

# Hampton Hargate Primary School

Reception New Intake  
Parent Meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2024

# Welcome

## Reception Staff

Mrs Laura Mills - Foundation Stage Leader

Mrs Lucy Colley- Foundation Stage teacher

Mrs Emily Finch – Foundation Stage teacher

Mrs Emma Porter – Foundation Stage teacher/SENCO

Mrs Sharon Heron – Foundation Stage HLTA

Mrs Angela Evans – Foundation Stage Teaching Assistant

Mrs Cherrie Cullen – Foundation Stage Teaching Assistant

Mrs Gurpreet Kaur – Foundation Stage Teaching Assistant





# Starting in September

- Deliberately a gradual process to ensure a smooth transition for all children – new environment, new expectations, gives us the chance to fully settle children before whole class start.
- For morning sessions bring your child through the playground to their classroom door and collect from points at the front of the school.
- For afternoon sessions please come to the front of school and collect from the classroom door.



**Your child's school sessions... Class**  
**1,2,3, Group One.**

Week 1	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September –  Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> September	<p>Your child will attend school in the mornings <b>(8.45am – 11.00am)</b></p> <p>Please drop off your child at their classroom door (via the main school entrance) and pick up from one of the designated points at the front of the school.</p>
Week 2	Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> September –  Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> September	<p>Your child will attend school in the mornings <b>(8.45am – 11.00am)</b></p> <p>Please drop off your child at their classroom door (via the main school entrance) and pick up from one of the designated points at the front of the school.</p>
Week 3	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> September –  Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> September	<p>Your child will attend school in the mornings <b>(8.35am – 1.15pm)</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Children will stay for lunch</b></p> <p>Please drop off your child at their classroom door (via the main school entrance) and pick up from one of the designated points at the front of the school.</p>
Week 3	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	<p>Your child will attend school in the morning from <b>8.35am to 3.10pm.</b></p> <p>Your child will be in school full time from Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> unless teaching staff have advised otherwise.</p>

### Your child's school sessions... Class 1,2,3 Group Two.

Below is the information regarding your child's sessions for the staggered intake in September.

Week 1	Tuesday 3rd September – Friday 6th September	Children will attend school in the afternoons <b>(1.00pm – 3:15pm)</b> Please drop off your child at the main school entrance and pick up from their classroom door via the playground.
Week 2	Monday 9th September – Friday 13th September	Children will attend school in the afternoons <b>(1.00pm – 3:15pm)</b> Please drop off your child at the main school entrance and pick up from their classroom door via the playground.
Week 3	Monday 16th September – Wednesday 18th September	Your child will attend school in the mornings <b>(8.35am – 1.15pm)</b> Children will stay for lunch. Please drop off your child at their classroom door (via the main school entrance) and pick up from one of the designated points at the front of the school.
Week 3	Thursday 19th and Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> September	Your child will attend school in the morning from <b>8.35am to 3.10pm.</b> Please drop off your child at their classroom door (via the main school entrance) and collect at the same place. Your child will be in school full time from Thursday 19th unless teaching staff have advised otherwise.



# Starting in September

- When all the children are in full time please drop your child at the classroom door – a member of staff is always on the door, another member of staff will be in the classroom to help settle them.
- We ask all children to sit on the floor/teaching area for the register at the start of every session.
- Please read the starting school booklet that we have provided you with today as it tells you all the things your child will need when they start school.



# Starting School at Hampton Hargate Primary School



- *"Leadership of the early years is outstanding and provides clear direction to ensure that the quality of teaching is at least consistently good."*
- *"Children in Reception make outstanding progress because all adults are focused on developing their speaking and writing skills, phonic knowledge for reading and mathematical understanding."*
- *"Teachers plan learning that interests the children, using a highly stimulating environment well to improve their experiences."*

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# Foundation Stage Curriculum



The children will be continuing their learning journey from pre-school and are working towards achieving the **'Early Learning Goals'** by the end of the Reception year.

Welcome meeting on 17<sup>th</sup> September when Mrs Mills will go into more detail about what your child will do/learn in school.

