

Friday 4th September 2026

Dear parents/carers,

We are delighted that your child has joined Murrayfield. We have had a wonderful couple of days settling the children into their new routines and familiarising them with their classroom environments. It has been so pleasing to see how they have embraced this new challenge with such determination and enthusiasm.

We look forward to watching them grow in confidence, make new friendships and enjoy all the exciting learning opportunities that Reception has to offer.

Thank you for your continued support as we help your child settle into this exciting new chapter.

Your child is in RA, and their class teacher is Kirsty Haddock. **Your child will have PE on a Tuesday and swimming on a Thursday**, so please ensure that both their named kits are brought into school on these days.

A polite reminder, and thank you to those who have already completed this, that **all items brought into school must be clearly named** to ensure that your child's belongings can be easily identified. This includes water bottles, packed lunches, uniform and bags.

If you wish to speak with your child's teacher regarding a brief message or query, they will be available during morning drop-off and afternoon collection. For longer conversations, please contact the school office, who will be happy to support you in arranging an in-person or telephone consultation.

Additionally, to receive further communication from the school, **please ensure that you sign up for the MyChildAtSchool (MCAS) portal or mobile app** by entering the school's postcode. Please note that you must use the email address you have provided to the school when registering.

We look forward to supporting your child throughout their learning journey in Reception and during their time at Murrayfield. We are excited to see all that they will achieve and look forward to working closely with you over the coming year.

Yours faithfully,

Kirsty Haddock

Early Years Lead

A handwritten signature in grey ink that reads "KHaddock". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly informal style.