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Our School Values: Love, Courage, Friendship & Respect

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome everyone to Oak class. I hope you all had a lovely summer and it has been great to see you all again. Everyone has settled in well over the last few days and it has been nice to see everyone's great big smiles.

This term Oak Class will be thinking about the concept of **creativity** and **happiness**. This is our create term and we are exploring it through the theme of storytelling. Our key question is '**How can storytelling build happiness in our community?**' The children are already very excited to explore the idea of storytelling in a community and they are incredibly excited to put on a pantomime for you all near the end of November. Please see the knowledge organiser for more detail on what your child will be learning. You will also find a timetable attached to show what the children will be doing each day. There will be lots of opportunities for practical learning, visits and experiences. We are hoping to go on a few trips around the community to further embed our learning into our topic.

Throughout the term the children will be asked to complete tasks to help in embedding their learning, and give opportunities to acquire further knowledge and access a fuller curriculum. This comes in the form of our **homework menu** attached to this letter. Any pieces of homework completed will be celebrated within class and will have a pride of place within the classroom. I am very excited to see what creative and imaginative ideas you get up to. Please **read** as much as you can with your child at home and please do let us know what you are reading. I would love to celebrate this with your child.





This year, PE will include **forest school** visits every other Friday. **P.E** in school will be on a Monday so please send your child dressed in their PE kit on these days. Children will need trainers, navy blue shorts, navy tracksuit bottoms, a white t-shirt and a navy tracksuit top. No football kits, please.

Lastly, I would like to say I am always happy to discuss anything involving your child. I am happy to speak to parents or carers at the end of the day or first thing in the morning when I am on the playground. Alternatively, I am happy for you to email me anytime and I will respond as soon as I can. My new email address will be shared with you next week and until then I can be contacted on the office@northrepps.norfolk.sch.uk email address.

Many thanks once again and I look forward to getting to know you all over the year.

Yours sincerely,

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Mr Tom Allen



