



# Hemington Primary School

"To enable, encourage and equip all children to achieve their best through an inspiring and nurturing environment."

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Dear parents and carers,

It has been a somewhat eventful return to school due to the very cold weather last week! It can take a while to re-establish routines after holidays (especially Christmas!) but please do make sure that your child brings the following items to school everyday:

A warm coat

Water bottle

Reading folder

A reminder also that lessons start at 8:45am for children in Reception - Year 6. We understand that there will sometimes be issues as last week's weather proved, but please aim to ensure your child arrives at school for 8:45am.

Full school uniform should be worn Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. On PE days, children should wear their PE kit to school.

Children are not allowed to wear jewelry (except simple ear studs which must be removed or taped over for PE). Make up is not permitted (including nail varnish). Long hair should be tied back.

We deliberately minimise the amount of homework we send home but we need your support to practise certain key skills. Although staff listen to children read and teach them math facts and their times tables, we can not give them sufficient practice in school. Please aim for your child to read and use doodle maths at least 3-4 times for 5-10 minutes at a time. 'Little and often' is much more effective than the occasional 'splurge'.

Many thanks for your support

Best wishes

Mr Randell



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