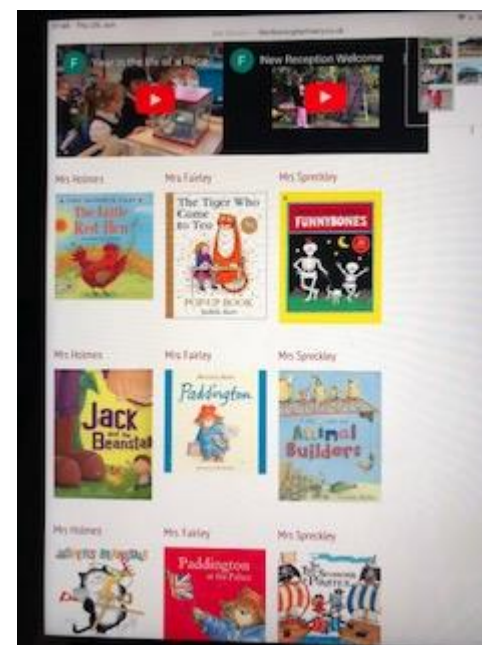
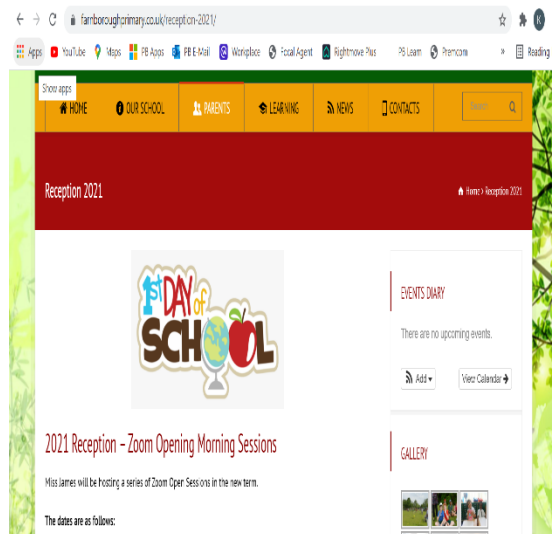




# After today....

A dedicated Reception 2021 section has been set up on the school website under Parents



# On here you will find...

- copies of all letters / paperwork sent to you
- the two videos referred to in your recent letter
- videos of the three members of the Reception Team reading stories for the children
- ideas for activities to complete with your child before they start school
- a copy of this powerpoint
- we will also e-mail you separately details of how to access Busy Things , an educational website used in school

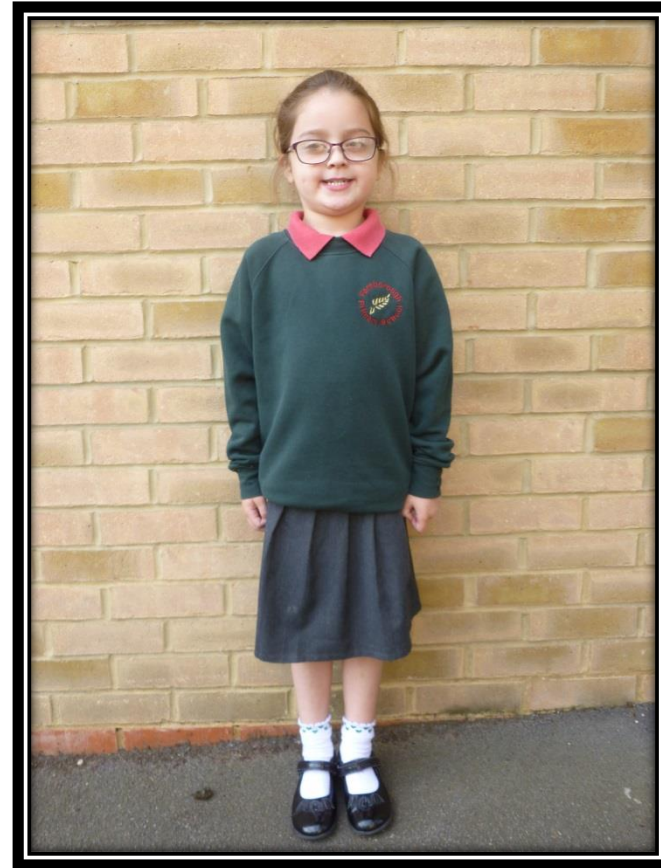
# Communication with parents after school starts

