



First day at school

Today we welcomed our 5 new Reception children to Class 1 for the first time. Miss Foote said she was delighted with the other children in Class 1, as they looked after and helped our new arrivals settle in. Today and tomorrow, they will be attending half days, then start full time from this Wednesday onwards.



Reducing costs of sports clubs

I have decided to use some of our PE & Sport Premium, received from the Government, towards the costs of clubs run by different sports coaches. To start off, Premier Education will be offering football on a Tuesday and dodgeball on a Thursday after school for only £1 per child per session, for children in Class 2 and 3. I am currently in discussions with other providers, so as the year progresses, we hope to offer a wider range of opportunities at the reduced rate of £1 per session.



Special visitor

This Wednesday, all children will experience what I hope will be an inspirational outdoors assembly from Mike Mullen, a former world champion on the BMX halfpipe. Mike will then take Class 3 for a session (further details have been emailed to their parents) at no cost to families, as we are using the PE & Sport Premium to pay for this. More on this in next week's newsletter.