

# Diary dates

Friday 27th September  
Macmillan Coffee Morning

Monday 14th October  
Parents' Day

Wednesday 16th October at 2:30pm  
Reception Parents and Children Session

Friday 18th October  
Close for half term



# Greenlands Reception

It has been lovely to see the children quickly and happily settle in to our school. They are enjoying exploring both the indoor and outdoor classroom with their friends. Everyday they discover something new!



What your child does and achieves at home is very important. I would like to know all about it so that I can use the information to meet the needs of the children and to include it in their 'Special Books'.

Each half term your child will bring home a 'My child's a Superstar' sheet for you to record any achievements. You might want to include some photographs.

# Learning is fun!



Our very own Superstar has been helping us learn how to make our classroom a happy place to be. We used our hands to make a huge picture of him for our wall because, 'Nice hands do nice things!'

To develop the children's speaking and listening skills, we have been playing phonics games from Phase 1 of Letters and Sounds. We always have lots of fun!

The children will be drawing a picture of themselves in their school uniforms and will be painting a picture of Max the Monster from the story Spider Sandwiches later in the term. You are always welcome to come and look at the children's lovely work at the end of the day.

The children have really enjoyed listening to stories and singing songs. We have been learning poems too and have loved saying 'Hello! It's me' together!

# Ways you can help!

- If you haven't already, please return your home school agreement.
- Make sure your child has a PE kit including black pumps in school and that earrings are removed on Wednesdays.
- Share together the library book your child has chosen to bring home. Remember to return it to school on **Mondays, Wednesdays** and **Fridays** so they can choose a new one.
- Please help your child to learn to put on and fasten their new school coat.
- Please let me know in the morning or telephone school if someone different is collecting your child at the end of the day.

