



Monday 9th September 2024.

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to take this opportunity to say how brilliantly and quickly your children have settled into our Reception class here at Kingstone. They are already beginning to understand the routines and expectations of school life, are building relationships with both adults and children alike, and I have seen them engaged and excited in their learning already in the short time they have been here.

Reception Baseline Assessment

Some of you may be aware that the government have introduced a statutory Reception Baseline Assessment (RBA), which must be carried out within the first six weeks of your child starting school. The baseline includes assessment activities for maths development and communication and language development, and last no longer than twenty minutes. Throughout the next couple of weeks, I will start to work one to one with your children to carry out the baseline in a child-friendly and exciting way.

Please click on the attached link to find out more information regarding the RBA.

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1074327/2022_Information_for_parents_reception_baseline_assessment.pdf

If you have any questions regarding the baseline or would like to discuss it further, please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely,
Paige Nicholas

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