

Early Years Foundation Stage New Intake Meeting



A warm welcome to our school!

We are happy to answer
any questions you might
have after the
presentation.

General information about our school.

Our ethos, vision and values.

Life in Reception at Boughton Primary.

How to apply.

About Our School



Intake of 30 pupils each year



One-form entry, 7 classes from Reception to Year 6

A caring and nurturing school community

Pupils are proud of their caring and friendly school.

Pupils respect their helpful teachers. They feel listened to by adults, who 'take in what we say and follow it up'.



Personal Development and Wellbeing is at the heart of what we do

Leaders prioritise pupils' well-being.

Pupils are encouraged and guided to work through difficulties and show resilience to achieve their goals.

Pupils and parents appreciate the family feel of the school and that they are known as individuals.



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School
An Academy

Three simple rules

Our
Boughton B's

Be Kind

Be Safe



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Be
Responsible

Pupils behave well and follow the 'Boughton Bs', to be kind, be safe, be responsible'.

Our Values

We have 6 Core Values, which underpin all of our work:

Courage

Respect

Tolerance

Honesty

Compassion

Responsibility

Older pupils relish responsibilities, such as being 'chums' to help younger children settle in.

Our Chums system

Each Reception child has a Year 6 chum, who looks out for them when they start school and during their first year.

Reception children and parents describe the chums as being like big brothers and sisters.

The chums encompass our Values and act as role-models.

Character Education

We have 36 qualities that we want all our Boughton Learners to develop during their time with us:

Curiosity

Risk-taking

Gratitude

Compassion

Co-operation

Perseverance

Friendship

Communication

Resilience

Integrity

Kindness

Reasoning

Metacognition

Questioning

Humility

Good-Humour

Creativity

Courage

Listening

Optimism

Motivation

Honesty

Concentration

Respect

Inclusiveness

Self-Control

Enthusiasm

Independence

Politeness

Empathy

Patience

Confidence

Responsibility

Aspiration

Self-Esteem

Honesty

An all-weather
setting!

A passion for outdoor learning

Forest School
sessions



Village walks



Our Autumn Walk



Singing at the Village Church

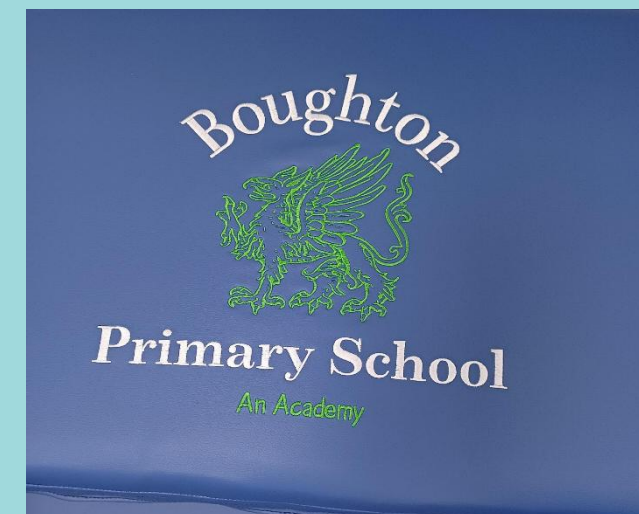
Pupils enjoy residential trips and visits to interesting places. Pupils appreciate opportunities to develop their interests in sport and music. Pupils care about the world around them and aim to be responsible citizens. They fundraise for charities.

Planting bulbs in the village



An established village school in the heart of the community

Our Library Bus



In Reception...

We value the 'Unique Child'.
Learning journey — individual
Play-based learning
Following the children's interests
Tapestry

In Reception...

Discrete, focused teaching sessions:
– individual and group/whole class

Phonics

Writing

Topics

Handwriting

Reading

Story time

Circle Time and
singing

Maths

Transition to starting school: September

Tapestry Online Learning Journal

You and your child will be added to Tapestry.
You will be able to look out for tips on getting ready for
starting school.

Transition to starting school: September



Book and Blanket afternoon

We invite you and your child to join us for stories, snacks and play!

Stay and Play sessions

During the first week we invite you in with your child for a morning or afternoon.

Transition to starting school: September

Staggered start

The children start in small groups, youngest first.

Full-time from day one

Every child starts full-time with us, from their first day.

