



Dhoon Primary School

'Curiosity, Independence, Determination, Creativity, Collaboration'



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Message from the Reception Team

Welcome to Dhoon School. This newsletter will cover some of the information that you will need to know and some helpful hints for the start of Reception.

On behalf of the Reception Team, we are really looking forward to the new school year ahead and getting to know your children.

Drop off and Pick up information

The school day starts at 9.00am and ends at 3:25pm.

In the morning we ask that the children line up at the bottom of the steps when the bell rings and a member of staff will bring them into school. To help support with transition and to allow the children to settle quickly, we encourage the children to come in independently. If there are any changes that we need to be aware of about the collection of your child, please phone the school office and the information will be passed on.

Uniform

Please can **all** uniform and PE kit be labelled with your child's name as jumpers can easily go walkabout.

PE bags will be sent home at the end of each half term so that PE kits can be washed and returned for the start of the next term.

Spare Clothes

Sometimes children can have accidents so we ask that a spare set of clothes is kept in their bag.

Waterbottles

Children should bring a labelled water bottle to school with juice or water.

Dinners & Medication Queries

If you would like your child to have school dinners please contact the office to deal with these enquiries.

During the year your child may need medicine administered during the day. If they do, a form will need to be filled in and signed at the School Office.

Reading

Once your child begins to settle into school life we will send home a book bag with a reading diary and some books. Your child might like to put a keyring on their bag to help them to identify which is theirs.

It would be great if you could share these books with your child. We ask that you sign or leave a comment when they have finished reading the books so that we will know that they need to be changed.

Snack

Children can bring a healthy snack to eat at playtime.

Any queries or questions

If you have any questions for our Reception Team, we are available at the end of the day to help with any queries.

