

INDUCTION AND STARTING ARRANGEMENTS

FOR THE NEW RECEPTION CHILDREN 2022

AND OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Dear New Reception Parents

Firstly, It was lovely to see so many parents at the New Reception meeting before half term
Below are some of the Key Points about Induction sessions for the children and Starting arrangements in September. These are some of the Key Points which were presented at the New Parent Meeting
I have also attached the PowerPoint Slides used at the meeting for further information.

Uniform Orders

Please can I remind you orders for school uniform need to be placed to the school office as soon as possible to ensure uniform orders arrives at school before the end of term.

New Reception Packs and Completing Forms

New Reception packs were issued at the New Reception meeting with lots of forms and information. If you couldn't make this evening, we will issue the pack either via little Seeds Nursery or by Post to children who attend different Nurseries.

There are numerous forms we need completing in the Reception Pack. Please could you return these forms to the school office. The forms could be handed in when you bring your child to the Induction morning if this is convenient.

Induction morning before the Summer Holidays -

Wednesday 6th July from 9.30am – 11.30 am

- We have a morning session for new Reception Children to attend Hurley Primary school and meet their new teacher before the summer holiday
- We will be having a short induction session this Summer Term on Wednesday 6th July this will be from 9.30am to 11.30 am
- Children in Littleseeds Nursery will come into Nursery and be Collected from Nursery at their normal time (Nursery staff will bring their children across to Reception and collect them.)
- Other Children can be dropped off via the school playground entrance
Parents can park on the church carpark and bring their children across the playground to the Reception class

'DISCOVERING SCIENCE WORKSHOP'

At Hurley Primary School On Tuesday 28th June 9.00 – 10.30 am

For Reception and Nursery Children to attend with their parents

This is another opportunity for the New Reception Children to spend time at Hurley Primary School before the summer. Parents (or Grandparents must attend this event with their child)

Starting School In September 2022 - Tuesday 6th September 2022

- **Tuesday 6th September is the first day at school.**
- **Monday 5th September is a Teacher Training Day – so children are not at school**
The school office will be open so parents can collect uniform etc. before 2.00 pm
- **For the first 3 days Children will only attend school for half days**
- Half Days from Tuesday 6th Sept, Wednesday 7th Sept, Thursday 8th Sept
- Children with **Surnames beginning A-H** will attend morning sessions 9.30 – 11.30 am
- Children with **Surnames beginning I-Z** will attend afternoon sessions 1.30 – 3.30 pm
- **On Friday 9th September the children will stop all day from 8.45 - 3.30 pm**

TIMES FOR THE SCHOOL DAY - When children are in school full time

Parents are requested not to come in with the children

Please drop the children at the gate and there will be an adult there to greet them

If children are unwell, please contact the school office 01827 872207

In Reception children arrive at 8.45 am

8.45-11.45 Morning session

Free flow healthy snack and milk (Milk is free until their 5th birthday)

11:45 – 12:30 pm Dinner Time

12.30 pm Afternoon Session

2.15 pm Afternoon Break

3.30 pm Collect children from classes

Please note children not allowed to go with anyone without consent

If someone else is picking up your child, please notify the reception team in advance

HURLEY BIRDS - before and after school care club

- Start Time 7:30am - Finish Time at 5:30pm
- Morning sessions £4.00 and £3.50 for siblings
- After school £5.00 for the first hour and £3 for siblings
- After the first hour £2.00 per child per half hour (no further concessions)
- There is a Hurley Birds information sheet in the Reception pack and a page on our School website <https://hurleyschool.co.uk/hurleybirds/>
- Register via an online form on the school website
- Then book your sessions as far in advance as possible using the Hurley Birds email
Hurley Birds email is hurleybirds@welearn365.com

Good Attendance and Punctuality are essential

- Poor attendance or punctuality can ruin your child's education
- Please try to ensure your child attends school on time and regularly
- If your child is absent, please phone 01827 872207 to report your child's absence as soon as possible and before 10.30 am
- Holidays – Taking holidays during school is are strongly discouraged and unless there very extreme circumstances we are not allowed to authorise holidays.
- Persistent Absence families taking an unreasonable time off school without adequate reasons for absence may be fined

Pupil Premium Entitlement

Primary schools are given additional funding to support certain groups of pupils

PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOUR CHILD BELONGS TO ONE OF THESE GROUPS

- **Children eligible for FREE SCHOOL MEAL** from Reception to Year 6 who are, or have ever been, entitled to free school meals based on their family income: Please See details below
- **Children in care or Children previously in care** who have been adopted, or who have a special guardianship order, child arrangements order or a residence order:
- **Children from service families**

PLEASE CHECK YOUR ELIGIBILITY FOR INCOME RELATED FREE SCHOOL MEALS

All infant children are eligible for universal school meals for infant pupils

However, some children will also qualify for FREE SCHOOL MEALS - due to their family income

If your child qualifies for free school meals, it's very important that you notify school because this enables the school to claim pupil premium funding to support your child's education

Families who receive the following are eligible for free school meals:

- income support
- income-based Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA)
- income-related employment and support allowance (ESA)
- guarantee element of state pension credit
- Universal Credit (with an annual income of less than £7,400)
- Both income-based and contribution-based JSA/ESA if you receive the same amount for both. You should also qualify if you receive both, but the income-based amount is greater, but not if the contribution-based amount is greater.
- Families who are awarded Child Tax Credit and have an annual income, as assessed by HMRC, not in excess of £16,190 are also eligible to claim free school meals providing there is no entitlement to Working Tax Credit (unless in respect of a 4-week 'run-on').

**IF ELIGIBLE PLEASE ENSURE YOU APPLY & PLEASE INFORM SCHOOL
APPLY FOR YOUR 'FREE SCHOOL MEALS' STATUS BY FOLLOWING**

**THE LINK <https://admissions.warwickshire.gov.uk/Synergy/login.aspx?ReturnUrl=.%2FParents%2F>
OR RING 01926 359189**

If you need some help, or further advice please visit or phone the school office on 01827 872207

Useful contacts

Please contact school if you have any questions, worries or concerns

School phone number 01827 872207

- **Class Teacher** hickman.j@welearn365.com
- **Headteacher** Head2032@welearn365.com
- **School Office** Admin2032@welearn365.com
- **Assistant Headteacher** Hardman.M@welearn365.com
- **Hurley Birds** hurleybirds@welearn365.com

SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

**New Reception Children will be provided with a FREE School Book Bag
A Home School Communication Book and Reading Diary**

- **SCHOOL EMAIL and TEXTS**
Whole school Newsletters and updates are usually sent via the school email system OR school Texts
- **Group Emails** – please provide up to date email addresses
- **Texts** – we need your up-to-date mobile phone numbers

THE SCHOOL WEB SITE

<https://hurleyschool.co.uk>

School Facebook Page

If you 'like' the Hurley Primary Facebook Page, this is full of interesting Whole School events and helps you keep in such with what's happening in school

Class Homeroom Page

Provides regular class communication –such as reminders and photos
See letter in the Reception starter pack for further details

2 Simple learning portfolios

We use 2Simple software to help us record your child's development
In September we intend to share this with you and also get you to contribute your own observations from home.

We will contact you during the first half term to get this set up and running.

**We hope you find this information useful
and look forward to meeting the New Reception Children soon**

Best Wishes

Glyn Morgans and the Hurley Primary School Team 😊

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