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Meet the Teacher 2019-2020

Class 1

Years Reception, Year 1 and 2

Mrs Wilkes and Miss Carter



Key Points

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- Spelling Test = Monday
- Reading Diaries = Tuesday and Friday
- Reading Books and Diaries in school every day
- Common Exception Words = Wednesday
- PE Kits in school every day
- Guitars = Tuesday



School Day

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Our school opens to pupils at **8.30am** and all children should be in school for registration by **8.40am**.

Lessons begin promptly after registration at **8.45am**.

The children enjoy their first morning break at **9.45am until 10am**.

Their second morning break follows at **11.00am until 11.10 am**.

Lunch break is **12.15pm until 1.15pm** after which afternoon lessons begin.

We finish our school day with our Assembly which takes place at **3.10pm until 3.30pm** when the children are dismissed for hometime.

<https://www.howard.staffs.sch.uk/about-us/school-day>



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Uniform

Please write your child's name on their uniform including their PE kit- we have lots of Lost Property already!

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The Timetable

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Class 1 SSW	8.30-8.45	8.45-9.45 Lesson 1	9.45-10.00	Lesson 2 10.00-11.00	11.00-11.15	11.15-12.00 Lesson 3	12.00-1.15	1.15-1.45 Lesson 4	1.45-2.45 Lesson 5	3.00-3.20	
Monday	Reading	Guided Reading R Spelling YR 1/2	Break	Music PPA	Break	PE PPA	Lunch Break	Phonics R Guided Reading YR 1 Handwriting YR 2	Big Maths	Assembly	
Tuesday	Reading	Maths		English		Phonics YR 1 & 2 Handwriting YR 1 Guided Reading YR 2		Phonics R Guided Reading YR 1 Handwriting YR 2	Topic		
Wednesday	Reading	Maths		English		Phonics YR 1 & 2 Handwriting YR 1 Guided Reading YR 2		Phonics R Guided Reading YR 1 Handwriting YR 2	Topic		
Thursday	Reading	Maths		English		Phonics YR 1 & 2 Handwriting YR 1 Guided Reading YR 2		Phonics R Guided Reading YR 1 Handwriting YR 2	Topic		PSHE
Friday	Reading	Maths		English		Phonics YR 1 & 2 Handwriting YR 1 Guided Reading YR 2		Phonics R Guided Reading YR 1 Handwriting YR 2	PE		Golden time



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Water Bottles

- Pupils in should bring a water bottle to school each day
- Bottles should only be filled with water
- Pupils will get the opportunity to re-fill their bottles during the school day
- Bottles must be taken home at the end of the day to be washed and refilled for the next day

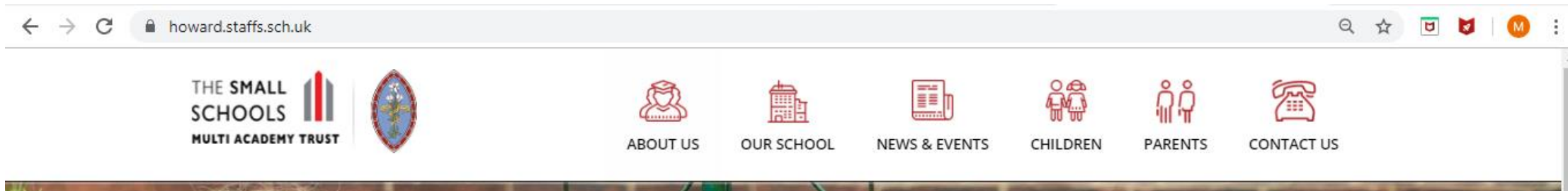


The Website

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One stop shop of information. It will be used instead of the planner. You will be sent push notifications when letters or important events are uploaded. Download the app. You can also sync the calendar to your phone!



Key points to look at:

- News & Events- download letters- no paper from school
- Children- Class 1 Blog instead of planner.

Key question- would you like STAR of the Week names added?

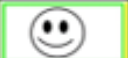



Is there anything else that you would like us to add?



