

# Reception Peek @ the Week

## This week...

The children have settled into the Reception routines and are finding their way around the setting. The two classes are mixing happily and lots of them are already making new friends. Lunchtimes have been very successful and the dinner staff have been full of praise for how well behaved and polite the Reception children are.

## **Arriving at school...**

Next week, we will be asking all parents to say goodbye at the door so that the children come into school by themselves. We will make sure there are staff in the cloakroom to help with hanging things on pegs. We would really appreciate your support with this as it helps the children to settle more quickly into the school day and encourages them to be independent and try to do things for themselves.

## **Home Learning...**

The children have drawn some amazing self-portraits this week and we noticed that many of them really wanted to draw and talk about their families too, so we would like each child to bring in a photo or drawing of their family which they can share with us during group time. You are welcome to email photos to your child's class teacher if you are unable to print them: [ltrask@northamfederation.devon.sch.uk](mailto:ltrask@northamfederation.devon.sch.uk) OR [csmyth@northamfederation.devon.sch.uk](mailto:csmyth@northamfederation.devon.sch.uk)

## **Milk...**

Our school is part of the Cool Milk scheme, so if you would like your child to have milk at snack time you can register their details with Cool Milk.

Children under the age of 5 will get their milk for free but if your child is already 5 you will need to pay for the milk.

For more information and to register visit [www.coolmilk.com](http://www.coolmilk.com)

We hope you have a lovely weekend,  
The Reception Team

## **Snack time...**

We are keen to encourage the children to have healthy habits so we ask that children bring fruit or veg as a snack and only water in their bottles.