

Thames View Infants



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Reception Baseline Assessment (RBA)

This half term all Reception children will be participating in the Reception Baseline Assessment (RBA).

The RBA is a short assessment carried out when children start Reception. It provides a starting point for measuring children's progress throughout their time at primary school.

For more information about the RBA, please click on the links below:

[STA Leaflet - Reception Baseline Assessment - Information For Parents](#)
[DfE Guidance for Parents - Reception Baseline Assessment](#)

At Thames View Infants, we will also be carrying out our own baseline assessments, as we do every year when children begin Reception. These assessments cover all areas of a child's development and are broader than the RBA.

Together, these assessments will help us build a well-rounded picture of your child's development and how they have settled into school.

Parent-teacher meetings will take place in a few weeks, and this will be an opportunity to discuss how your child has settled into Reception and ask any questions you may have.

In the meantime, if you have any questions or would like to speak to us, please talk to your child's teacher at the beginning or end of the school day.

Yours sincerely,

Adam Dobson, **Head of EYFS, Reception Leader**

