



Ernesettle Community School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Pre-school! We hope you have had a wonderful summer. This term our topic will be 'It's good to be me!' and each week the children will be taking part in different activities to support their learning of this topic.

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Portraits	What makes me, Me.	Daily Routines	Something special to me!	Let's use our super senses!	Finger Prints	Building homes

During our topic, the children will have a chance to learn about what makes them special. We will explore together with our friends the similarities and differences that we all have. We will be finding out about each other's families and how everyone's families are different. We are really looking forward to learning with all the children!

We will have a WOW moment to introduce our exciting new topic. We will also have a visit from a health visitor who will tell us all about how we grow and what we need to do to look after ourselves. Then we will finish the topic with a celebration of our 'It's good to be me!' learning. This will give us the opportunity to celebrate, what makes us special!



The children will have daily Phonics and Maths session. In Phonics, the children will focus on tuning into the sounds that they hear around them. We will also make our own sounds using musical instruments and our bodies. In Maths the children will focus on exploring numbers and shapes.

Each week, the children will be given a 'Learning Together at Home activity' which will be sent home on a Friday and is due in on the following Friday. Although this activity is optional, we encourage you to support your child with their 'Home Learning' as this will help to support their learning in the classroom and contribute to their Learning Journey. In addition, story books will be changed twice a week. Prizes are awarded for children who share their books with their family and friends on a regular basis. Please remember you can now send your Home WOW moments to the Nursery and Reception email address: earlyyears@ecs.plymouth.sch.uk or you can write WOW moments onto the sheet attached.

Meet the Teacher Meetings will take place on Monday 10th September after school. This will give you the opportunity to meet your child's class teacher and ask any questions about Pre-school. We look forward to meeting you then.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours Sincerely,

Miss Hill and Miss Auguste

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