



OMBERSLEY ENDOWED FIRST SCHOOL & PRE-SCHOOL



Reach for the Stars



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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are pleased to announce that The Dog Mentor programme will be commencing work in our school. The Dog Mentor programme has built upon the benefits of the human-animal bond by providing children positive experiences with dogs that can help them educationally, developmentally, emotionally and socially.

Over the last eight years The Dog Mentor programme has been proven to have a positive impact on children in all areas including self-esteem, behaviour, peer relationships and better engagement skills. These improvements then result in improved academic achievement.

Mrs Pardoe will be bringing her dog Bonnie into school from Monday 25th April. We envisage that The Dog Mentor will bring a positive influence into the school environment as a whole and look forward to the impact The Dog Mentor programme will have on our children.

Please complete and return the slip below as soon as possible if you **DO NOT** wish your child to take part in any activities with the Dog Mentor.

Yours Sincerely,

Caroline Moore
Headteacher

I DO NOT wish for my child _____ in

_____ class to take part in activities with the Dog Mentor.

Signed: _____ Parent/Carer