Characteristics of Effective Learning	Aspect of Learning
Playing and Exploring	Personal, Social and Emotional Development
Active Learning	Physical Development
Creating and Thinking Critically	Communication and Language
	Literacy
	Mathematics
	Understanding the World
	Expressive Arts and Design





# Communication

- We want everyone to be happy
- It works best when it's a partnership
- Communication is very important
  - Don't wait to talk or ask if there is a problem
  - Speak to the teachers and teaching assistants
  - Make use of your 'Dialogue Books'
- Classroom – open door policy
- Newsletters (ParentPay) and school website
- Tapestry / Dojo





# Reception Baseline Assessment



When your child starts school we will now have to complete the Reception Baseline Assessment with them. This is a legal requirement.

The reception baseline has been designed as a suitable assessment to be taken by pupils during their first half term in reception. All pupils will be assessed within the first 6 weeks of joining reception.

The reception baseline is an age-appropriate assessment of mathematics and literacy, communication and language (LCL), that is delivered in English. It is clearly linked to the learning and development requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS).

The assessment will be administered by a reception teacher, reception teaching assistant or suitably qualified practitioner (e.g. early years lead or SENCO) working one-to-one with each pupil. The assessment consists of practical tasks, using physical resources, and an online scoring system for the practitioner to complete as the pupil engages with the tasks.





# Snack and Lunchtimes

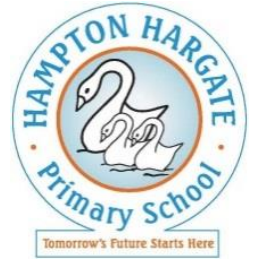
- Children may bring a healthy snack in a small labelled bag or plastic box for snack time. Free school fruit will also be available.
- Children will be supported at lunchtimes by Reception staff and the lunchtime supervisors.
- If we have any concerns about your child not eating we will let you know.
- Please remember to book your child's meal on ParentPay, should you forget and your child requests a lunch they will be given a jacket potato.







# Getting ready for School



Please can you help me to get ready for school by:

- Spending time reading to me every day to help develop my listening and language skills.
- Helping me to be able to recognise my name so I can learn to look after my things and find my tray and coat peg.
- Encouraging me to be able to put on and take off my coat and shoes on my own.
- Encouraging me to cut up my own food at meal times.
- Encouraging me to draw pictures or to make marks and to talk about what I have done.
- Talking about school and how much fun I will have.



# Tapestry



## Online learning Journal (Tapestry)

- Tapestry is an online learning journal that we use to record your child's learning journey in their reception year.
- It allows you to view your child's observations immediately so you are aware of what they are learning about during their school day.
- Once you have activated your account observations about your child's learning are available for you to view online.
- EYFS reforms – less observations that in previous years. More time spent with the child, moving their learning on.



# Tapestry



- Please feel free to comment on observations we post about your child, we value your input and your feedback. We would ask that you only make positive comments in your child's online journal.
- If your child has completed something special at home (riding their bike, getting dressed by themselves etc) please post this onto Tapestry. This allows us to gain a fuller picture about your child.
- Please activate your parent account asap. We will be sharing lots of information with you via Tapestry so it is vital that you have your account up and running. Check your junk/spam for activation log in.



# Please, please, please.....

- Keep your phone numbers updated in our office in case of emergencies.
- Make sure we have accurate medical information.
- Name all items of the uniform clearly.
- A spare set of clothes is really important and should be left on their pegs.



# Summer Project for transition and all about me!





# Free School Meals

## ParentPay

Mrs Jane Monaghan  
School Business Manager

- School Meals
- Communication
- Trips



# Free School Meals



## Who is eligible for Free School Meals and Pupil Premium?

- Income support; or
- Income Based Job Seekers Allowance
- Income Related Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit, as long as you **do not** get Working Tax Credit and whose annual income (as assessed by HM Revenue & Customs) does not exceed £16,190
- Support under part VI of the Immigration & asylum Act 1999
- Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Universal Credit (with an annual take home pay of no more than £7,400, as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods)



# Free School Meals



## What does this mean for you?

- Although your child receives a free school meal until the end of Y2 you will have to pay for your child's meal from Y3 onwards unless you register and qualify.
- If you register and qualify you will **not** have to pay for your child's school meal until the start of Secondary School, that's an extra 4 years or 760 days of free dinners..... a saving of **£1900**



# Free School Meals



What does this mean for our school?

## Extra funding



# www.parentpay.com



## Totally Cashless Income Collection

Collect payments for meals, clubs, trips, uniform and more.



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**Collect & manage payments for meals, clubs, trips and more - all from one place**

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Communications - Parent: X nansellcrook

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### Communication

Communication history

View all alerts and communications from the last 90 days in the table below.

