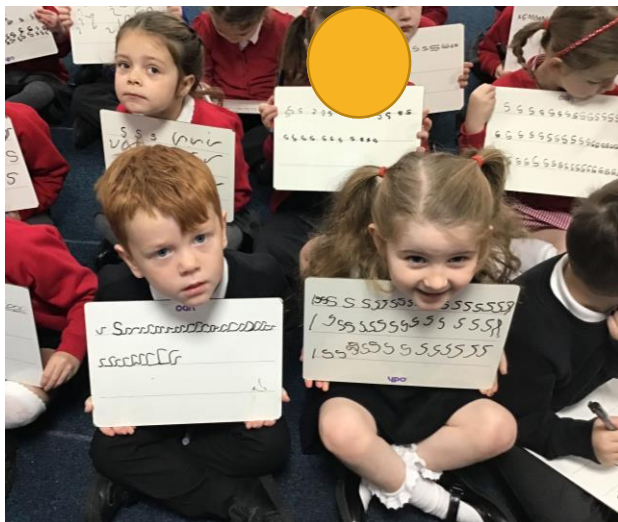
This welcome book is for you to read with your child during the summer in the build up to their all important first days of school. We hope that it will help you to prepare for some of the things they will soon be doing in their new school. Starting in Reception can be just as nerve-racking as it is exciting (for the whole family!) and we feel that sharing this book at various times over the coming weeks, will help your child to make a smooth and happy transition in September.

Thank you

(The Early Years Team and the Senior Leadership Team)



This is our Early Years Unit – We are Class One and Class Two.





Mrs Wimpenny



Mrs Spittlehouse



Mrs Osborne



Mrs Charlton

**Mrs Wimpenny, Mrs Osborne, Mrs Spittlehouse
and Mrs Charlton all look after us and help us
every day.**

Each morning, we will hang up our coats on our hooks, and put our book bags in the box.



We have to wash our hands several times a day. It is very important that we do this properly, using soap and water, for 20 seconds every time.



We do good sitting on the carpet and we love to sing songs and listen to stories together.



If one of our teachers claps their hands or rings the bells, we all stop what we are doing and listen carefully.





We have the chance to play in the water and in the sand; we like to draw and use the toys in our classroom.



We also love to play and learn outside..



Listening to grown-ups,
keeping safe and staying
where we can be seen
are very important now
that we are at school.

We will always use kind
hands, kind feet and kind
words when we speak to
each other.



When we start school, we will meet our new buddies! Our buddies are helpful year six children who can help us in school. At the beginning of the year, they will help us at lunchtime, at playtimes and we will have lots of chances to see them throughout the year.





Each day, we all enjoy healthy fruit and milk. You might have a hot school dinner or bring your own packed lunch from home.



**We will all enjoy learning to read, write and count,
but we also have lots and lots of time to do other
exciting things inside and outside our classrooms.**



We have a play time in the morning. We enjoy an hour to eat and play at lunch. We also have a play time in the afternoon: there are lots and lots of things for us to play with in our part of the school.



At the end of the school day, our teachers will help us get ready for our grown-ups to collect us from the classroom door. We will be very excited to tell you all about our first day at school!



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