

RECEPTION INDUCTION MEETING FOR PARENTS 2025 ENTRY



Ms Kimpton
Head Teacher





Reception Teachers

- **Mrs Downes**
- **Early Years Leader**
- **Reception Teacher (RD)**
- **Paediatric First Aider**

- **Ms Markham**
- **Reception Teacher (RM)**



Topics



Autumn Term
Marvellous Me
People who help us

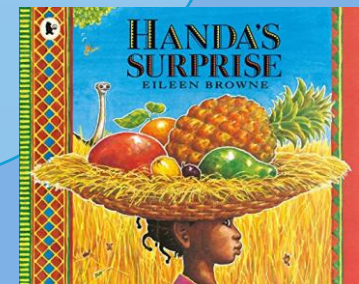
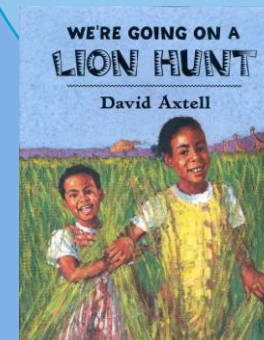
Spring Term
Adventures at Sea

Summer Term
Tales from
Around the World

MY FAVOURITES

1. My favourite day is _____
2. My favourite month is _____
3. My favourite subject is _____
4. My favourite story is _____
5. My favourite colour is _____
6. My favourite sport is _____
7. My favourite song is _____

NEP-Friendly Eco





Our Curriculum

EYFS Curriculum

We plan an exciting and challenging curriculum across the seven areas of learning in order for children to achieve the early learning goals.

There are three prime areas of learning in EYFS.

- Communication and Language,
- Personal, social and Emotional Development,
- Physical Development.

There are also four specific areas of learning.

- Literacy,
- Mathematics,
- Knowledge and Understanding,
- Expressive Arts and Design.

Learning in the Reception

Reception is where the excitement and exploration begins! Environment which is developed around children's individual interests. We pride ourselves on being an exciting and engaging place to be - encouraging our children to be independent learners through a range of practical activities.

- ❖ We follow a dynamic and interest driven curriculum which allows us to be creative with our lessons and let the children lead their own learning.
- ❖ Primarily learn through a variety of play and real-life experiences.
- ❖ Development is tracked through detailed, daily observations and child-initiated interaction.
- ❖ Personal learning journey – individual observations, photographs and activities .
- ❖ There are lots of different areas, indoors and outside, for children to explore and develop their learning. Sand, Creative, Investigation, Water, Small World, Construction, Role Play, Music.



Communication and Language

Adults introduce new vocabulary, model language and pose questions. I wonder ..? Back and forth conversations.



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Build relationships, express feelings, consider others, develop resilience and perseverance.



Physical Development

Fine and Gross motor Skills





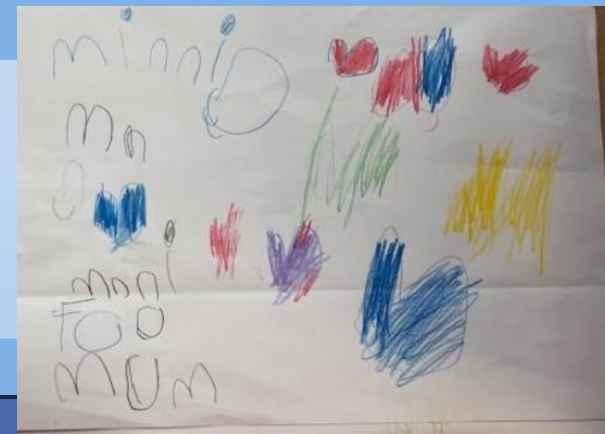
Maths

Count, Compare numbers,
explore addition and
subtraction, investigate
shape and measure.



Literacy

Learn sounds, read words, write letters, write captions and sentences.



Read Write Inc Phonics



Understanding the World

Find out about and explore family, community, the world around them.



Expressive Arts and Design

Create, explore and express ideas through music and art.



Entrance Doors



RD door entrance is by the red gate.

The Children will start school on
Tuesday 2nd September 2025



RM door entrance is by the rainbow gate.

The school day starts at 8.45am and finishes at 3.15pm.

Please be here at 8.40am when the gates will open.

PLEASE PHONE 01708 852367 (OPTION 1) if your child is absent. You can leave a message

Transition Date

MEET THE TEACHER ON THURSDAY
17TH JULY 10.45AM – 11.45AM

We create a happy and engaging environment for your child. We believe happy children become confident learners.

Try not to worry. They will settle in.



