



CATALYST

Aveley Primary

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Reception Baseline

Dear parents/carers,

We hope you have had a good first week and your child has enjoyed the start to school too. They have been an absolute delight to meet. You should be so proud of the confidence you have given them to enable them to make such a positive start at Catalyst Aveley Primary.

We have attached information for parents/carers about the Reception Baseline Assessment. You will find information about what the assessment includes, how it will be carried out and how the information is used. Some parents may be concerned by the term 'assessment'. It is the teachers' role to be assessing and they will do that through observing your child and asking them to do some activities. These will be presented in a similar way to how they usually work with their teacher so please be reassured that your child will be unlikely to be aware that this is taking place.

Please read the attached information carefully. If you have any further questions, please speak to your child's teacher.

We look forward to meeting you later today, after school, at the 'meet the teacher' session in the hall, where we will share further information and will be able to answer any questions. Please be reminded that the children will meet you in the hall.

We use tapestry to record learning the children complete at school. Parents will have some items shared too. New staff are being trained to use tapestry while all the new logins are created. We will share parent logins as soon as we can.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S. Viner
Headteacher

