



Welcome to Nursery

Induction Information
2025-2026

Welcome to Five Ways Primary School

The staff are very excited to welcome our new families to Five Ways Nursery and to provide you with a little more information about how your child will begin their journey with us.

- Meet the staff
- Learning spaces
- 'Stay and Play' visits
- My first day
- A typical day
- Questions for parents
- Questions for staff



Our Nursery is led by a qualified teacher and three early years practitioners.

There is one large space, which can be split into two rooms when required, in addition to this space we have two smaller rooms which are designed for small group work, quiet times such as story time and yoga; as well as for sensory play and activities involving cooking.

All children will be assigned a key worker adult who will become your 'go to' adult should you need to share information or seek advice.

Should you have any further questions, during any time of the academic year, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Hill, who is our Assistant Headteacher at Five Ways and oversees the leadership of our Early Years Foundation Stage provision.

Mrs Hill's office is based at the front of the school, near to the main office and close to the Nursery setting.

Meet the Staff



Mrs Mackley
Nursery Year Leader



Mrs Davies
Senior Nursery Practitioner

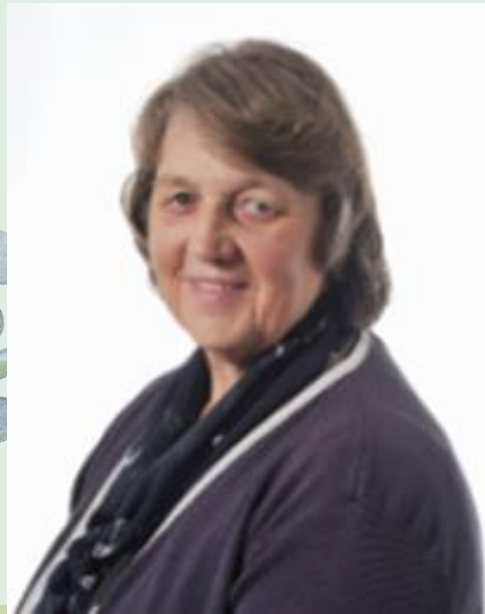


Miss Ashton
Nursery Practitioner



Miss Round
Nursery Practitioner

Butterflies SEND Provision



Mrs. Hunt
Teacher



Mrs Jagielski
Teaching Support



Mrs Parr
Teaching Support



Miss K Andrews
EYFS SENDCo and
Speech and Language
Therapist



Butterfly SEND Room



Our Learning Environments



The Early Years Curriculum

There are 7 areas of learning in the Early Years curriculum.

There are three prime areas:

- Communication and Language
- Physical Development
- Personal, Social and Emotional Development

There are four specific areas:

- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Understanding the World
- Expressive Arts and Design



Learning in Nursery

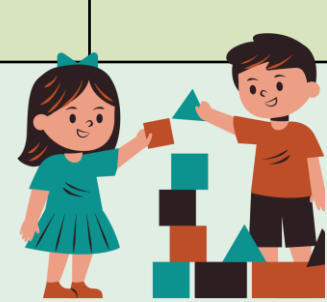


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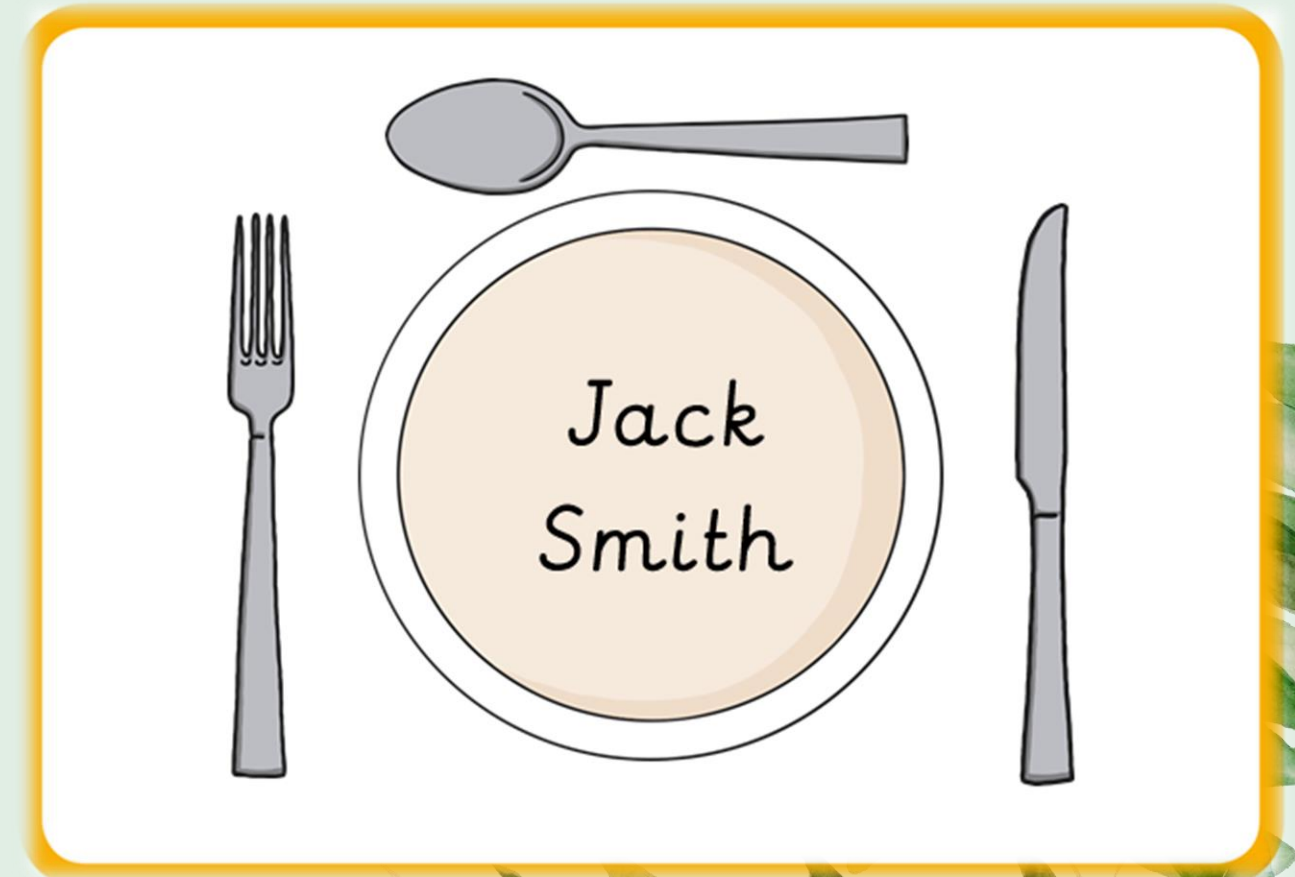
A typical day in Nursery

