



Bordesley Green Primary School



We care, we create, we
champion.
Individually we succeed,
together we excel.



Our promise to you

A Big Day Parent's Poem

It's a big day for you, Mum and Dad, Your child's first
school day.

They can't wait to join the fun, And with me they
will now stay.

You are your child's first teacher, Their carer and their
guide.

But now it's time to say goodbye, And leave them at
my side.

Home time isn't long away, The time will fly, I know.

I promise to do my very best,

To help them learn and grow.

Let's work together as a team, Parents, child and I.

I'll take care of your precious one, And help them
really fly!

Key members of the Leadership Team for your child currently



Mr Holmes-
Head
Teacher



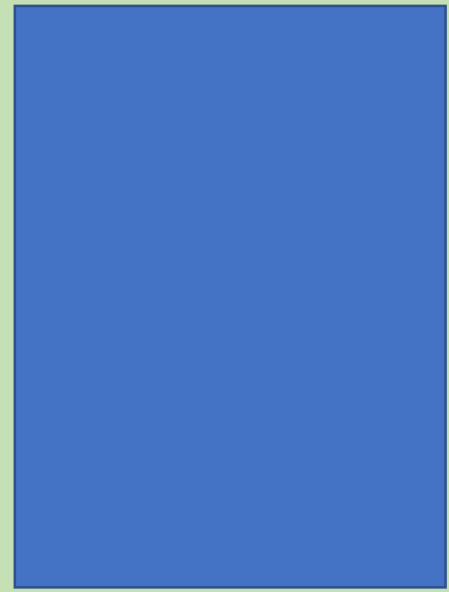
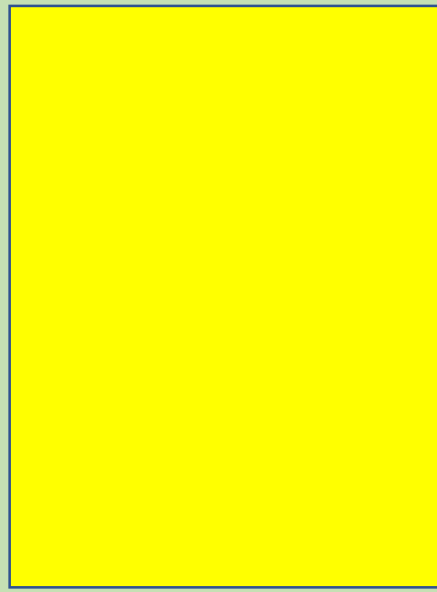
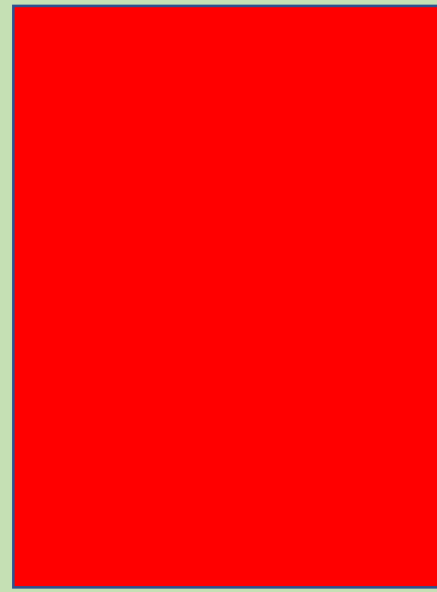
Miss Burgess-
Deputy Head
Teacher



Miss Dovey-
Special
Educational
Needs co-
ordinator



Your Child's Class



Transition information

We have offered a range of dates so your child can visit a range of times, if you wish them to. You will receive a letter at the end of this meeting containing the dates. There will be three dates before the Summer Holidays and two after.

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| Play and Stay- Enter through the nursery gate, a chance for your child to meet their teacher and play in our Reception setting. There will also be some children from your child's new class. | June |
| Play and Stay | July |
| Story Time- Your child teacher will share a story with them. | July |
| 1-1 Parent Meeting- Very important meeting with your child's teacher | September |
| Start date- Your child will start full time (3:30 p.m.- 3:20 p.m. on the dates given) | September |

Other statutory information

- Please return to the school office at your earliest convenience if you would like to stay today and fill them in, you are very welcome.

Uniform

We believe that a school uniform gives children a sense of identity and belonging with the school and their friends.

Girls

- Emerald green sweatshirt /cardigan
- Yellow polo shirt
- Black trousers or black skirt or black pinafore
- Black (Velcro) fastening shoes
- Summer uniform (optional) - green check dresses

Boys

- Emerald green sweatshirt
- Yellow polo shirt
- Black trousers
- Black (Velcro) fastening shoes

As every child wears the same school uniform, it is extremely important that all items of school uniform have your child's name on them.

