



**Baynton West**  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We have had a fabulous start to the year. The children have settled into Pre-primary like superstars and it is great to see them all so excited about learning.

### **Connect**

Every child has been given a log in on the back of their reading log for Connect. This year we will be using Connect to share our learning journey and everything that is happening in our classroom. You can download Connect onto your phone and be kept up to date with our learning and experiences throughout the year. I will also at times share any important information about events at school and activities that can be done at home to support what we are learning in class.

### **Mathletics**

We have been very lucky this year with the P&C supporting the school to purchase Mathletics. I will be setting weekly tasks for the children to complete at home as a part of their Mathematic homework. Mathletics is a great program which has interactive and engaging mathematic activities for the children to complete.

Please be aware that if students do not have access to a computer or internet at home we will make other arrangements for them to be able to complete their mathematics homework. If this is the case in your family please let your classroom teacher know by contacting the front office.

### **Reading Owls**

We are beginning our Reading Owl Trackers this is a way for us to track how many nights the children are reading their homework books. It is essential that their reading logs are being completed for us to move their names on the owls. The children will be receiving different rewards for the number of nights they have been reading.

### **Morning Routine**

In Pre-primary we are promoting independence for the children and it is really important that they are taking responsibility for unpacking their bags and bringing the school equipment to school. They are then to come inside and complete a table top activity based on English or Mathematics for the morning. I will be doing Mastery Folders and reading in the morning with children. If you need to tell me information in the morning please ensure it is being placed in the Teacher Mailbox out the front.

### **Parent Meetings**

If you would like to make an appointment with me please write down some available times on a piece of paper and place it in the Teacher Mailbox. I will endeavour to book the meeting with you at my earliest convenience.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask.

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