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Date	Type	Subject
28 Jun 2018	✉	Email - Ethan - Help needed for Summer Fun Day
27 Jun 2018	✉	Email - Ethan - SCHOOL NURSE VISIT
25 Jun 2018	✉	Email - Ethan - HOT WEATHER
25 Jun 2018	✉	Email - Ethan - Music Opportunities 2018/2019
22 Jun 2018	✉	Email - Ethan - Letter from Hampton Gardens
19 Jun 2018	✉	Email - Ethan - Total School uniform offers
18 Jun 2018	✉	Email - Ethan - Newsletter - 18th June

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11:41 29/06/2018

- Ethan
- Add a child
- Active Payment items >
- Historic Payment items >
- Transaction history +
- Add a child >
- View school and caterer +
- ParentPay support +

## Give young people financial freedom with nimbl

Digital pocket money for 8-18 year olds with **1 month free!** Now with Touch ID

named 'top card' for under 18's by **MoneySavingExpert.com**



### Payment items

Show: Active items

Ethan - School Meals for Hampton Hargate Primary School	£2.45	View
Balance: £4.90 The minimum payment is 0.10p		
<b>New</b> Ethan - Reception Classes trip to Hamerton Zoo	£15.77	View
<b>Payment due:</b> 10 Jul 18 Reception trip to Hamerton Zoo on Tuesday the 10th July. Please indicate if your child requires a school packed lunch. To enable this trip to take place your voluntary contribution must be made no later than Wednesday the 20th June together with your consent.		
Ethan - Year 3, 4 & 5 Euro Language Challenge 2018	£5.00	View
Years 3/4/5 Euro language challenge at a cost of £5.00		


Child profile +

Bookings -

**Make or view bookings** >

Unpaid bookings >

View menus and choices >

 **Set up pocket money** >

17 Jun	18 Jun	19 Jun	20 Jun	21 Jun
CHICKEN CARBONARA with SPAGHETTI	PORK SAUSAGE & MASH	ROAST CHICKEN, POTATOES & GRAVY ✓	CHICKEN & SWEETCORN PASTA	FISH FINGERS & CHIPS
VEGETABLE HOT POT	VEGETARIAN SAUSAGE & MASH	VEGETARIAN NUGGETS & DICED POTATO	CHEESE & TOMATO PASTA BAKE	VEGGIE BURGER & CHIPS
JACKET POTATO with a choice of fillings	JACKET POTATO with a choice of fillings	JACKET POTATO with a choice of fillings	JACKET POTATO with a choice of fillings	JACKET POTATO with a choice of fillings
FRESH SANDWICHES with a choice of filling	FRESH SANDWICHES with a choice of filling	FRESH SANDWICHES with a choice of filling	FRESH SANDWICHES with a choice of filling	FRESH SANDWICHES with a choice of filling
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BANANA MUFFIN	MARBLE CAKE & CUSTARD	CHOCOLATE CRISPIE	ICED LEMON SPONGE	FRUITY FRIDAY
FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT	FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT	FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT	FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT	FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT

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Booking summary

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Jane Monaghan's Morning	
<b>Bookings added</b>	1
<b>Bookings cancelled</b>	0
<b>Cost of new bookings</b>	£3.00
<b>Unpaid bookings</b>	£9.00
<b>Payment due</b>	£12.00
Cancel	<a href="#">Confirm bookings</a>



Jane



Add a child

Active Payment items >

Historic Payment items >

Transaction history +

Add a child >

View school and caterer +

ParentPay support +



Set up pocket money >

### Basket

Item	Total cost	Edit	Remove
Jane - Staff School Meals	£12.00		

### Order summary

Items:	£12.00
Total:	£12.00
<b>Pay by Parent Account credit:</b>	<b>-£0.00</b>
<b>Amount to pay:</b>	<b>£12.00</b>

Pay by



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Also available to pay for...

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# Lunch times

## Mrs Laura Benghe





# Family Support Worker

## Mrs Jane Barrett





# School Uniform



## School Uniform

### Our Uniform is:

- Grey/black trousers or skirt
- White polo shirt (Reception, Years 1&2)
- V Neck burgundy jumper or cardigan
- Blue checked summer dress

### Clothes for PE

- Plain white t-shirt and black shorts
- Trainers for outdoor PE
- Tracksuits or sweatshirts may be worn for games during winter months



**Thank you!**

