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Dear Parents/Carers

Computing in Foundation Stage

The children are now accessing all curriculum areas in school, including use of our Foundation Stage laptops. They will begin their computing sessions in the Computer Suite from Thursday 1st November.

At school, all our children have access to a fantastic computer programme called 'Education City'. 'Education City' is internet-based and is packed with activities linked to the EYFS curriculum. You will also be able to access these activities on 'Education City' with your child from your home computer. We will use 'Education City' throughout the year in our teaching, and as a way of setting short 'tasks' for the children to do at home, with your support.

We would like to invite you and your child to attend a meeting, led by Mrs Tear and Mrs Thurman, which will introduce 'Education City' and include details of how to access this fantastic resource at home. **For Mrs Thurman and Miss Pearson's class, the meeting will be on Tuesday 30th October at 3.20 – 3.45pm in the school's computer suite.**

After collecting your child from Foundation Stage, please wait in the playground and we will then escort you to the Computer Suite.

We do hope that you will be able to join us for this important session, **please contact the school if you are unable to attend.**

It would be helpful if you could make alternative arrangements for pre-school children at that time so that you and your Foundation Stage child can use a computer together.

Many thanks for your continued support.

The Foundation Stage Team

