



Welcome to the Juniors



Your teachers



Mrs Thornton



Mrs Tate



Mrs Rodriguez



Mrs Townsend

Beech Class

Mrs Thornton

Elm Class

Mrs Tate

Olive Class

Mrs Rodriguez and Mrs Townsend



Olive Classroom



Elm Classroom

Your Classrooms



Beech Classroom

The cloakroom and playground



This is where you will put your coat and bags.



This is where you will be dropped off and picked up.

The School Day



- Doors open at 8:45am, from the year 3&4 playground.
- Please supervise your child until the doors are opened by teachers. Due to Health and Safety, the children are not allowed to use the climbing wall or play ball games whilst waiting. Children line up outside their cloakroom door.
- School starts at 8:55am prompt. Late marks will be given to children who are registered after this.
- The school day ends at 3:30pm. Children need to be collected from the Year 3&4 playground.

The School Day

- We encourage parents to walk their children to school or to park away from Clarendon Road and St Annes Road East and walk a short distance. If parking on the roads, please show consideration for safety, pedestrians and our neighbours.
- The car park is for staff and disabled parents **only**.
- Children who attend Breakfast Club will be walked over to the Junior building.



School Uniform



- The same as the infants in the winter.
- In the summer, boys can wear a short sleeved **shirt** without a tie.
- Girls can wear a summer dress.

PE Kit



- During Autumn term children will be given a house colour, then they will need to have a PE polo shirt in the school colour, sold in the uniform shop.
- Until then their white PE top, worn in the infants, can be used.
- During the winter months children can purchase Heyhouses navy blue jogging bottoms and sweatshirt from the uniform shop. Trainers may be worn for outdoor PE lessons. Black shorts can be worn the Summer.

Equipment!

Children need a small, shallow pencil case containing:

- pencil,
- pencil sharpener,
- rubber,
- a highlighter pen
- pencil colours.



Children may also bring felt-tip pens if they wish. Please name stationary if possible, along with all your children's belongings. Please ensure the pencil case is small as the drawers are shallow.

Children will be provided with a pen license and hand-writing pen when they are joining their writing correctly and this will be replaced when it runs out.

Planners



- Children will be issued with a school planner to help them with organisation and communication between home and school.
- There are also lots of helpful tips in it.
- The planner needs to come to school **each day**.
- The reading record is in the planner.
- Reading is expected at least 3 x per week and needs to be recorded in the planner.

Snack Time



- ▶ Children can bring a healthy snack to eat at first break time.
- ▶ There is a tuck shop selling toast, crumpets, fruit and drinks every morning break.
- ▶ Children are responsible for looking after their own money, 30p is usually more than adequate.
- ▶ Fairtrade Tuckshop is on **Friday**.
- ▶ Junior children are not provided with milk or fruit.

Homework - Reading



- Children are expected to read, at least three times a week, with an adult which is to be recorded in their planners.
- Children may be given a chapter book to be read. Some children will remain on the reading scheme.
- Each time your child reads and discusses their book, please record and sign in their planner. You can also record any other books read at home or on Bug Club in their planners.

Homework

- Alongside Spellings and Timestables practise, My Maths is given out weekly on a **Friday** to be completed by the following **Thursday**, unless otherwise stated. Occasionally, children may have a homework related to a topic they are studying.
- Children will be given login details in order to access Active Learn Bug Club and My Maths from home.
- Golden time is a reward for children who have demonstrated good behaviour and completion of class work and homework.

Home Tasks for Charter Awards

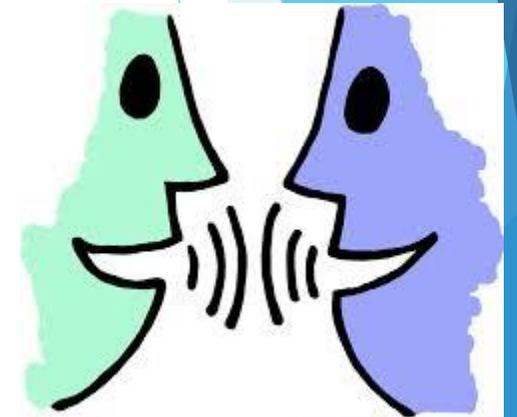
- **At home** children are asked to carry out **two** tasks - each one is to last at least 6 weeks to demonstrate commitment. The Charter Awards form needs to be filled in and returned in the Summer term.
- This may be learning a new skill such as an instrument, knitting, sports and so forth. It could be a period of fund raising for a charity. It may be helping a young or elderly relative with tasks.
- Some children chose to take on a household responsibility such as the recycling, growing vegetables, learning to cook. We are always being pleasantly surprised by new ideas for home tasks that children and their families participate in.

Charter Awards

- Children demonstrate commitment to school life by getting involved in at least **two** free clubs or roles, eg class council, or a lunchtime club to achieve another two boxes being stamped.
- In school, children can earn charter points for a good work ethic and good behaviour. When they earn 50 points they get one box stamped, 100 the second box stamped.
- If all 6 boxes are stamped, they will receive Distinction in their Charter Award at the end of the year.

Communication

- The morning is a very busy time but class teachers can be passed a message. If you need a meeting please phone the office to arrange a time for teachers to phone you or a face to face meeting.
- Send in a letter with your child.
- A school newsletter comes out every Tuesday full of important dates and other information.
- The Heyhouses website is packed with useful information.



School Trips, After School Activities

- We like to go on trips during the year. These depend upon our wonderful parent helpers. If you can spare a day to accompany us please give your contact details to your class teacher with days that you are available. Please speak to your class teacher directly if you would like to help on a specific trip.
- Please ensure you consent for trips on **MyEd** and any payments can be made using **ParentPay**.
- Information on After school Clubs and activities is sent via My Ed so please ensure you can receive the messages.

All set ... Any Questions?

Please email us if you have any questions and we will get back to you as soon as we can.

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