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Dear Reception Parents,

Thank you so much for helping your children to settle into their new school. We are so proud of them and they are now all firmly part of the Rivington Family.



You all appear to be 'getting to grips' with Rivington routines and have worked your way seamlessly around the current building chaos – thank you.

I want you to know that our door is always open and if you have any concerns or queries don't hesitate to contact one of the EYFS team or myself.

As the children start the third week at school we respectfully ask that Parents/Carers hand over children at the EYFS door and not enter the classroom. We know that starting school is a challenging time for both children and Parents so for the first two weeks we welcome Parents entering the room in order to ease and support this huge transition.

After this time, we like the children to develop the independence and confidence to be taken into the classroom by staff and self-register. **This arrangement is vital for safeguarding reasons.**

We understand that sometimes a Parent/Carer coming into the classroom can really help a child who is distressed and upset but if we can work towards this goal then it will ultimately be of a huge benefit to our children and their safety.

Advanced thanks for your support on this matter. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you to all parents, carers and families for your continued support.

Mrs. Annette