

# UNICORN CLASS

Term 1 and term 2 NEWSLETTER



## Welcome!

A big welcome to all new parents and children in Unicorn Class. The children have been settling into school life, having fun and making lots of new friends. This half term our topic is 'all about me' and we will aim to link our learning to this. I will send out more information about what we are learning this term in a couple of weeks, once the children are settled into their new school and class.

If you have any queries, please email my school address at: [alice.padden@frenchayprimary.org.uk](mailto:alice.padden@frenchayprimary.org.uk).

We can then arrange a meeting or phone call to discuss. I will aim to reply as soon as possible but please be aware I will not be able to access my emails during the school day. For any urgent messages, please phone the school office.

Thank you

Miss Padden

## Notices

**Water bottles** Please ensure your child brings a labelled water bottle to school each day.

**Snacks** Please remember children will have a fresh piece of fruit provided by school.

**Hair** needs to be tied up every day for health and safety reasons.

**Named clothing** Please could you make sure your child's clothing is clearly labelled with their full name.

**Wellies and waterproofs** Children are encouraged to wear wellies whilst in our outdoor area to keep their school shoes shiny and clean. Please could you provide a named pair of wellies and waterproofs for your child to leave at school. The waterproofs can stay on their peg in a named bag.

**PE** Children need to come into school in their PE kits on **Fridays**. Please wear appropriate kit depending on the weather and ensure it is all **named**. PE will start on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October.

**Seesaw** is an app we use in school to communicate and share pictures between home and school. To use Seesaw:

1. Download the app '**Seesaw Family**'. Don't have a smartphone? Sign up on a computer at [app.seesaw.me](http://app.seesaw.me).
2. **Tap 'Create Family Account' and scan the QR code** on the handout that your child will come home with next week. Make sure it says your child's name at the top.
3. **Create your account to see your child's journal!** Make sure to allow notifications to get real-time updates about new posts.

*How can you use Seesaw?*

1. **Check Seesaw regularly**—you'll be notified about new journal entries and class announcements.
2. **Celebrate your child's successes** and encourage the skills that we are building at school together at home.
3. **Keep me updated** on how your child is doing and let me know how I can help.