Key information

School starts at 8:30 a.m. Your child will be classed as late at 8:50 a.m. Learning starts as soon as the children come into school so you should aim to be here for 8:30 a.m.

School finishes at 3:20 p.m.

Key information

Attendance

Attending each day is very important. We teach something new each day so if your child misses days they miss vital information. This can impact on their education.

We know children pick up illnesses but they should try to come to school even if they are slightly unwell, we will always call you if we need to.

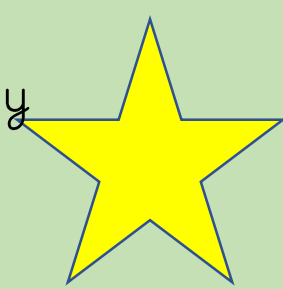

- Fast Track
- Holidays

Preparing for Reception



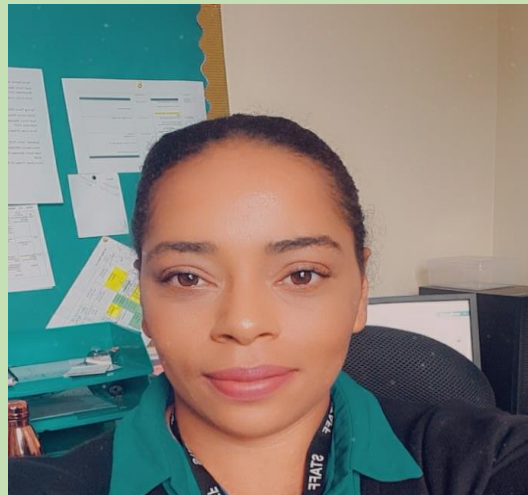


Supporting You



We want to support you as parents too. We recognise that some families from time to time need additional support and our parent ambassador can help. If you would like to talk someone about any worries you may have, or need more information on services that can support you in difficult times, please see our Parent Ambassador, or email:

thehub@bordsgrn.bham.sch.uk



School dinners

All children in Reception are entitled to a school dinner. We ask that all parents allow their child to have a school dinner as we offer a large range of options. We find that children enjoy school lunches and eating the same food as their friends.



School dinner options

| Sandwiches and wraps | Hot meal choice 1- examples (all meat is Halal) | Hot meal choice 2- examples (Vegetarian option) |
|----------------------|--|--|
| Ham | Chicken Kebab | Pizza |
| Cheese | Fish fingers | Samosa |
| Tuna | | |
| Jam | | |





Our School Rules

All children have the right to develop their potential and be safe and so must take on the responsibility of following our school rules.

We will:

- Use kind hands, feet and words to everyone
- Be honest
- Respect our equipment, school and grounds
- Listen carefully and follow instructions
- Work hard and help others to work hard too
- Demonstrate self-control
- Show empathy towards others



Our Positive Behaviour System

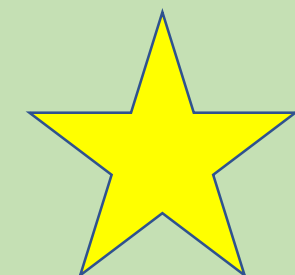
In keeping with our school motto, "Being Great Produces Stars", children are rewarded with stars for following the school rules and for demonstrating positive learning behaviour in school.

In every classroom, we have a "Good to be Green" display, on which every child has a card and an aim to keep it showing "Good to be Green" at all times. This represents meeting behaviour expectations. At the end of each week, 5 stars are awarded to every child who has maintained this green through the week.





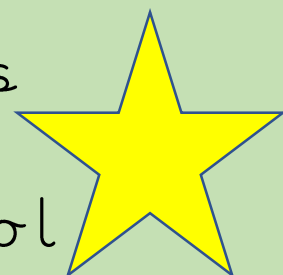
Our School Values




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- Resilience
Empathy
Self-control
Perseverance
Equality
Courage
Teamwork


RESPECT

One child per class who has shown our school values will be picked each week to receive an award from Mr Holmes









Parents as Partners



Ways to support your child's learning journey:

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- Reading- Phonics : Your child will start phonics in September by looking at the sounds letters make. Every child will receive a reading book and words to learn. Reading with your child for 5 minutes every day is extremely beneficial.
 - Reading- Library- Sharing stories and songs with your child will help them to develop a love of learning.
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Parents as Partners

Writing: Practise writing your child's full name with a capital letter at the beginning and lower case for the other letters.