8:45 – 9:10	9:10 – 9:40	9:40-11:00	11 – 11:15	11:15 – 11:45	11:45 – 12:45	12:45 – 13:15	13:15 – 2:30	2:30 – 2:50	2:50 – 3:15
Start of the day activity and tidy up time	Register Wake up shake up Focus teaching – My happy mind / Maths/ Speaking & Listening	Snack Time & Continuous Provision	Focus teaching – Phonics / Gross & fine motor activity	Story, Song & Rhyme time	Lunch Time 1 st & 2 nd Collection Time	Wake up shake up Yoga / Circle Time	Continuous Provision	Snack Time	Story & End of Day



Snack Time

- Cheese and crackers
- Yoghurt
- Pancakes
- Cheerios
- Porridge
- Toast
- A Variety of Fresh Fruit
- Milk or Water



Uniform



Uniforms Plus: Burntwood

Available in store or online via website or telephone.



Crested Schoolwear: Cannock

Home School Communication

Evidence Me



My Gallery
Using Evidence Me with EYFS Government Guidance (UK)
Family News!
New School Year Guide!
Latest News
Quick Start Guide
Set Up
The App
The Web Suite
Reports
Assessment
Family's Here Feature
Parent Share
Administration
Link with Classroom Monitor
Setting at Home Activities!
Video Support

Getting Started with Evidence Me

This video explains in detail the features and functionality of Evidence Me by 2Simple, including creating observations, creating profiles, and using reports.

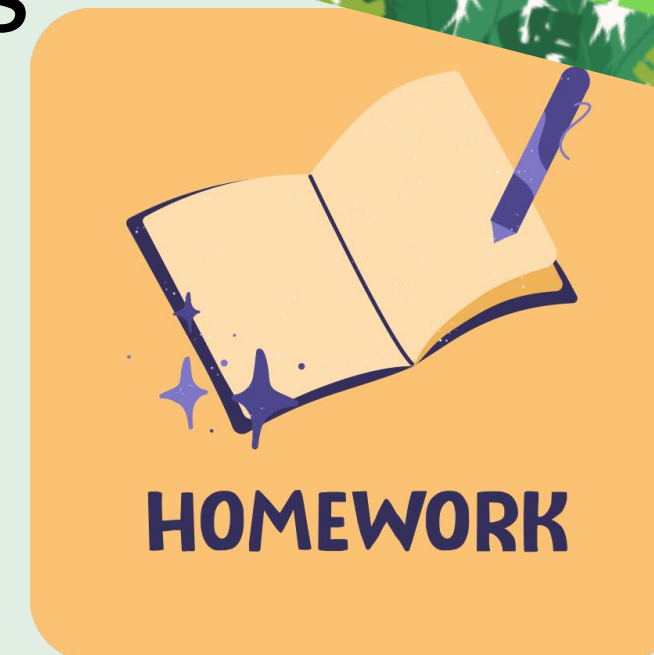


Adding New Users

This video will help you easily set up new users on your Evidence Me Web Suite.