Parents as Partners

We recognise the importance of parents and carers in a child's development. You are your child's first educators and we greatly value any input, opinions and information you can share with us about your child's learning and progress. We provide many opportunities for parents and carers to take an active part in their child's education.

These include:

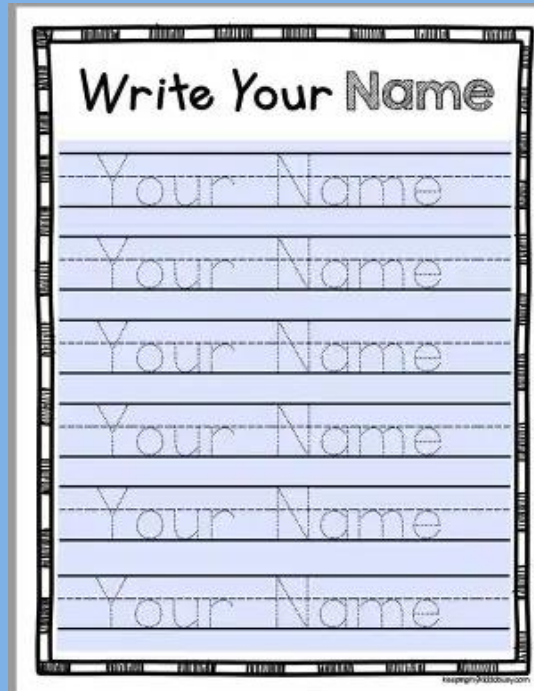
- ❖ Educational Visits and Trips where parent-helpers are invited.
- ❖ Sports Day/Dance Festival events.
- ❖ EYFS Webpage where you can see what we have been learning. You can see photos and videos.
- ❖ EYFS sharing assemblies.
- ❖ Sharing Wow moments from home.
- ❖ Termly parent evenings to discuss your child's progress.

How to help prepare your child for school ...

Practise Fine Motor Skills



Practise writing their name



Practise putting their coat on



Lunchtime



- Your child's school dinner and breakfast club space can be booked online up to midnight the night before.
- Packed lunches **do not** need to be booked online.

Reception children eat their lunch in the classroom alongside their friends.

The dinner menu is available on our website.

Please book your child's school dinner on the 'schoolmoney' secure online payment portal.

Please register for free school meals.

Please note that the menu may change subject to local needs

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Week 1	WEEK COMMENCING - 21st April - 12th May - 9th June - 30th June 21st July - 1st September 22nd September - 13th October					
Monday	Pork Sausage With Mash Potato & Gravy	Quorn Sausage With Mash Potato & Gravy	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Mixed vegetables	Seasonal Salad Bar	Frozen Fruit Yoghurt
Tuesday	Cheese & Tomato Pizza With Potato Wedges	Quorn Dippers With Potato Wedges	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Sweetcorn	Seasonal Salad Bar	Vanilla Muffin
Wednesday	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Carrots	Seasonal Salad Bar	Fruit Jelly
Thursday	Beef Bolognese With Pasta	Tomato & Basil Pasta	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Broccoli	Seasonal Salad Bar	Marble Sponge
Friday	Fish Fingers With Chips	Vegetable Fingers With Chips	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Peas	Seasonal Salad Bar	Oat Cookie
Week 2	WEEK COMMENCING - 28th April - 19th May - 16th June - 7 July - 8th September - 29th September - 20th October					
Monday	BBQ Chicken With Vegetable Rice	Macaroni Cheese	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Mixed vegetables	Seasonal Salad Bar	Fruit Smoothie
Tuesday	Cheese & Tomato Pizza With Potato Cubes or Pasta	BBQ Quorn Fillet With Potato Cubes or Pasta	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Sweetcorn	Seasonal Salad Bar	Jam Sponge
Wednesday	Roast Gammon with Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Broccoli	Seasonal Salad Bar	Fruit Jelly
Thursday	Creamy Tomato & Meatball Pasta	Meat Free Sausage Roll With Mashed Potatoes	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Mixed vegetables	Seasonal Salad Bar	Vanilla Shortbread
Friday	Fish Fingers With Chips	Quorn Dippers With Chips	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Peas	Seasonal Salad Bar	Berry Muffin
Week 3	WEEK COMMENCING - 5th May - 2nd June - 23rd June - 14th July - 15th September - 6th October					
Monday	Creamy Chicken With Rice & Peas	Chunky Vegetable Curry With Rice & Peas	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Mixed vegetables	Seasonal Salad Bar	Banana Sponge
Tuesday	Cheese & Tomato Pizza With Potato Puffs	Tuna Pasta Bake	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Green Beans	Seasonal Salad Bar	Angel Delight
Wednesday	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Quorn Fillet With Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Carrots	Seasonal Salad Bar	Fruit Jelly
Thursday	Beef Burger With Potato Smiles	Quorn Burger With Potato Smiles	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Sweetcorn	Seasonal Salad Bar	Lemon Drizzle Cake
Friday	Fish Fingers With Chips	Vegetable Fingers With Chips	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Peas	Seasonal Salad Bar	Ice Cream

