



Hilgay Riverside Academy Newsletter

## **From the Head Teacher**

Dear All,

I would like to welcome all of our children back to school especially those who are joining us for the first time. Everyone has made a positive start to the new year and it has been a pleasure to visit the classes and see the children enjoying their learning.

Thank you to Tawny Owl parents for taking the time to come into school and meet Mrs Molnar.

I have enjoyed getting to know the children at Hilgay a little better and I am beginning to get to know the parents too. Please come and introduce yourself when I am on the playground if we haven't met yet!

Soon, we will issue a list of important dates for you to put in your diary. We are reviewing parental involvement in Friday assemblies, while the building work is taking place. I will be in touch again next week.

Regards,

#### Sarah Turner

Head Teacher



#### **E-SAFETY REMINDER**

If your child is a Snap Chat user, please check the settings as the snap map feature shows other users where your child is! There are other settings to keep your child safe.

(Please note that the minimum age for using this app is 13 years old)



### THANK YOU!

It is lovely to see everyone looking very smart in their school uniform!

#### September 2017



Panda Family having fun in the park. Well done.

## Golden Time

Each week, your child will be in competition with the class teacher and other adults in the class. If all of the children, do the right thing, the first time and quickly, then the class gets a point. If they are too slow the adults get a point! If the children have the most points by Friday then the class will be rewarded with Golden Time!

## Emoji Chart



Every day, every child starts the day on the smiley face. If a child disappoints the adult with inappropriate or unacceptable behavior which doesn't follow the school rules then they will be moved to the straight face. Further disappointing behavior will result in a move to the crying face and you will be informed at the end of the day. If this is repeated, the head teacher will be informed. If it is repeated again, then you will be invited in to meet with the head teacher to discuss how we move forward. However, all children can earn the right to move back up during the day. Rarely, we see behavior that will go straight to the head teacher and you will be informed.

## Family Points (pom-poms)

Your child is in a school family and they can earn points for that family by showing a good attitude, good manners, helping others, being extra polite, taking care of property or doing other nice things! These points are totaled on a Friday and the winning family receives an award. This half term the winning family will win a playtime at the park!

# Dates for your diary:

These will be sent in a separate letter very soon!