Home School Communication

- All About Me – Summer Task
- Evidence Me
- Rhyme books and Homework books
- Curriculum Overviews
- Medical Needs, Allergies and Bump Forms
- Attendance – expected every morning



<https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>

Extended Care Provision

- Breakfast club runs from 7:45am.
- They provide a selection of healthy breakfast choices.
- After school club runs until 5:30pm.
- Your child will have access to educational toys and games in both settings.
- Request Forms – applications to be made as soon as possible, please.
- Email: Extendedprovision@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk

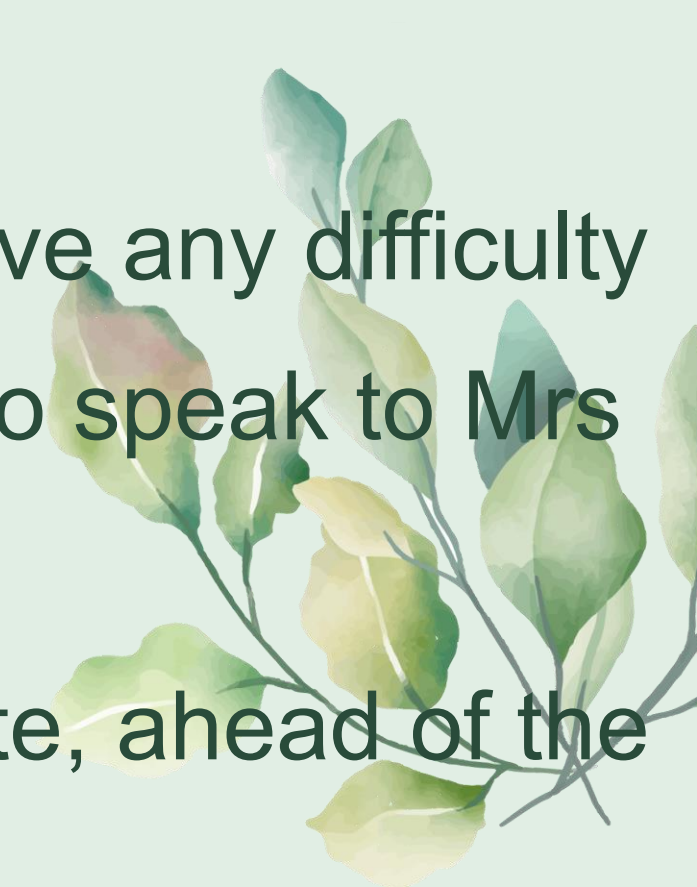


Mrs Buck
Extended Provision
Administrator



Early Education Funding Portal

<https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>

- Please ensure you have completed your Parent Declaration Early Education Funding form (EEF form) – this has been emailed to you.
 - Please complete this, even if you are only accessing the universal funded hours (maximum 15 hours).
 - This needs to be completed and returned to school, no later than Wednesday 25th June 2025, to:
Nurseryadmissions25@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk (Should you have any difficulty completing this, please contact the school office and request to speak to Mrs Buck.)
 - We must have seen a copy of your child's full birth certificate, ahead of the September 2025 start
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Important Dates and Information

Nursery Induction – Stay and Play sessions

Group 1

Stay and Play visit 1 – Thursday 19 th June	3:40pm – 4pm
Stay and Play visit 2 – Thursday 26 th June	3:40pm – 4pm

Group 2

Stay and Play visit 1 – Thursday 19 th June	4:10pm – 4:30pm
Stay and Play visit 2 – Thursday 26 th June	4:10pm – 4:30pm

Transition Visits – ‘Honeybees’

Transition visit 1 – Wednesday 9 th July	9:45am – 10:15am
Transition visit 2 – Thursday 10 th July	1:35pm – 2:10pm

Transition Visits – ‘Sunflowers’

Transition visit 1 – Wednesday 9 th July	10:45am – 11:15am
Transition visit 2 – Thursday 10 th July	2:25pm – 3:00pm





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Autumn Term 2025 – Home Visits

Home visits will take place during the first three days of the September term on **Wednesday 3rd September, Thursday 4th September and Friday 5th September.**

The Nursery Team will contact you to arrange a date and time for your home visit.

Autumn Term 2025 – Starting Nursery

Honeybees	Monday 8 th September 2024 (9:00am – 11:45am)
Sunflowers	NOT IN
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Sunflowers	Tuesday 9 th September 2024 (9:00am – 11:45am)
All Children	Wednesday 10 th September 2024 (9:00am – 11:45am/12:45pm)
All Children	Thursday 11 th September 2024 (hours applied for)
All Children	Friday 12 th September 2024 (hours applied for)



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Welcome Talk

Fundraising

Fun Events and Activities



Will you be a winner?

Find a **GOLDEN TICKET** to win!

Our fantastic prizes include:

- VR gaming experience for 4
- One4All vouchers
- Family zoo experience
- Bowling tickets
- Local family attractions including; Tickets to Tamworth Castle, Lower Drayton Farm, Flip Out, Ninja Warrior
- Chocolate treats ... and more.

Join the Parents, Teachers and Friends of Five Ways Primary School Facebook page for further prize announcements.



Thank
You!