Vegan Additional daily foods available: Wholemeal bread Plain Pasta
Vegetarians Alternative desserts; Fruit Soft Cheese & Crackers
 Tomato Ketchup - as an appropriate accompaniment in KS2 on selected days

Jacket Potato Fillings
 Cheese Tuna Mayo &
 Baked Beans

A typical day in Reception...

	9am	9.15-9.30	9.30-9.40	10.00-10.15	<u>10.15-10.55</u>	11.00 – 11.15	11.15 – 11.35	11.40	12.00-12.50	12.50 – 1:00	1:00 – 1:30	1:30 – 2:45	2.45 – 3:10	3:10 – 3:15
Monday	Dough Disco	Phonics	Literacy Input 10-15mins	Choosing Time & Rolling Snack	Outside/Inside Free Flow	Math Input 15 mins	Choosing Time	Home Time and Wash hands	Lunch	Register	PD RS	PD RD	Story Time	Reflection & Get Ready for Home Time
Tuesday	Teacher Assembly	Phonics	Literacy Input 10-15mins	Choosing Time & Rolling Snack	Outside/Inside Free Flow	Math Input 15 mins	Choosing Time	Home Time and Wash hands	Lunch	Register	Topic	CIL/Free Flow	Story Time/Pie Corbett	Reflection & Get Ready for Home Time
Wednesday	SAM Assembly	Phonics	Literacy Input 10-15mins	Choosing Time & Rolling Snack	Outside/Inside Free Flow	Math Input 15 mins	Choosing Time	Home Time and Wash hands	Lunch	Register	Topic UW Lyffa	CIL/Free Flow	Show and Tell	Reflection & Get Ready for Home Time
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PE Days will be confirmed in September.

Our Parent & Family Support Officer

Mrs Downes might contact you about attendance matters.

She is available for parent/carer support.

Please apply for free school meals.
ASDA vouchers of £5 will be available after evidence of application seen.



Important Reminders



- Please label your child's school uniform, packed lunch, drink bottle, jumpers, coats and PE Kit.
- They will need a PE Kit in school. A plain T-shirt and shorts with plimsoles/trainers for the summer and jogging bottoms and a T-shirt for the colder months.
- Wow moments – We encourage you at home to write a little comment about your child's achievements at home. We share these and keep them as part of their learning journey.
- You must inform the school in plenty of time, before the end of the day, if anyone other than you or the agreed persons on the child's file will be collecting them from school. We will not release them without your consent.

Important Reminders

- Each child will receive a reading book and a reading record. To begin with it will be a picture book. Please read the book with your child and sign the reading record.
- If your child is injured at school the teacher will give you a blue slip with details. If they have hurt their head or needed to see a first aider they will receive a yellow slip and you will be informed during the day via text message.
- Children need to bring a drink (plastic bottle) every day which they are encouraged to drink from regularly.
- We spend a lot of time outdoors in Reception and the doors are always open. Therefore please make sure your child wears warm clothes on colder days and **black trainers are preferred so they can climb on the adventure trail safely.**
- Please bring a spare set of clothes to be kept in school. Your child may need to change due to playing in the water or playing outside.

House Point Teams

Your child will be given a house team. They can collect House points for their team.

On sports Day, we wear this colour T-shirt.

- Ruby (Red)
- Emerald (Green)
- Topaz (Yellow)
- Sapphire (Blue)



Breakfast club Options

7:30am to 8:40am (By evidence-based written request ONLY – Places to be agreed by Headteacher)

Cost: £3.00 per pupil

Food options: Toast, cereal and yoghurt.

Booking: by midnight on the evening before attendance.

7:45am to 8:40am

Cost: £2.50 per pupil

Food options: Toast, cereal and yoghurt.

Booking: by midnight on the evening before attendance.

8:10am to 8:40am

Cost: FREE

Food options: Cereal and yoghurt.

Booking: by midnight on the evening before attendance.

Remember to book breakfast club and dinners up to midnight the night before (School Money accounts open at the start of September)

All menus include a drink of milk or water and children may choose two food items for their breakfast. We are currently looking into adding fruit to all menus and will update you once we have found an appropriate provider.

Thank you



ANY
QUESTIONS?