- Teacher on the door as children arrive and leave school
- Operate an open door policy so also available after school most days for information or advice
- Communication Board outside the classroom
- Regular Parent Meetings and updates on children's progress
- Observations sent home at the end of each week via Evidence Me
- Invite parents to keep us informed via Parent's Voice

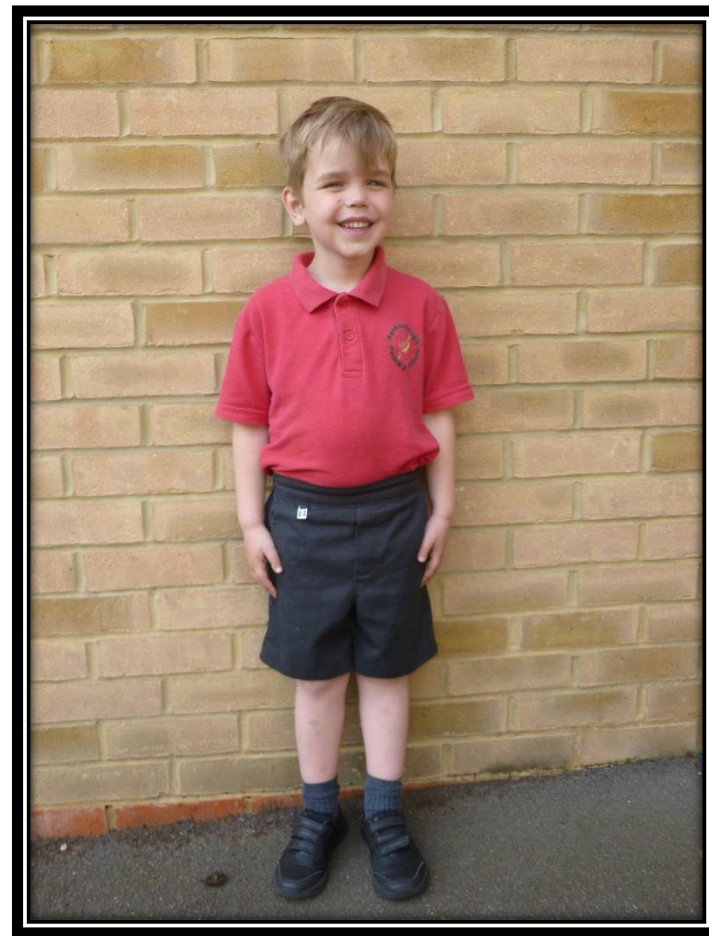
# Uniform Reminder

- Every piece of uniform and all bags need to be clearly labelled with first and last names.
- Please ensure your child has a PE kit.
- No jewellery please and any stud earrings will need to be taped or removed for P.E.
- If you wish to put a key ring on your child's backpack to help them identify it please limit it to just one

# Winter Uniform



# Summer Uniform



# P.E and Forest School Days



# Uniform Supplier Update

## Graduates

### High Street, Orpington

- Shop now open but appointments advised
- Click and Collect and delivery service available
- Pack also available from school containing back pack, water bottle, hats and P.E bag

Please encourage your child to be as independent as possible when getting dressed or undressed



Please make sure they can use the toilet independently



# What is the EYFS?

Early Years Foundation Stage

- E.Y.F.S. is the stage of education for children from birth to the end of the Reception year.
- It is based on the recognition that children learn best through play and active learning.
- All learning takes place in both the inside and outside classrooms.



# Prime Areas

These are considered to be fundamental to children's development

- Personal, Social and Emotional Development
- Physical Development
- Communication and Language



# Specific Areas

- essential skills and knowledge



- Literacy
- Mathematics



- Understanding the World
- Expressive Arts and Design



# Forest School

Forest School will start during the first term and takes place in all weather conditions with the possible exception of extremely high winds.

Children will need red waterproof trousers and jacket and a pair of wellies which will all remain at school.

Please provide a bag that is easy for your child to identify to hold the waterproofs.



# Key Dates

|  |   |
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| Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September                   | Stay and Play session<br>1.30-2.30pm  |
| w/c Monday 6 <sup>th</sup><br>September            | Home visits   |
| w/c 13 <sup>th</sup> September<br>excluding Friday | Morning and afternoon<br>session for four days<br>Session times indicated<br>in packs |
| Monday 20 <sup>th</sup><br>September               | Full time   |

Thank you for  
listening!

Any questions?