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Dear Parents / Carers,

Showbie is an online learning platform which we have been using during our school closure to set activities for the children. From July 20th 2020 Showbie will end for our current Nursery children who are moving into Reception in September.

As part of our transition process, we will be setting up new Reception Showbie classes from July 20th to allow children to access several transition- 'getting to know you' activities. This will be a great opportunity for your child to get to know their new teacher.

'Showbie' is available as both an app (Showbie) and website (https://my.showbie.com), which should hopefully mean that *most* children, if not all, will have access to it.

The first step is to 'sign up'. You will need to put in your child's (real!) first and last names and create a username and password for them. An email address is not needed.

After that, you will need to join your class:

- Mrs Payne/Mrs Bowyer- the class code is K6JFR
- Miss Rose class the class code is AZVJ2

Your child will now be ready to use Showbie!

As staff, we may set 'Assignments', where we might introduce, explain and/or set work or challenges. We might show the children informative pictures, upload activity sheets, leave group or personalised voice memos or upload videos to help explain what the assignment is.

If assignments are set, it would be wonderful if each child then responds to their task through Showbie. This could take place in many forms, from replying to questions through the app, taking pictures of their work to send to staff or recording voice memos with their answers.

Please remember to check your child's account for new assignments or feedback. Please do not expect instant responses from staff through Showbie: we will endeavour to maintain communication as often as possible but we may also be teaching in school.

If you are unable to access the Internet we will send out work packs containing the activities.

Once again, we thank you for your continued support.

The EYFS Team



















