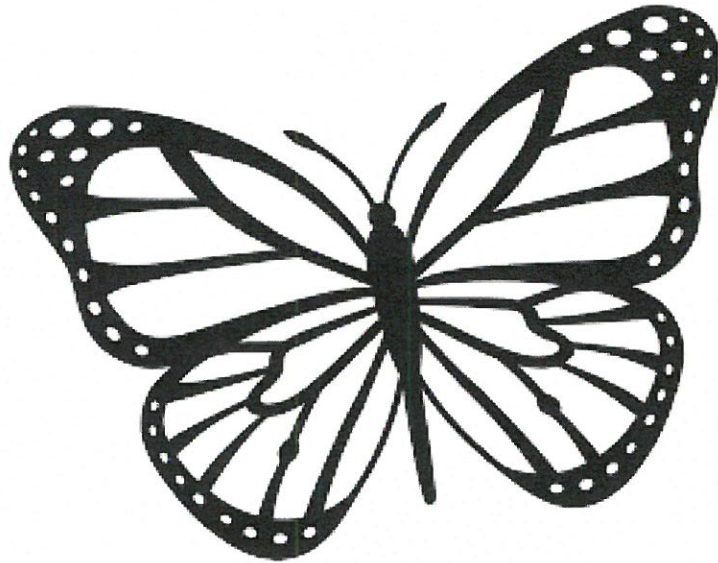


# Buxton Primary School



Butterfly Class

Autumn Term 2018



Class Teacher: Miss Birks

Classroom Assistants: Mrs Swann, Miss Nelson, Mrs Stannet

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the new school year. We hope you've had a relaxing and enjoyable summer. We are very excited about working together and teaching your wonderful children. The children have made a great start to the new school year and the transition from reception to year one is going well!

All children must bring their book bag into school every day as we often have information that needs to go home. Please ensure that they always have their reading book and record book in it.

Please continue to read little and often with your child and remember to write it in their record book. Most books will be changed weekly, however if you want to change their book any other time please do. Your children will read to their teacher within weekly guided reading sessions.

Please make sure your child always has their PE kit in school and that all items are labelled. PE days are **Tuesday** and **Friday**. Please could you also ensure your child has their hair tied back and earrings/jewellery removed. It would be helpful for girls to not be wearing tights on PE days, especially if they find it difficult to change in and out of them.

#### Mid-morning snack money

If you would like your child to have a savoury snack at morning break time please send a £1.00 in on a **MONDAY**, ideally in a named envelope. We have had a lot of issues with children

bringing in the odd 20p as they can easily lose it and then get upset. Fruit is available for all children.

#### Homework

Homework will be set on a Friday and needs to be returned the following **Wednesday**. The homework will link to learning covered during the week in class. If you have any problems completing the homework in the set time please let us know.

And finally, if you're concerned about anything at all please do come and talk to one of us.

Enjoy the term!

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#### Class Focus Autumn Term

- Transitioning from Early Years to KS1.

The transition from Reception to year 1 is a huge change for children who are used to a lot of independent learning. We will ensure that the transition is gradual and led by the children's individual needs. All children will still have access to the early year's environment this term as play is a fundamental part of their learning and development.