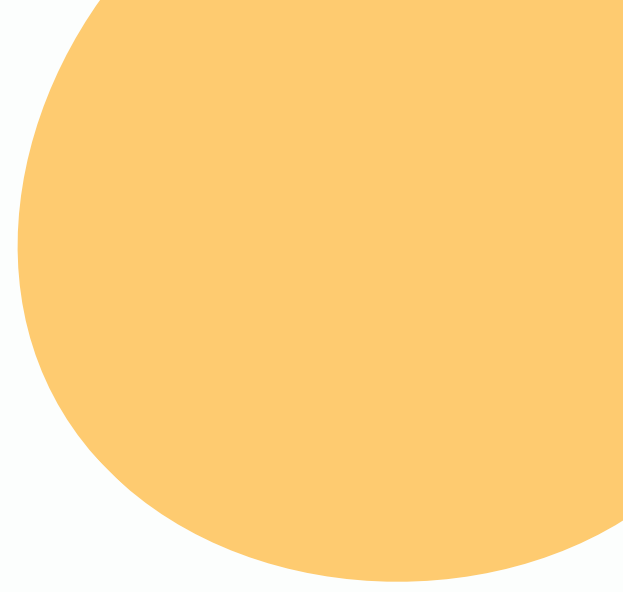


Welcome to
Hardwick Green
Primary Academy



2-Year-Old Nursery 2022/23



★ Meet our team



I am Kelly and I am the 2-year-old Room Leader.



I am Amanda and I am a teaching assistant in the 2-year-old nursery.

As soon as your child gets to know our staff members then they will be assigned a 'key worker'.

Leadership Team



Mr Story
Principal



Mr Piggford
Vice Principal



Mr Jones
Assistant Principal



Mrs Gorman
Early Years Lead



Mrs White
SENDCo



Miss Howarth
Specialist
Safeguarding Officer

Our school values



Mission Statement: The academy will endeavour to raise the achievement and aspirations of every child.



Our day at Nursery

Start and end times

The morning session begins at 8:45am and ends at 11:45am.

The afternoon session begins at 12:30pm and ends at 3:30pm.

Some children are eligible for free 15 hour places. We offer this as 3 hour sessions 5 days a week. You may request a preference for morning or afternoon session on the admissions form but please note that we are unable to guarantee this preference.

Some families may not be eligible for two-year-old funded places, but we offer the option for you to pay for places, at either 15 hours a week or 30 hours a week.



15 hours funded nursery places

Some 2 year olds are entitled to 15 hours free nursery care. Find out if you are eligible at www.childcarechoices.gov.uk



ENQUIRE NOW ABOUT OUR

15 hours funded places
for 2 year olds

TEL: 01642 677968

ENQUIRIES@HARDWICKGREENACADEMY.ORG.UK



Our environment



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What will my child learn in Nursery?

There are 7 key areas of learning for young children which will be developed through play. You can also help develop these areas at home!



Communication & Language
Beginning to listen to stories, communicate with speech and develop pretend play.



Personal, Social and Emotional Development
Begin to develop friendships, talk about their feelings and gain independence.



Maths
Beginning to count, compare sizes of objects and notice patterns.



Expressive Arts & Design
Explore different materials, use our imaginations and sing songs.



Physical Development
Develop more control over movements, use large and small motor movements and learn to use the toilet.



Literacy
Talking about stories and rhymes and making marks.



Understanding the World
Explore natural materials, notice difference between people and talk about our families.

Clothing in our 2-year-old setting

We do not have a uniform for our 2-year-old setting and the children can wear their own clothes. Please bear in mind that the children will often be painting, playing in sand and mud and playing with playdough which means that their clothes can sometimes get a little mucky. Appropriate clothes for nursery may be a t-shirt or jumper, joggers or leggings and supportive shoes such as trainers. Please may we request that your child only wears velcro shoes - **no laces please**. Please also bear in mind dressing children who are toilet training or already trained in clothes which are easy for them to pull down to go to the toilet, such as elasticated waist trousers.

As we will be going outside no matter the weather please can you also provide your child with a pair of name-labelled wellies that can stay in nursery and a coat or jacket each day. Don't forget gloves, hat and scarves in the winter too. Please also apply sun cream and provide a cap or sunhat on sunny days.

Please can you name label all of your children's clothes!



I want my child to join the 2-year-old provision at Hardwick Green. What should I do now?

If you haven't already done so, pop into our school office and ask for an application form pack for the 2-year-old provision. You'll need to return the completed forms to the school office with your child's birth certificate so that we may take a photocopy of it. Your child will not be able to start at Hardwick Green until we have seen their birth certificate.

A member of the Early Years team will then contact you to offer your child a place. You will be invited in for a welcome session, a one hour settling in session and given a start date.

If you have any questions please email enquiries@hardwickgreenacademy.org.uk