



Reception to Year 1 Transition 2018

Transition of classes

- 1LC (Miss Laura Cooke)



- 1JK (Miss Juliet Kirk)



- 1SB (Mrs Sheryl Burton)



Parents are encouraged to...



Week 1 and 2:

- help children to find pegs and settle.
- bring in book bags every day

Week 3 and 4:

- parents to come into courtyard and say goodbye to children at the outside door and allow children to find pegs and settle independently.
- please leave messages with staff member on the gate or book an appointment via the office

Daily Routines



- Lunch time: 12.00 pm - 1.00 pm
- Breaks: 10.45 am - 11.05 am
2.00 pm - 2.15 pm



- Golden Time: This is extra play time for excellent behaviour and learning. It takes place every Friday afternoon for approximately 20 minutes.

Lessons



Mornings



- English / Maths carpet sessions then English / Maths activities at tables
- Maths streamed classes
- Phonics streamed classes
- Handwriting lessons

Afternoons

- Carpet sessions then free-flow activities.
- Reading 1:1 with an adult. We will record reading on a new KS1 reading card

KS1 reading card

Name: _____
Class: _____

DATE	BOOK TITLE	BOOK BAND	SIGNATURE BY ADULT

A large blue arrow pointing upwards from the bottom right towards the table in the reading card form.

Handwriting



This is cursive handwriting. We teach lead in lines first and then the joining of letters and sounds. We don't join capital letters though!

The children will have daily handwriting practise.

It will get worse before it gets better!

House Names



▪ Diamonds



▪ Emeralds



▪ Sapphires



▪ Rubies

- We will tell your child their gem house in the first few days.
- The house with the most gems = goes on a special trip at the end of term!
- You can buy a coloured PE/Sports Day t-shirt for your child's house from the school office.



Expectations



Reading

- Children to bring their book bags with book and reading card daily.
- Children to read for 10 minutes daily at home and sign the reading card, so that they can collect rewards.
- Children will read at least twice a week in school.
- Reading books from the book corner are changed once a week. Children may have an additional change of their books during reading time in the morning, if they want to.
- Children may 'dip' over the summer, so some revision of previous books may be needed.

Expectations



- PE kit: Preferably a t-shirt of their house colour, shorts, leggings/joggers and trainers.

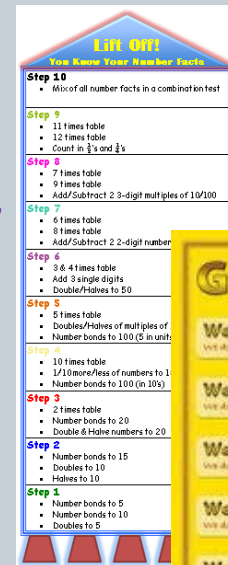
Please put your child's name in all of their clothes!

Bring in P.E. kits (leave in school for the half term if possible)

- Homework

Reading cards, Topic homework 'Our Town', Reading Eggs, Mathletics, rocket cards, spellings after a few weeks.

- Behaviour (gems, treasure chests, cards)



HW not compulsory.
HW is stamped, not marked.



Behaviour Policy

- Children rewarded/sanctioned in line with the whole school behaviour system.

Brilliant Behaviour

GREEN

Amber (2 warnings)

- 5 minutes

- 10 minutes

Red



SCHOOL BEHAVIOUR PLAN

Sanctions

1. Verbal warning
2. Amber card
3. Miss 5 minutes of Golden Time
4. Miss a further 5 minutes of Golden Time
5. Red card-detention (5 detentions equals letter home and internal exclusion)
6. Sent to Senior Leaders – followed by one day internal exclusion/letter sent to parents
- External exclusion

Possible reasons for a card change

- ⊗ Talking/calling out
- ⊗ Low level noise
- ⊗ Not walking silently around the school
- ⊗ Swinging on a chair
- ⊗ Not standing still when the bell goes/running to the line
- ⊗ Wasting own or others time/not focusing on work

Reasons to go straight to a red card

- ⊗ Cussing
- ⊗ Disrespecting adults
- ⊗ Damaging property
- ⊗ Lying to an adult
- ⊗ Play fighting or being dangerous
- ⊗ Swearing

Reasons to go straight to an internal exclusion

- ⊗ Violence
- ⊗ Swearing at an adult
- ⊗ Stealing
- ⊗ Destroying property in anger

Reasons to go straight to an external exclusion

- ⊗ Hurting an adult on purpose
- ⊗ Not stopping fighting when an adult intervenes
- ⊗ Being out of control

Parent information



- Parent information sessions will be held in Autumn for Maths, Reading and Phonics.
- Newsletter half termly
- Topic homework half termly
- Parents' evening in October
- Letters home / on the website / on Parentmail

QUESTIONS?

