



Welcome

Early Years New Parents
Meeting
2023

Welcome Introductions

Mrs Emma Verney-Davies -
Acting Head Teacher

The EYFS teachers

Ash Class

- Mrs Pope
- Mrs Hill
- Mrs Bicaku
- Miss Jackson



In Early Years we learn through play.

The adults scaffold our learning and our environment supports this, providing opportunities for curiosity, imagination and to develop the ‘whole child’



We have a balance of independent learning and daily focused activities such as reading, writing, phonics, mathematics and P.E.



The Early Years Framework

3 Prime Areas:

Social and Emotional Development
Communication and Language
Physical Development

4 Specific Areas:

Maths
Literacy
Understanding the World
Expressive Arts and Design

Learning To Read

- * Reading at home and in the environment
- * Essential Letters and Sounds Phonics Programme
- * Phonics Books - Directly linked to the phonemes taught during that week and in previous weeks.
- * Please continue reading for pleasure



The School Day

- The doors are open at 8.40am and close at 8.45am
- Your child will be greeted at the door and helped to settle in once they arrive.
- Home time is at 3.15pm
- Snacks - fruit / veg provided by school every day
- Water bottles - please send your child in with one that is named!





School Lunch

All Early Years and KS1 children are entitled to a free school lunch.

They are cooked on the premises by our amazing Kitchen staff.

You can find all of our menus on our school website.



School Milk

- Coolmilk - information in your pack
- Once your child turns 5 years old, it can be paid for via the cool milk website.



Uniform

- Uniform - on-line
- PE kit
- Forest School kit
- Please name everything (if you want to keep it!)



Parent Partnership

- ▶ Class emails
- ▶ Parent Curriculum Meetings and Parents Evenings
- ▶ Reading diaries - all on-line
- ▶ School communication and emails
- ▶ Tapestry
- ▶ Class assemblies
- ▶ Home learning projects
- ▶ 'In the News' - from the Headteacher



Being ready for school!

- Independence - dressing self, shoes/socks, coats etc.
- Toileting and handwashing
- Allow time to talk about school and feelings
- Using cutlery to eat
- Respect for toys
- Putting things back where they belong
- Taking turns
- Kindness towards others



Transition - 2023



Settling in sessions 9.15-10.15

Friday 23rd June, Friday 30th June, Friday 7th July

Home visits

Monday 4th, Tuesday 5th or Wednesday 6th September



Starting in September 2023

Staggered start from

Thursday 7th September (am or pm)

All of the children will start full time on

Thursday 14th September



PAWS

Parents at Wheatfields School



What is a Parent Teacher Association (PTA)?



Aim to provide closer links between home and school by bringing staff, parents/carers and children together socially, working toward a common goal.



What do we raise money for?

Below are some examples of projects we have recently supported:

Prizes for competitions

- Public speaking
- Reading

Playground equipment



Microphones for school Performances



Viking and Roman Days

Life bus to support PSHE



How do we raise money?

Sponsored Events



Frozen Fridays



Easy Fundraising



Christmas Fair



Summer Fair



Auction of promises



Dress down days



Thursday 6th July
17:00 – 19:00

How to get involved



- ▶ Sign up for Easy Fundraising
- ▶ Follow us on Facebook (liking/sharing commenting on our posts will help to boost visibility)
- ▶ Come along to our events
- ▶ Helping out with events (could you spare an hour to look after a stall at the summer or Christmas fair)
- ▶ Join us at committee meetings (we meet once per half term, we meet in the Golden Lion Hotel in the Oak Table room). We need more voices to help decide how we should raise money and how to spend it.
- ▶ Join the committee (various roles, currently a vacancy for Chair)



Please experience our
Early Years
setting for yourself.

Come and have a look around!

