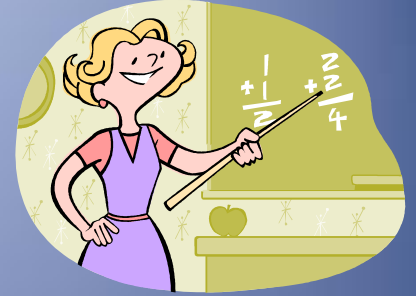


Welcome to Year 3



The Team



- Mrs Broadbent (Year Leader)
- Mrs Marsh
- Miss Pearsall
- Mrs Barnes
- Mrs Gibbs (Teaching Support)
- Mrs Gibbons (Teaching Support)

Timetable

	1	2	3	4	5
	9.00-10.00	10.15-11.15	11.25-12.30	1.25-2.20	2.30-3.20
M O N D A Y	English	Maths	Science	Computing / DT (Mrs Langston / Mrs Gibbs)	Music (Mr McFarlane)
T U E S D A Y	English	Maths	MfL (Mrs Barnes)	P.E. (Games) (Mr Redpath)	R.E.
W E D N E S D A Y	Maths	English	P.E. (Gym)	Topic	Topic

Five Ways Primary School



Headteacher: Mrs R Mander
Home - Link Book
2019 - 2020

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'Aiming for Excellence'

About Your Home-Link Book



This home-link book is designed to help develop communication between home, school and pupil. It will be used as a way to pass messages to and from school.

Please ensure your child brings this home-link book to school every day.

It is the responsibility of the pupil to:

- ➊ Bring their home-link book into school every day
- ➋ Bring their reading book into school every day
- ➌ Notify the class teacher if there is a message from home in their home-link book

It is the responsibility of the parent to:

- ➍ Comment and sign in the reading records at least 3 times every week
- ➎ Sign the home-link book at the end of every week
- ➏ Tell their child when there is a message in the home-link book for the class teacher

The Home-School Agreement



The School will:

- ⊕ Value and respect each child as an individual
- ⊕ Encourage high expectations and pride in achievement
- ⊕ Recognise and praise progress and achievement
- ⊕ Inform parents of the progress and welfare of their child
- ⊕ Provide a safe and orderly environment in which to work
- ⊕ Listen to parents' views and concerns

Signature R. E. Mander (Headteacher)

Parents/Carers will:

- ⊕ Support the school in its aims and values
- ⊕ Ensure their child's regular and punctual attendance
- ⊕ Notify the school early on the first day of the reason for their child's absence
- ⊕ Support their child in the school work they are expected to do at home
- ⊕ Tell the school about any circumstances which may affect their child
- ⊕ Attend Parents' Evenings and all discussions about their child's progress

Signature _____ (Parents/Carers)

Pupils will:

- ⊕ Be polite and helpful to others
- ⊕ Be on their best behaviour and abide by the school rules
- ⊕ Attend school regularly and on time and bring the things they need
- ⊕ Look after the things they use in school
- ⊕ Help to look after the school and surroundings
- ⊕ Try their best and work hard
- ⊕ Wear their school uniform with pride

Signature _____ (Pupil)

10

10

Important messages between Home and School



Term Dates



Autumn Term 2019

Term starts: Tuesday 3rd September
Holiday: Monday 28th October - Friday 1st November
Term ends: Friday 20th December
Holiday: Monday 23rd December - Friday 3rd January

Spring Term 2020

Term starts: Monday 6th January
Holiday: Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February
Term ends: Friday 3rd April
Holiday: Monday 6th April - Friday 17th April

Summer Term 2020

Term starts: Monday 20th April
May Day: Monday 4th May
Holiday: Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May
Term ends: Monday 20th July
Holiday: Tuesday 21st July - Monday 31st August

Please note that this does not include four additional in-service training days (INSET) for teachers when school is closed for pupils. These dates will be confirmed at the start of the year.

Parents should note that we do not encourage children to be taken out of school during term time. Permission to do so will only be granted in exceptional circumstances.

Curriculum

- **Core Subjects** - English, Maths, Science, Computing
- **Foundation Subjects** - History / Geography (Topic), Religious Education (RE), Physical Education (PE), Design and Technology (DT), Art, Music, French (MFL)
- **Other areas of learning** - Personal, social and health education (PSHE), Social, moral, spiritual, cultural education (SMSC)

Reading



Daily Practice

Bug Club

Rewards reading

Change books

Home

School

Comprehension

Reading Diary

Guided reading

Reading Mentors



Home-School Reading Record

(Please remember to sign when an adult has heard your child read.)

Daily Diary

Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	
Friday	

Spellings and Messages



Spelling Test
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10

New Spellings
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10

Important messages between Home and School

Homework

- Maths / English - Approximately 30 minutes
- Support/consolidate work in class.
- Reading / Spelling
- Expectations
- Communication / Support (Home-Link books)



Words to Watch



PRACTICE or PRACTISE? ADVICE or ADVISE?

Noun = use 'c'

I go to netball practice.
I took my mum's advice.

