



**EYFS**  
**Welcome Letter**  
**2025 - 26**

# Welcome!

Welcome to EYFS! We have had a wonderful week welcoming the children into school. We have all settled into our new classroom well and are ready for all the challenges to come. The children have been fantastic and have already started to make new friends and play and learn together.

This newsletter will outline our learning for this term, the routines that we will have and the topics for the remainder of the year. However, more detail about each subject can be found on our [website](#). We've also included a timetable to help as there are lots of things for you to remember too!

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions or queries. You can do this via email, through the school office or in person at the start or end of the day.

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# EYFS Topics

Autumn 1 (02.09.25 – 22.10.25)	Spring 1 (05.01.26 – 13.02.26)	Summer 1 (22.04.25 – 23.05.25)
Me and My World	Light Up the Sky	People who Help Us
Autumn 2 (03.11.25 – 19.12.25)	Spring 2 (23.02.26 – 27.12.26)	Summer 2 (02.06.26 – 17.07.26)
Roar!	Amazing Animals	Holidays

# Weekly Timetable

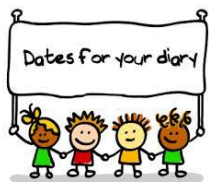
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		Forest School		PE



# EYFS Routines



Entering / Exiting (KS1 Yard)	Cloakroom	Snacks
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gates open at <b>8:35am</b> (there is no school led supervision)</li> <li>• Doors open at <b>8:45am</b></li> <li>• Gates open at 8:35am (there is no school led supervision)</li> <li>• Doors open at 8:45am</li> <li>• Please drop off and collect your child from the EYFS gate.</li> <li>• Home Time is at 3:30pm</li> <li>• NO parents are to use the staff car park unless permission has been given, by Governors, for exceptional circumstances.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Each child has their own peg for personal belongings, such as their <b>coat</b> and <b>PE kit</b>.</li> <li>• Each child has a <b>tray</b> to store their snack and anything that they make in school that they would like to take home.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All children receive a free piece of fruit every morning playtime</li> <li>• Children are allowed to bring in a healthy snack (i.e. fruit or sugar free snack) for afternoon playtime. This should remain in their tray (not lunchbox) until eaten.</li> <li>• No chocolate or crisps permitted.</li> <li>• We cannot store yogurt in a fridge</li> <li>• Please note that we are a nut-free school due to the severe allergies that we have.</li> </ul>



# Key Events for Autumn 1: 03.09.24 – 17.10.24

Roald Dahl Day	Cauliflower Cards - Out	Cauliflower Cards - Returned	Non-Uniform Day
<b>Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Children can come to school dressed as their favourite Roald Dahl character and bring in their favourite book.</li> </ul>	<b>Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It's that time again! We will create our designs for Christmas cards and send these out to you.</li> </ul>	<b>Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cards will be sent home for you to choose. They are due back on or before.</li> </ul>	<b>Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Children can come to school in their own clothes. All we ask is for a donation of cakes / biscuits for our Macmillan Coffee Morning.</li> </ul>
Macmillan Coffee Morning	Individual Photos	<b>Halloween Party</b> <b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October</b> 5.45pm until 7pm Details to follow	
<b>Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Please join our coffee morning for delicious treats! All proceeds are donated to Macmillan Cancer Support.</li> </ul>	<b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All children will have their individual photo taken.</li> </ul>		





# Our Learning this half term



Our topic for the first half term is '**Me and My World!**'. Throughout this half term, we will be focussing on:

**Literacy:** We will develop our writing skills by exploring mark making in different contexts. We will practise recognising and writing our name. We will begin to make letter/letter type shapes and start to learn Phase 2 Phonic sounds. We will also read and complete focused activities based on 'The Colour Monster' book.

**Maths:** We will look at and practise counting, matching and sorting, comparing amounts and exploring patterns.

**PE:** We will develop the fundamental skills through a variety of activities.

**Topic:** We will discuss our families and the people who are important to us and create some art work linked to this.

**PSHE:** We will look at class promises and expectations. We will explore feelings and emotions and link this with 'The Colour Monster' book.

**Forest School:** When we begin forest school in a few weeks, we will develop our confidence and independence through free exploration and learn to follow rules and boundaries – please note that we provide the wellies and waterproof/protective suits!

# PE

All children **MUST** have their PE Kit in a draw string bag that is kept in school on their peg. It will be sent home to be washed and size checked each half term.

## **P.E. Kit**

**white** round neck t-shirt

**black** shorts

**black** pumps (indoor)

**plain black** or **white** trainers (outdoor) - these may be brought in each week

**plain black** tracksuit bottoms / leggings (outdoor)

\* **plain black** tracksuit top (outdoor)

drawstring pump bag

\* = optional

**Note** - watches and earrings must be **removed** for PE and long hair must be tied back.

We could be **indoors** or **outdoors**, depending on the weather.



This half term, our PE day is **Friday**.

# School Uniform

## Girls

- school logo bottle green sweatshirt or cardigan
- white polo shirt
- green checked skirt / pinafore or plain black skirt / pinafore
- \* black trousers
- white or black socks / black tights
- black school shoes
- \* bottle green and white checked dress for summer



## Boys

- school logo bottle green sweatshirt
- white polo shirt
- black school trousers
- white or black socks
- black school shoes
- \* black school shorts for summer

## P.E. Kit

- white round neck t-shirt
- black shorts
- black pumps (indoor)
- \* plain black trainers (outdoor)
- drawstring pump bag

## Extras

- \* bottle green school book bag
- \* bottle green school logo coat
- \* bottle green school logo fleece
- \* named water bottle
- \* green small logo ruck sack

**NO jeans**

**NO trainers or boots**

**NO jewellery, make-up or nail varnish**

**NO extreme hair cuts - long hair must be tied back**

(watch and plain stud earrings only)

\* = optional