Behaviour

Behaviour system- Good to be Green

A colour-coded chart is displayed in every classroom as a visual reminder. Pupils will be able to move their names/pictures accordingly. However, every session, all pupils start on 'Green'.

			
Well done, you have made great choices this lesson!	Stop and think! You still can make good choices.	You have made poor choices and needed several reminders and redirections. Loss of Golden time (5 mins)	Your choices were cause for safety and/or needed to be sent to another member of staff Parent contacted

Our expectation is that every child will remain on the green all day. This will result in an additional 2 Dojos being awarded per week. Alongside this, Dojos will be given for other positive behaviours (see dojo chart below).

For exemplary behaviour and achievements, a Superstar Dojo will be awarded (+2 points) and a raffle ticket for the Headteacher's award will go into a weekly draw.

Dojo certificates, awarded for interval steps of 50, will be presented in Achievement assembly.



Dojos

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Dojo awards- parent and teacher view:

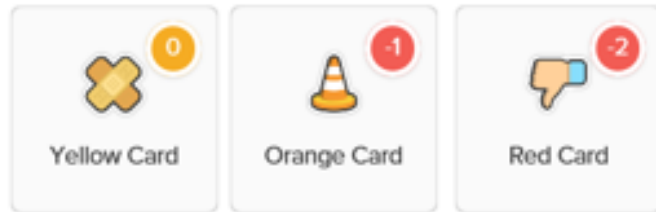
 Excellent Role Model	 Good Listening	 Good manners	 Great Effort
 Green Week	 Resilience	 Showing Kindness	 Showing Respect
 Superstar	 Teamwork	 Working Hard	 Edit skills



Poor Choices

For repeated negative behaviour, the following steps will be taken:

- Yellow – 0 points deducted and a warning.
- Orange – 1 point deducted and 5 minutes 'loss of Golden Time' (Y2-Y6) or 'Time Out' (REC-Y1).
- Red – 2 points deducted and further consequences to be decided by the headteacher.



A note will be added to the Dojo system so that parents will understand why the pupil has received a negative Dojo.

For more serious incidents (Red Dojos), parents will be informed via a phone call or face-to-face discussion with the headteacher or class teacher.

All Dojos are instantly accessible to parents via the ClassDojo app or link via email from your child's class teacher.

We hope that you support us with this system.



Achievement Assembly

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Achievement assembly is every Wednesday at 3pm.

Children will receive:

- Star of the week
- Dojo certificates – 50=Bronze, 100=Silver, 150=Gold, 200=Platinum
- Choir Star of the week
- Pen Licence
- Times Tables Rock Stars Award
- Spelling Shed Award

- Due to time restraints, one class can bring in home achievements each week. There will be a rota for children to bring in their home achievements.



Year 1 Phonics and Year 2 SATS

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The **2020 phonics** check will be held during the week beginning 8 June.



KS1 SATs Dates 2020– Testing Period

May 2020: KS1 English Reading Test Paper 1

May 2020: KS1 English Reading Test Paper 2

May 2020: KS1 English SPaG Test- Grammar/Punctuation

May 2020: KS1 English SPaG Test- Spelling

May 2020: KS1 Maths Paper 1 (Arithmetic)

May 2020: KS1 Maths Paper 2 (Reasoning)



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Homework

Homework is used to enhance and support the learning which takes place in school; it should not be a chore or battle. Little and often is the best way.

Weekly Homework

- **sharing a book- daily reading is important**
- **learning sounds and completing sound books (Reception)**
- **learning weekly spellings and practising the Common Exception Words (Year 1 & 2)**
- **learning multiplication tables (Year 2)**

There may be additional homework which may take the form of research or investigation, or if a child needs more practice in maths and English. However, this will be on a needs basis.

Reading Diaries will be checked every *Tuesday* and *Friday* so please make sure that they are in school on this day.

In class, we encourage children to read at home five times per week. Children who read five times per week will receive a dojo.

Multiplication Tables

Year 2 will be able to access the Times Tables Rock Stars programme online. This will help them to practise rapidly recalling multiplication tables at a personalised level, ready for the Year 4 Multiplication Tables