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| K k | L l | M m | N n | O o | P p | Q q | R r | S s | T t |
| U u | V v | W w | X x | Y y | Z z | | | | |

Parents as Partners

- Maths- Counting and numbers spotting

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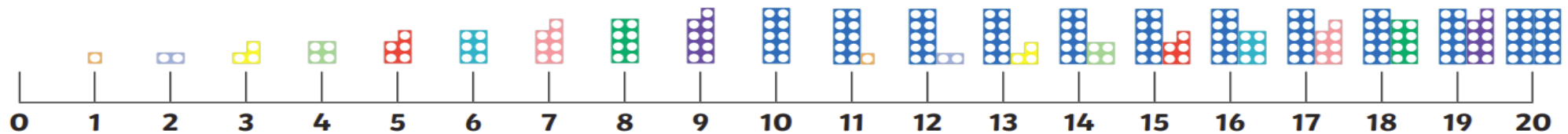
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Let your child do the talking!

Have fun and talk together

Take photos or draw pictures of things you do in the holidays.

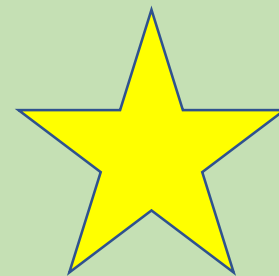




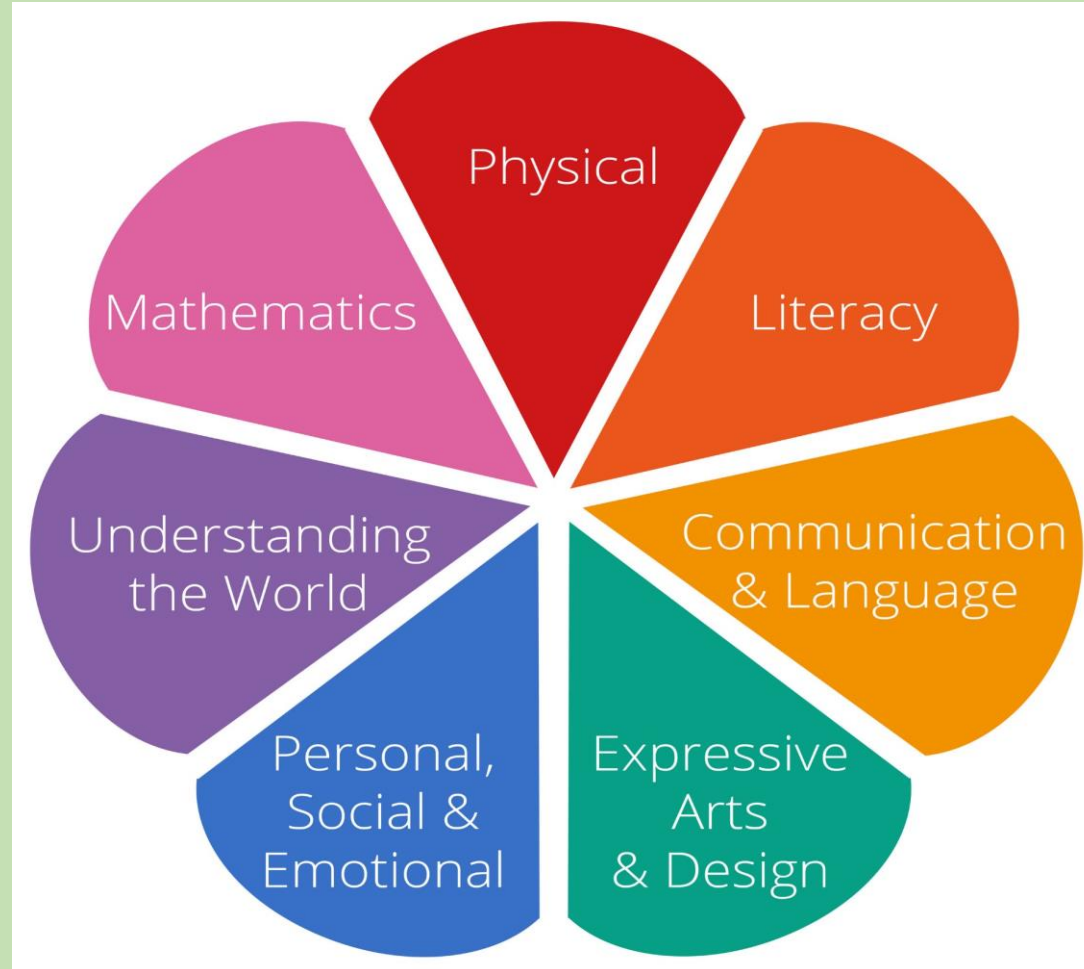
Reception- Topics



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| 1.1 | All about me (including Autumn) |
| 1.2 | Nursery Rhymes |
| 2.1 | Bears- We are going on a bear hunt |
| 2.2 | Insects- Hungry Caterpillar |
| Summer Term | Traditional Tales |



Our subjects



Talking time for you as parents

- Over the next few weeks and into September you will have the time to meet and talk to all the adults who will be working with your child in Reception. We are a flexible and hardworking team who want the best for your child and family overall. If you have any questions or worries do not hesitate to talk to us.