



Mount Hawke Academy

Head of School: Miss C Biddick

22nd June 2020

Dear Parents

Welcome to all of our Reception starters for 2020.

We are delighted to welcome you to Mount Hawke Academy.

Over the next few weeks, we will be sending out information about our school to help you and your child have a smooth transition. This information will also be shared on the school website, under the 'Parents' tab, where you will find a section for 'starting school'.

Under our Starting School tab, there will be three main sections:

1. **Welcome Booklet** – In this section, you will find our Welcome Booklet. This will provide a comprehensive overview of 'life in Reception' at Mount Hawke Academy. This will also be sent to you via email. Over the next few weeks, we will also upload information for Tapestry and All About Me.
2. **Staff Welcome** – This section will include videos from the class teachers, introducing themselves to your child and providing information on life at school. We will also have a transition activity available that you may like to do with your child and a welcome video.
3. **Stories** – The Mousehole teachers will upload videos of them telling and sharing their favourite stories. This will be a good way for your child to get to know their teachers and enjoy listening to some of their favourite stories.

Dates to look for:

Monday 22nd June – The Welcome Book will be emailed to you and will also be available on the school website, in the Welcome Book section.

Monday 29th June – You will receive by email further information about Tapestry – our online learning platform for Reception. This will also be available on our website, in the Welcome Booklet section.

The Mousehole teachers will upload a welcome video to the school website, in our staff welcome section.

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Monday 6th July – You will receive an email with the opportunity to complete an All About Me form, to help us get to know your child before they start school. This will also be on our website in the Welcome Booklet section.

The Mousehole teachers will upload a video of them reading their favourite story for you to enjoy, this will be in the story section on the website.

Monday 13th July – The Mousehole teachers will upload a special transition story video to the school website, in the story section.

Monday 20th July – The Mousehole teachers will upload a special transition activity video, to the staff welcome section of the website.

We very much look forward to welcoming you and we will keep you up to date with start dates and transition arrangements as soon as we receive guidance.

Kind regards

Mount Hawke Academy Foundation Stage Team

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