

#### **RED HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are pleased to tell you that this year Red Hall are an 'Early Adopter School' for the government changes to the Early Years Early Learning Goals, which become statutory September 2021.

In short this means that we will be using the new guidance to support learning over the Reception year and then the new early learning goals to assess your children at the end of the Reception year.

Nothing will change for your child. We will continue to off them the highest quality learning experiences and to develop their abilities as individuals. Our philosophy of Early Years education remains the same with play and wellbeing at the heart of everything we do.

The new Early Learning Goals are broken down as follows:

## **Communication and Language**

- Listening, Attention and Understanding
- Speaking

# Personal, Social and Emotional **Development**

- Self-Regulation
- Managing Self
- Building Relationships

#### **Physical Development**

- Gross Motor Skills
- Fine Motor Skills

## Literacy

- Comprehension
- Word Reading
- Writing

## **Mathematics**

- Number
- Numerical Patterns

## **Understanding the World**

- Past and Present
- People, Culture and Communities
- The Natural World

### **Expressive Arts and Design**

- Creating with Materials
- Being Imaginative and Expressive

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 what your child is learning throughout the year and provide you with some information about how you can support them at home.

Thank you for your support,

H.R. Tan

Mrs H Tomlinson Headteacher