

Welcome to St John's Catholic Primary School





Introductions



Mrs Farr – Headteacher

Mrs Clough – Deputy Headteacher + SENCO

Miss Miles – EYFS Reception Class Teacher

Mr Kowal – EYFS Learning Support Assistant

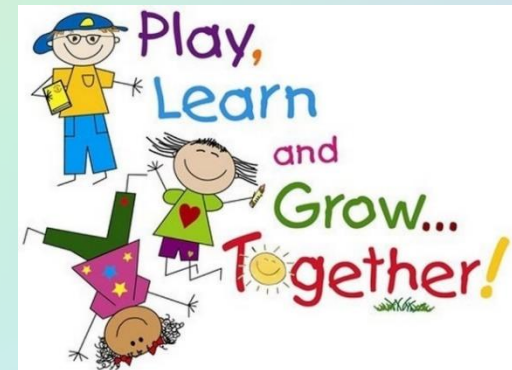


Early Years Foundation Stage

- Curriculum Outline



- Topics



- 2Simple (Evidence Me) Online Journal

The St John's EYFS experience...



Reception Baseline Assessment (RBA)

- First 6 weeks of school
 - Not a test
- Quality 1-1 time with child to get to know them
 - Nothing to prepare



Working Together

- Szapp emails and messages
 - Szapp class tile
 - Weekly EYFS newsletter
- Evidence Me platform (online learning journal)
 - 6 weeks in meeting
 - Parents evenings
- 1st week parent-teacher meetings



Starting at St John's



- Where to come

- Onto the playground and wait by the outside Reception gate

- When to come

Monday 4th & Tuesday 5th September - Gates open at 9.00. Home at 12.00. Collect from outside the classroom gate

Wednesday 6th - Gates open at 9.00. Home at 1.00 - stay for lunch.

Thursday 7th and Friday 8th – Gates open 8:30. Stay all day. Home at 3.15 (normal school day)

Following week – Full time 8:30 – 3:15.

- What to bring

Bookbag, named water bottle, named light coat, named sunhat, spare clothes including underwear in a named bag (just in case), full waterproofs + wellie boots.



Uniform

Autumn and Spring Term

During the Autumn and Spring terms, your child will be expected to wear a maroon jumper or cardigan embroidered with the school logo and a white polo shirt.

Girls may wear either: a grey skirt, skort or trousers with white, grey or black socks or tights. Boys can wear grey trousers with grey or black socks. All children are expected to wear sensible black shoes (velcro only - no laces) .

Summer Term

As the weather warms up, girls are able to wear a pink and white gingham dress, tailored shorts or culottes with white socks and boys are able to wear grey shorts. We like the children to remain in sensible black shoes in the summer months too (no sandals please).

P.E. Kit

On your child's PE day(s) please send them into school wearing their PE kit.

- White PE t-shirt
- Maroon shorts
- Maroon jogging bottoms and P.E. hoodie.
- Trainers
- A spare pair of underwear and socks
- Baseball cap/hat when it is sunny

No jewellery

Uniform

Additional Uniform



Please could you provide your child with an all in one rain suit (or waterproof trousers and jacket) and wellie boots to keep in school. This is so the children are ready for water play outside, the mud kitchen and playing out in the rainy weather. This needs to be able to go over the top of school uniform and be clearly named (including each wellie boot). A warm winter coat will still need to be provided during the colder months.

Wrap around care at St John's

ZigZag Breakfast club- 7.30 am-8.30. You can drop off at any point within the timings. The friendly team provide children with a range of healthy, nutritious breakfast choices and drinks. They offer a variety of activities such as arts & crafts, imaginative play, construction, reading, drawing, skipping, sports and games. Drop off to the classroom at 8.30.

ZigZag After school club- Children are collected from their classrooms and walk up the road to the scout hut. Children are offered a range of healthy snacks and drinks are provided. There is an array of fun activities such as creative arts & crafts, baking, gardening, den-building, dressing up & imaginative play, construction, homework club, themed projects, reading, drawing, painting, dancing, football, sports and plenty of fun games inside and out. 6.00 collection time.

Telephone: 07850 509701 or 07547 211506 or Email: zigzagchildcare@gmail.com for bookings, additional T&Cs and enquiries, or to arrange a visit...



Housekeeping

- Attendance/absence
- Medical/medicines
- Meals and milk
- Uniform – Velcro shoes please!
- Pupil Premium/FSM



Special Educational Needs (SEN)



- Mrs Clough-SENCo
- Assessing needs and identification
- Working with outside agencies
- Referrals



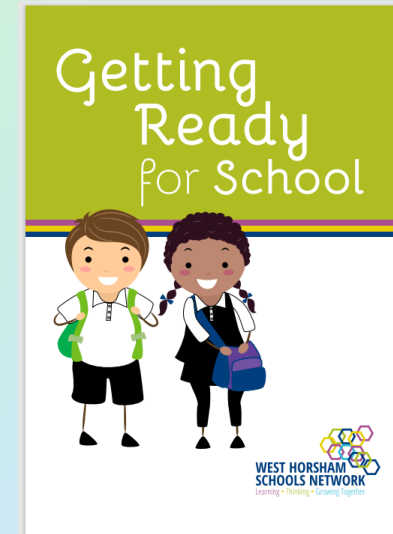
Getting Ready for School

- WHSN 'getting ready for school' booklet



- What to do over the Summer
 - Nursery visits
 - 1-1 parent teacher meetings
 - Stay and play visits

- **Wednesday 5th July and Tuesday 11th July 1.30-2.30**



Pastoral Support

- Mrs Burke – Learning Mentor, wellbeing, pastoral support.
- Supporting needs for children and families



English as an Additional Language (EAL)

- Mrs Curtis (EAL Teacher)
- Young Interpreters
- EAL story times
- EAL support



St John's School Community



It Takes a Village

Support is there if you need it!

Final Date Reminders...

Stay and Play Sessions

Wednesday 5th July + Tuesday 11th July – 1:30 - 2:30pm

First day of school

Monday 4th July

Parent – Teacher Meetings

Monday 4th, Tuesday 5th + Wednesday 6th – afternoons (10 min slots)

Phonics Parent Workshop

Tuesday 26th September 9-10am and 6-7pm

6 Weeks in Meeting

Wednesday 11th October – 2:00 – 3:00pm