

## Welcome to Reception





Learning Together, Learning for Life

















#### EYFS Uniform:

- White school polo top
- Black leggings/jogging bottoms
- Black shorts
- Black school jumper
- Black Velcro trainers





Your child will need a swimming kit (see information in pack).

They do not need a PE kit.

Long hair must be tied up.

Earrings must be removed for PE and swimming.

#### Attendance





- Good attendance
- Punctuality
- Forming good habits



### Our Curriculum









#### PRIME AREAS

- 1. Personal, Social and Emotional Development
- 2. Communication and Language
- 3. Physical Development

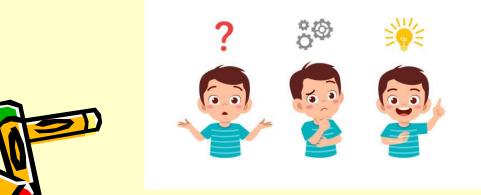
These are crucial for developing children's curiosity and enthusiasm for learning. Then there are 4 SPECIFIC AREAS

- 4. Literacy;
- 5. Mathematics;
- 6. Understanding the world;
- 7. Expressive arts and design

### Characteristics of Effective Learning









### Come and join in the fun at our parent engagement sessions!

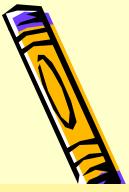




Information of events and dates coming soon...







Phonics is taught daily in school. We follow the Little Wandle scheme. Each week we will send home a sheet that summarises our learning in school, so you can support your child at home.

We practise breaking words down into sounds (sound talking) and putting them back together (blending). We then encourage the children to read words fluently, by blending the sounds in their head.



### Reading

Children will take part in reading practise sessions three times a week to learn to decode books, read fluently with expression and to comprehend what they have read. Their Ebook will then be allocated on the Collins website to share at home. To promote the love of reading, we will select a library book to share every week. Please, please read as often as possible with your child at home. Remember to record this

in your child's home/ school links books.

## Maths



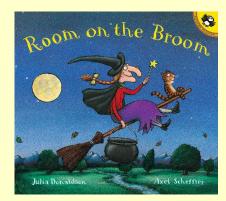
- Counting
- Understanding numbers
- Number facts
- Numerical patterns
- Shapes
- Patterns
- Measures



# Learning at Home

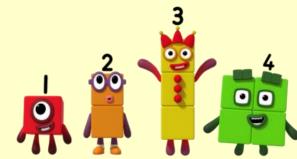












# Parent Workshops



# Evidence Me

- What is this?
- Why do we use it?
- Can I use this too?

# Parent Share





- To read at a home a minimum of 3 x a week. We wilk reward this in school with various incentives.
- Please practise our weekly phonics sounds using the weekly Little Wandle sheet.
- You may receive a personalised pack of resources to help support your child's learning in school.
- Our half termly menu will be sent home in the pink homework books for you to complete a minimum of three tasks with your child.



### **Intervention**

- Your child's teacher may say that your child is having intervention. This sounds very formal. Please do not be alarmed.
- We may need to tackle an individual issue with your child- it does not mean we have a big issue. Our curriculum is just very
   Personalised.

# Miss Leese - SEND Lead

- Supports with children with additional needs
- Helps teachers to plan appropriate provision and adapt any reasonable adjustments
- Works with external agencies to provide quality, personalised interventions for children
  - Miss Leese works closely with the MHST to support children with anxiety or low mood.





# <u>Visits</u>

- We love a trip!
- Look out for more exciting letters about the planned visits for this year!
- We also welcome visitors into school.



### **Forest School**

- Children benefit from working in a team and it improves their communication and confidence. It also helps with their problem solving skills.
- Forest school sessions will be on a Friday morning with Mr Fox. We will confirm the dates in September and you will receive a letter nearer to the time.









# <u>School Website</u>

- Topic maps
- Homework
- Policies
- Newsletter online and emailed.
- E-safety
- Communication to parents.

#### http://knypersley.staffs.sch.uk/

We will be updating our year group web page regularly with important information so please check for any information that you need.



If you receive certain types of benefit you may be entitled to funding for your child in their learning. Please let us know if you are entitled to this by completing the form in your pack.







# Get involved...

- We always need help in school.
  Hearing children read, photocopying, laminating, cutting out, going on visits, in the swimming pool-please speak to a member of staff if you think you would be able to help.
- Our wonderful PTFA organise lots of events and raise lots of money for our children-they would welcome new members.

## Lines of communication...

- Drop in sessions
- Please speak to a member of staff on the door in the morning.
- If you need to leave a message you can also telephone the school office on the following number:

01782 973810

Alternatively you can email the school office on:





# Any questions?



