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Dear Parents,

Welcome one and all! We hope you had an enjoyable summer and are excited about joining Elm Class!

Firstly we would like to let you know that Mrs B is currently recovering from surgery on her wrist. All being well she will be back in 2-4 weeks. Miss Parris will be working with us during this time. We wish Mrs B all the best for a speedy recovery!

Here are a few points to note:

- The children will be having playtime as part of ongoing outdoor provision within the Early Years garden. We can then introduce them to the bigger playground when they are familiar with the school. They will see their older siblings at lunchtime.
- Please make sure your child has appropriate clothing for the weather (a rain coat on wet days, a warm coat on cold days). Please bring wellies so children can be outside in the rain and mud.
- Please make sure their **book bag** is at school every day, so we are able to change children's books and read with them. We aim for each child to read once a week and change their book on another day. They also all need a **water bottle**, in school every day. It is essential that all items coming into school are clearly named.
- Please ask a member of staff to show you the 'Child Collection Procedure' form, if someone different to normal is collecting your child. The forms are on a clipboard in class. You just need to sign to give your permission, so we are confident to hand your child over to someone else.
- Our topic is '**All About Me!**' which enables us to get to know the children; they will be painting and drawing themselves and their families and writing their names.

Thank you for your co-operation and support.

Miss Kirsty Scragg



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