

**Dates for the diary** 

Friday 19th - 21st Sep - Special Church weekend @ St Christopher's

(see flyer for details)

Thursday 2nd Oct 10:00am -

Autumn Praise – all welcome

Sunday 12th Oct 10:30am – Harvest

Service at St Christopher's Church -

all welcome

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Oct – LEP

photographing Reception. These will

be in the LEP Reception supplement

and their website. Please contact

school if you don't want your child to

be included.

Friday 24th Oct – Break up for half

term at 3:15pm

Tuesday 4th Nov – Reopen at

8:45am

**Come to school** – it's really cool!

**Be on time** – it helps you shine!

### Our Christian Value this week is Friendship



## **Class 1 Newsletter**

# Friday 19.09.25

### Reception

quickly settling into their new routines and getting to know the layout of the school and classroom. We are loving getting to know learning about the story of the Three Little Pigs and have enjoyed building strong brick houses. We have started learning Phonics already. Have a look in our Phonics Book to see what we know.

### Year 1

We have had a lovely start to the Half Term with everyone in Year 1 ready and enthusiastic to continue their learning. The children loved reading 'The Runaway Pea' and writing simple sentences about the story. This week we have moved onto using our sound mats to spell words. You should have a copy of the sound mat attached to the Year 1 Meet the Teacher notes. Feel free to use the mat if your child would like to write at home too. In Maths we have been looking at 1 more and 1 less. Some of the children have already "wowed' me with their counting in 10s and I have set the class the challenge this week of learning this at home. Homework should have come home on Thursday to be returned on a Monday. You only need to complete

What a fantastic start to Reception we have had! The children are our Year 6 Buddies; they are looking after us so well and teaching us new games to play in the playground. In RE we are thinking how God has made us all UNIQUE and special. We have painted a self-portrait to show how we are different both on the outside and within. We are

one of the tasks each week if possible.

# Diamond 9

Our Diamond 9 word this week in class has been 'Unique'.



In Reading Records, we will be including a summary of some of the sounds and words we have focused on each week. These are helpful to recap with your child but we will not be testing them on these words in school.

### **Family Photos**

We'd love a picture of your family to decorate our Home Corner. Please email one to: i.moores@leacofe.lancs.sch.uk Thank you

### **Earrings & Jewellery**

To clarify, our school website states that no earrings or jewellery are to be worn on PE days for health and safety reasons. Please remove these before school. Thank you.

# Phonics/Early Reading guide for parents & carers

https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/phonics/



| Reception Certificate Winners  | Year 1 Certificate Winners   |
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| Curriculum Awards  | Curriculum Awards  |
| <b>All Reception –</b> for a FANTASTIC start at Lea Endowed!               | Jaxon - for wowing us with your Tricky Word knowledge.  Poppy-Rai – for a beautiful pastel drawing of  |
| <b>Faith</b> – for a carefully observed and painted self-portrait.         | strawberries.  Rogan – for excellent work on '1 more' in class.  |
| Christian Value/Diamond 9 Certificate                                      | Christian Value/Diamond 9 Certificate  |
| Jacob – for being a wonderful friend.                                      | Nora – for helping others to tidy.  Lewis – for bringing PEACE to our classroom  Alicia – for being a lovely friend.   |
| Star Writer  | Star Writer  |
| <b>Ezra</b> – for practising his letters beautifully in his choosing time. | <b>Tina</b> – for fantastic sentences which included the joining word 'and'. <b>Allan</b> – for using your knowledge of phonics to sound out unfamiliar words. |

Well done on letting your lights shine so brightly!

