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Reception Baseline Assessments

Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of an initiative funded by the Department for Education, our school is being offered access to a programme called Nuffield Early Language Intervention (NELI). The programme is designed for Reception pupils and involves providing targeted small group and one-to-one support for children who would benefit from additional support with their language and early literacy skills.

This begins with the assessment of all pupils using a tablet-based assessment called LanguageScreen to help us understand who may benefit most from receiving the NELI intervention. It is a short, fun activity for children which gives useful information about language skills. The assessment is used again at the end of the school year.

To implement the assessment the school needs to upload information about our Reception pupils to LanguageScreen. LanguageScreen's data privacy statement, detailing how data is collected and used, can be accessed [here](#).

If you have any concerns, or do not wish your child to be assessed using LanguageScreen, please let us know. If we do not hear from you by Friday 22nd September we will go ahead with their assessment.

All Reception children will be assessed using the DfE Baseline as this is a statutory assessment. Information about this is attached.

They will also be assessed using Speechlink & WELLCOMM so we can implement any language or speech support for them if needed.

We will get in touch if they are part of our intervention.

Thank you for your support

Mrs Gorman
Assistant Headteacher & SENCO