

Foundation Stage One

Welcome to Lowe's Wong Infant School. We hope your child will be very happy at school with us.

This letter contains some general information about this half term in Foundation One (F1). You will also receive our Sticky Knowledge document which will give you information about our enquiry theme this half term and some key vocabulary and questions. We hope this will help you to support both your child's education and discussions about school life. We will put more detailed information onto the class pages of our school website [Lowe's Wong Infant School - Home \(lwi.org.uk\)](http://lwi.org.uk) on a weekly basis. If you need any further help or information my email is at the bottom of this letter.

We start the term with our first enquiry theme 'What is Special About Me?' The children will be settling into school and getting to know each other and their teachers and support staff.

What to bring to school?

Please ensure your child brings their book bag, coat, water bottle to school every day.



Muddy Explorers

Each week your child will take part in our outdoor learning sessions called Muddy Explorers. Your child will need to bring a waterproof coat and wellington boots on a **Thursday** so that we can go outside whatever the weather! Please put your child's name in everything - thank you!



Purple Mash

In the front of your child's Learning Journal you can find details of how to log onto our online learning platform Purple Mash.

Your child's log in will take you onto 'Minimash'. On here there is a wide range of learning activities that your child can take part in. We have identified 'pins' which link to our enquiry theme this half term.



Ball Skills

Ball Skills will take place every **Wednesday**. Please send your child to school in their school jumper or cardigan, t-shirt, trousers or shorts and trainers for their Ball Skills lesson. Ball Skills is taught by our sports coach, Natalie.

P.E. will take place every **Friday**.

Your child will need a small, named drawstring bag in school all half term that contains a named t-shirt and shorts.

Reading



Every week your child will bring home a 'Reading for Pleasure' book for you to look at together and share the joy of listening to a story. Each time you look at the book together please record this in your child's Learning Journal book. These "reads" add up to enable your child to receive their Reading Awards.

Thank you for support. If you have any questions, please contact Rainbow Room teacher and Foundation Lead Mrs Macintyre: j.macintyre@lwi.org.uk