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Hello,

My name is Miss Irving and I am going to be your Reception teacher. I am writing to tell you all about our Reception class and let you know how excited I am to meet you.

When you visit our classroom, you will usually find me being creative. Did you know that learning can get messy sometimes? That's the best type of learning! From exploring mark-making in squirty foam to flexing our fingers with glittery Play-dough, we can have so much fun. I also love to get cosy reading a story in our reading garden. Do you like reading? We have many reading buddy teddies who love to listen to stories too. Mrs Brain is our experienced nursery nurse/SESO and is part of our Reception Team. She loves to explore the outdoors and finds any opportunity to bring learning outside, especially when it involves growing plants or hunting for wildlife.

We are so excited to show you around your new classroom. There's something very unique about our classroom, as you may feel like you've been transformed into our very own indoor woodland! We have a learning tree, sitting logs and even grass on our floor.

We have lots of exciting areas for you to explore from our sandy beach box to our model station where you can plan and make a creation. There are some exciting small world toys and a tyre track for you to build your very own mini kingdom. Our maths zone and mark making area are filled with fantastic resources to help support your maths and writing. Don't forget you can learn outdoors too! Our outdoor classroom has a nature kitchen and water zone so you can make potions and concoctions. Why not build a den using our huge nature blocks and zoom into our outdoor role play ice cream shop on a trike.

Wow, there is so much exploring and learning to do in your new classroom both indoors and outdoors! I hope you are as excited as we are. We love working at Willaston School and I know all the teachers and children will help you feel welcome, safe and happy. We can't wait to meet you and be part of your very exciting learning adventure!

Miss Irving and Mrs Brain



Miss Irving



Mrs Brain