



<p><u>Message from Class Teacher</u></p> <p>We are very happy to welcome your child to their first term at Badsworth School. Our prime objective is to get to know your child and settle them into the school routine as quickly and smoothly as possible. Please talk to us about any concerns you may have.</p>	 <p>BADSWORTH CofE School</p>	<p><u>Attendance</u></p> <p>Our aim for 'good' attendance is 96% so we will hopefully meet this each half term. On each newsletter, I'll update you about whether we have met this target or not.</p>
<p><u>Communication and Language</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about who is in our family • Talk about special times • Describe their features, hair, eyes... • Sing songs and rhymes 	<p>Foundation Stage Autumn 1</p>	<p><u>Physical Development</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make faces with large chalk and small parts • Trace over patterns • Use playdough to make faces • In PE, find and share space to move safely
<p><u>Personal, Social & Emotional Development</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who lives in our house? • Who is your friend? • How do you feel? • Talk about likes and dislikes 		<p><u>Literacy</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn to recognise and say the Floppy phonics sounds from level 1: <i>s,a,t,p,i,n,m,d,g,o,c,k</i> • Practice writing the letter sounds • Read wordless books to build comprehension skills • Read and re-read key texts and stories
<p><u>Understanding the World</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What makes us different? • Explore the 5 senses • Why the word God is important to Christians? 	<p>Ourselfes</p>	<p><u>Mathematics</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Getting to know you (2 weeks) • Match, sort and compare • Talk about measure and patterns
<p><u>Expressive Arts & Design</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draw and paint pictures of ourselves • Draw and paint pictures of our families • Autumn-inspired art work • Learn to sing nursery rhymes/action songs 	<p>Our value for life this half term is</p>	<p><u>Key Dates</u></p> <p>More dates may follow so please read newsletters.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2nd Oct - School Photos • 3rd Oct - Harvest Festival in church, 2pm • 11th Oct - Bible Stories Enrichment Day • 22nd Oct - FS Forest School • 23rd & 24th Oct - Parent's Evenings • 25th Oct - School closes for half term
<p><u>Key Vocabulary This Half Term</u></p> <p><u>Parts of the body</u> hair, eyes, arm, body, leg, nose, lips, fingers, elbow, knee</p> <p><u>Ourselves</u> family, brother, sister, Grandma, Grandad</p>	<p>Belonging</p>	