



Joy Lane Primary School

A Love of Learning, for Life, for All

Oyster Bay Nursery & Oysters SRP (ASD)

Executive Headteacher: Ms D J Hines

Head of School: Mr M Ashley-Jones

Tuesday 9th October 2018

Dear Parents & Carers of **Pupils in Year 1**

NATIONAL PHONICS SCREENING CHECK BRIEFING – TUESDAY 9TH OCTOBER 2018

During the week commencing Monday 10TH June 2019 your child will be taking the Phonics Screening Check in School.

The National Phonics Screening test was introduced in 2012 to all Year 1 pupils. It is a short, statutory assessment to confirm whether individual pupils have learnt phonic decoding to an appropriate standard. It aims to identify the children who need extra help so that they can be given support by the School to improve their reading skills. At Joy Lane Primary School we already identify children and provide early intervention support; however we must comply with the statutory requirement.

We would like to invite you to a short parent briefing on Tuesday 9th October 2018 at 2.30pm. The session will run for approximately 40 minutes. The purpose of this session is to share information regarding the Phonics Screening Check and provide you with some strategies to support your child at home.

So we have an idea of numbers, please indicate whether you will be attending on the slip below, and return it to the School office.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

C Longhorn J O’Keeffe

Miss C Longhorn & Mr J O’Keeffe
Phonics Subject Leaders

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I will be attending the Phonics Screening Check Briefing

I will require number of seats

Parent/Carer of (child’s name) class

Signed Date:

Phonics/CheckBriefing/OCT2018



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