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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are delighted to tell you that this year we are an 'Early Adopter School' for the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) Reforms, which will become statutory for all schools from September 2021.

After extensive research and consultation, there have been some changes made to the Early Learning Goals (ELG's) that your child is working towards. We will assess your child against these new ELG's at the end of this academic year. These new ELG's will become mandatory for all schools next academic year.

We will continue to provide an individualised learning programme for your child which is linked to our exciting termly topics. Alongside these we will continue to allow them to follow their own interests so that they are able to make progress in all areas of the curriculum.

The new ELG's are as follows:

<b>Communication and Language</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Listening, Attention and Understanding</li><li>- Speaking</li></ul>	<b>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Self-Regulation</li><li>- Managing Self</li><li>- Building Relationships</li></ul>
<b>Physical Development</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Gross Motor Skills</li><li>- Fine Motor Skills</li></ul>	<b>Literacy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Comprehension</li><li>- Word Reading</li><li>- Writing</li></ul>
<b>Mathematics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Number</li><li>- Numerical Patterns</li></ul>	<b>Understanding the World</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Past and Present</li><li>- People, Culture and Communities</li><li>- The Natural World</li></ul>
<b>Expressive Arts and Design</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Creating with Materials</li><li>- Being Imaginative and Expressive</li></ul>	

If you would like more information, please go to:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-adopter-schools-eyfs-framework>

We will keep you informed about your child's learning throughout the year and please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any further questions.

Thank you for your continued support.

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