Reception

Faith Primary Academy

Loving and Learning in the Light of the Lord

Information sheet for parents or carers of children in EYFS

Term	Autumn 2
Class teacher	Miss Huyton
Teaching Assistants	Miss Collins, Miss Amy and Miss Rimmer

For Reception children, school begins at 8.55am (staff will be on the playground, to collect children at 8.50am) and ends 3:20pm.

Excellent attendance and punctuality is essential for your child to make the most of school. Thank you.

Please remember to inform the office of any change of address, home or mobile number, or any emergency contact information.

Things I will need…					
	Monday	**Tuesday**	**Wednesday**	**Thursday**	**Friday**
Homework returned				✓	
Reading books				✓	
PE kit (no uniform needed this day)					✓

PE will take place on a **Friday** Please bring your child to school in their PE kit.

Homework will be set each Friday on Seesaw and should be **completed by the following Thursday.**
Reading books will be sent home each Friday and should be **returned by the following Thursday.**

This term we are going to be covering the following topic:	
Maths	This term in maths, children will learn about 2d shapes including circles, triangles, squares and rectangles. They will learn about their simple properties and look for them in the environment. Children will be focusing on numbers 1-5, including subitising, comparing and more/less.
English	Star in a Jar Children will listen to the story Star in a Jar, they will learn new vocabulary from the story and work to retell the story in their own words. Children will be working to write a 'Lost Star Poster'. Children will continue to work towards writing initial sounds to match the beginning of words and attempt to write short cvc words to complete sentences.
Phonics	Children will continue learning sounds outlined by Read, Write, Inc. Children will practice their oral blending and begin to blend sounds into words. Children will build simple CVC words and continue to practice their letter formation.
Understanding the World	Celebrations During this half term, children will be learning about the different celebrations. This

	includes birthdays, weddings, Bonfire Night, Christmas and Hannukah. Children will learn about the different places of worships including Churches and Mosques. Children will be exploring the outdoor environment to learn about the world around them.
RE	Prophecy and Promise: Children will focus on the Nativity story – learning about the birth of Jesus and what happens during the season of Advent. Children will also learn about the Jewish holiday Hannukah
Collective Worship	Inclusivity: Children will learn how to be more inclusive of one another and understand that we should care for each other, no matter our differences.
Art	Cooking and Nutrition: Making Soup During this half term, children will be exploring different fruits and vegetables, understanding what makes a healthy diet. They will design their own soup and as a class we will create our own soup recipe. Children will learn how to cut vegetables safely and will assist in making a healthy vegetable soup.
PSHE	Celebrating Differences This half term, the children will be learning how each of us are unique and identifying what is special about us. Children will learn that we all come from different types of families and homes and speak about what makes our home important to us. The children will share their ideas and thoughts through circle times.