Ofsted's view of our Reception Provision

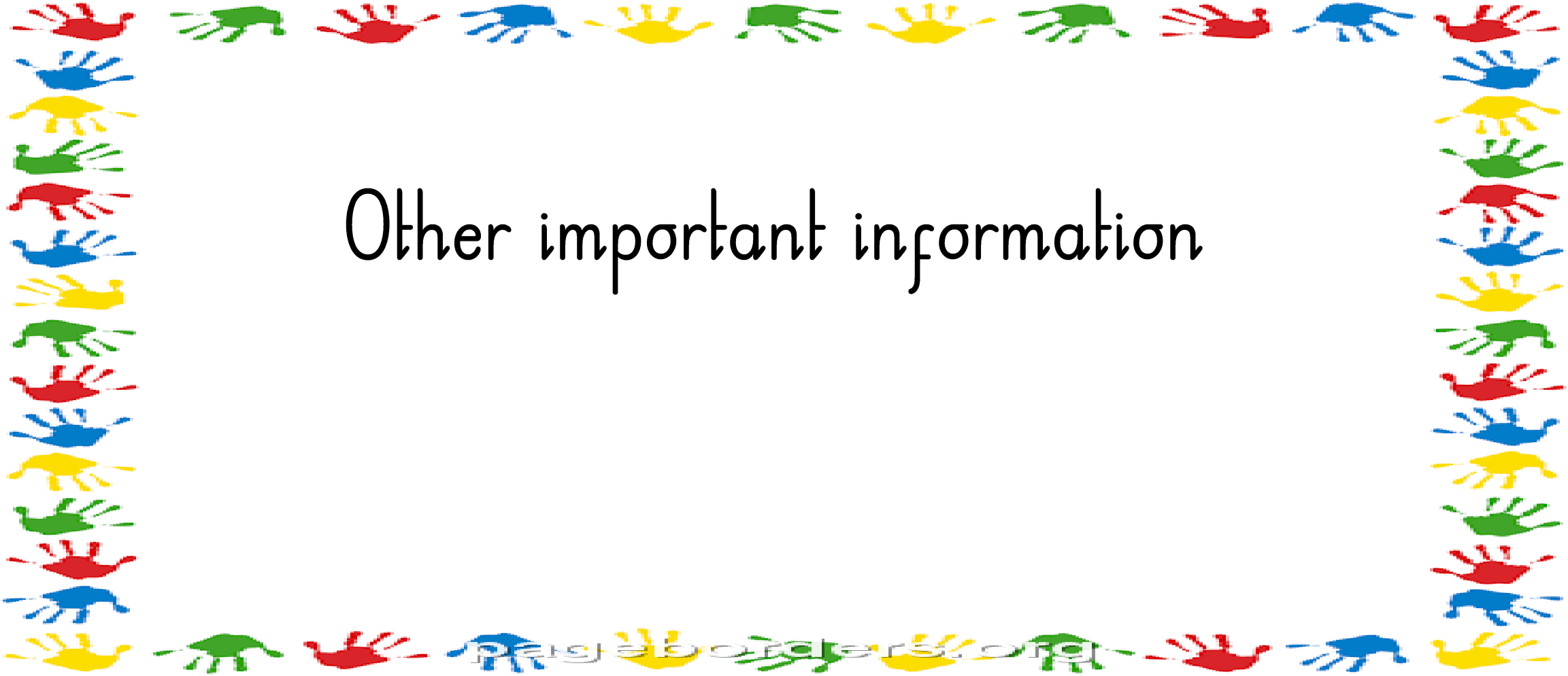
Children in the early years get off to a good start.

Relationships are warm and positive between adults and children. Staff ensure that children are safe and happy.

Staff prioritise children's language development.

Children enjoy the interesting activities that staff prepare.

Children make a secure start that prepares them for Year 1 and beyond.



Other important information

School Dinners and Packed Lunches

All under 7's are entitled to a free school meal each day.

Chartwells Caterers provide our meals, which are cooked onsite.

If preferred, parents can provide a healthy packed lunch.



palschoolorders.org

Wraparound Care available

7.30a.m. to 8.40a.m.

3.20p.m. to 6p.m.
(5p.m. on Fridays)



The application process

Admissions are managed by West
Northamptonshire Council.

Apply online before 15th January 2026.

Places will be allocated and offered by West
Northamptonshire Council in April 2026.

We will send you a welcome pack and
ask you to confirm your acceptance of
your place as soon as possible.

The welcome pack gives details of what
to expect next.



Thank you joining us this evening

Please email admin@boughtonacademy.co.uk if you have any questions.
We will do our best to respond as quickly as possible.



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