

Welcome to  
Reception



## A Quick run down of the EYFS- Who we are and what we do!

- We ensure that children gain confidence and independence.
- We 'play' all day.
- We ensure that basic skills are in place ahead of Year 1.
- We are a hand to hold during their first year at school.

# Topic for the Year

1. Consider yourself at home
2. Celebrate Good Times
3. Wonderful Little Me
4. A World of Pure Imagination
5. All Creatures Great and Small
6. Let the Adventures Begin

# Assessment

## 2simple

Sent home termly,  
only you will see your  
child's observations

## Development Matters

Prime Areas  
Specific Areas

# Areas of Literacy in EYFS

Handwriting

Phonics

Reading

Writing

# Handwriting

- Let's get squiggling
  - Dough Disco
  - Precursive writing
  - Animal letters
- Read Write Inc Rhymes



# Reading

- Children will be heard reading weekly by a member of staff
- Reading Books will match phonic level
- Reading activities will be accessed daily
  - ERIC sessions daily
- Reading targets will be shared with parents once appropriate.
- Supporting reading at home - bedtime stories, model reading, signs on the street and shops.

# Phonics

- Daily phonics sessions
- Literacy to have a phonics focus
  - Blending and segmenting
  - Phoneme and Grapheme
  - Jolly Phonics - toolkit
    - 'er'ing' s'err
  - 3 new sounds a week
- Pronunciation - be aware of American YouTube Videos - Mr Thorne, Jolly Phonics.



# Writing

- Name writing
- Drawing
- CAL - focus on language prior to writing
  - Pencil grip
  - Model writing to your children
- Promoting writing at home - shopping list

## Maths in EYFS

- SSM - Shape, time, measure - language
- Number - Ten Town, Taught using CPA  
very practical.
  - White Rose Scheme
  - Links to Numberblocks Cbeebies

Help me to help myself!

Independence in the EYFS



# Intervention

What does this mean? Formal  
and Class based

How will I know if this is  
happening?

Will my child be aware this is  
happening?

## General Information

Juice/ toast - £1.50 weekly

Milk free until 5<sup>th</sup> birthday

PE - Monday come in kits no  
spare clothes needed.

Forest School - Tuesday come in  
kit with a change of clothes/  
shoes.



# Our School Website

- Topic maps
- Homework
- Policies
- Newsletters
- E safety
- Communication to parents.
- COVID tab

<http://knypersley.staffs.sch.uk/>





Who should I speak to?



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