



Horndon-on-the-Hill C. of E. Primary School

Hillcrest Road, Horndon-on-the-Hill, Essex. SS17 8LR

Tel. 01375 673260 Fax. 01375 643509

E-mail: admin@horndon-on-the-hill.thurrock.sch.uk

Website: www.horndononthehill.org.uk

Twitter : @HOTHSchool

Interim Headteacher: Mrs D Bradley

Chair of Governors: Mrs H Gentry

30/4/2019

Dear Parents,

As you are probably aware we use 'Buddy' system to help settle the new children coming into our Reception class in September.

We provide them with a Year 6 Buddy who will meet them at the main gate for at least their first week of school. They will then walk their Reception child around to their classroom and help them find their coat peg and tray. Members of staff will also be on hand at this point.

The children will be introduced to their Buddy during the Reception children's transition visits in July. We would like to take a photograph of the new Reception child and their Buddy and would like to provide the Reception child with a copy of the photograph to take home over the holidays so they can remember what their Buddy looks like when they come back to school in September.

Please complete the form below confirming that you are happy for your child to become a Buddy and that you are willing for them to be in a photograph with their Reception child. Please return the form to school by Friday 17th of May so Buddies can be allocated.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs. G. Bray
Early Years Lead

Buddy System September 2019

Name of Child _____

I confirm that I am happy for the child named above to take part in the Buddy system. I agree to them being in a photograph with their Reception child.

Signed _____



Respect, Responsibility, Honesty, Courage, Thoughtfulness

Through our Christian ethos, we take care of each other and always try our best, with everyone learning together.