Verb = use 's'

I practise netball.
My mum advised me to talk to my teacher.

THEIR, THERE or THEY'RE?

their = belongs to

Their toys are in their room.

there = a place or
a statement

I went there today.
There are 30 pupils in my class.

they're = they + are

They're all coming to my party.

TO, TOO or TWO?

to = towards
or as part of a verb

I walk to school.
She likes to eat apples.

too = too much
or as well

She ate too many apples.
My friend came too.

two = the number '2'

I have two brothers.

ITS or IT'S. WHEN DO I NEED AN APOSTROPHE?

It's = it + is

It's a beautiful day today!

Its = belongs to

The dog wagged its tail.

OF or OFF?

of = a linking word

We drank a pint of milk.

off = means 'away from'

I knocked my glass off the table.

Useful Websites to Support Learning at Home



English

www.learninggamesforkids.com
www.phonicsplay.co.uk
www.primarygames.com/see-n-spell/start.htm
www.primaryresources.co.uk
www.bbc.co.uk/schools
www.ictgames.co.uk
www.magickeys.com/books/index
www.topmarks.co.uk
www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks1/

Maths

www.topmarks.co.uk
www.mathszone.co.uk
www.funbrain.com/brain/MathBrain/MathBrain.html
www.mathsisfun.com
www.mathsphere.co.uk/fun
www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks1/

Foundation Subjects

www.childrensuniversity.manchester.ac.uk
www.topmarks.co.uk
www.crickweb.co.uk
www.ictgames.com/resources.html
<http://primarygamesarena.com/Years/Key-Stage-1>

Information for Parents

www.theschoolrun.com
www.nhs.uk/change4life



P.E.

- 2 lessons per week
- Health and Safety



Kit

Indoor

Blue shorts, white T-shirt, bare feet

Outdoor

Track suit, trainers



For PE all Children



(Reception – Year 6)

- ⊕ Blue shorts
- ⊕ White PE T-shirt (logo optional but preferred)
- ⊕ Tracksuit or jogging bottoms (May be required for outdoor activities in winter months and should be of a dark colour without sports logos.)
- ⊕ Black plimsolls or trainers
- ⊕ Pump bag

Jewellery

On health and safety grounds, we do not allow children to wear jewellery to school (except for small plain stud earrings and watches which must always be removed for PE lessons).

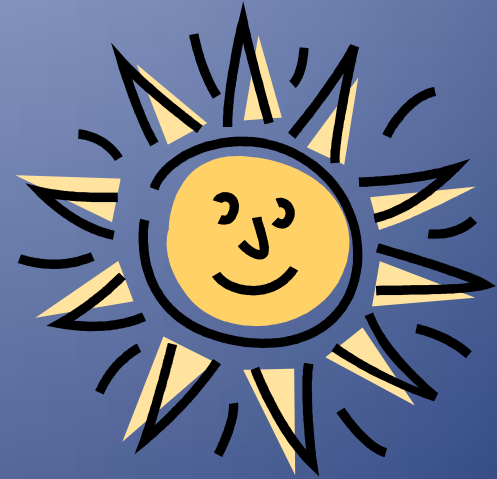
All clothing and bags should be clearly labelled with your child's name. This is especially important, as uniform items look similar and can easily be confused for another child's. The school cannot accept responsibility for any lost items.

My PE days are:



What stays the same?

- Uniform - labelled
- Expectations of behaviour
- Style of teaching
- Open door policy
- Home-Link books
- Junior Governing Body
- Parent consultation meetings - October 1st half term.



Changes

- Pay for school meal or pupils can have packed lunch.
- Pupils are requested to bring a healthy snack from home for break times.

Promoting a Healthy Lifestyle



Healthy Snacks

You are what you eat!

A good diet is vitally important to your health and general well-being; it can make you feel happier, healthier and full of energy.

You are encouraged to bring healthy snacks to school to enjoy at break times. Snacks of 100 calories or less are recommended by Change4Life / NHS. It is advised that no more than 2 snacks should be consumed each day. Healthier snack options could include:

- ⊕ Fruit, e.g. apples, bananas, strawberries, peaches, plums, blueberries
- ⊕ Dried fruit, e.g. raisins, currants, apricots, sultanas
- ⊕ Cereal bars
- ⊕ Vegetable sticks, e.g. peppers, cucumber, cherry tomatoes
- ⊕ Breadsticks
- ⊕ Plain popcorn
- ⊕ Baked crisps, French fries, Quavers
- ⊕ Fun size chocolate bars
- ⊕ Mini babybel cheese, cheese strings
- ⊕ Fruit flakes, yoghurt flakes, fruit winders.



New Experiences

- New classes
 - Merit Teams
 - 'Book Worms'
 - Different Curriculum clubs
 - Eco-council
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- INDEPENDENCE



Upcoming Events

- Christmas Service
- Theatre Visit - Peter Pan
- Road Safety Training - Spring term
- Stone Age to Iron Age Day - Summer term
- WWF charity event

Thank You

