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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are so proud of all the new Reception children and how well they are settling into school life. All of the classes are working hard to understand and follow the rules and routines. The children have been building new relationships with both adults and children and reacquainting themselves with old friends as well as engaging in learning opportunities.

Some of you may be aware that the government have a statutory Reception Baseline Assessment (RBA), which must be carried out in the first 6 weeks of your child starting school. The RBA includes assessment activities for maths development and communication and language development and last no longer than twenty minutes.

As Reception teachers we will be working one to one with your children to carry out the RBA in a child-friendly and exciting way. We will be completing the RBA with the children over the next couple of weeks. Please find attached a leaflet with more information regarding the baseline assessment.

If you have any questions regarding the baseline, or would like any feedback following the assessment, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Kind regards

Miss S Evans
Early Years Lead