



Burton Green Primary School

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A warm welcome to Burton Green

I would like to warmly welcome you and your child to Burton Green Primary School. We are a nurturing, happy school, which is situated at the heart of a caring community. We cater for children from 2 – 11 years old and have approximately 175 children on roll.

Our main aim is to ensure that our children are safe, happy and enjoy school. We strive to foster a love of learning through the deliverance of a broad and balanced curriculum, whilst also striving for high levels of academic achievement.

Please visit our website where we have regular newsletters, class Twitter pages and information about our school. You will be able to read our recent 'good' Ofsted reports which states that 'Pupils' sense of pride and belonging is tangible and they are thriving.' Also 'classrooms are a hive of purposeful activity, with pupils highly engaged and keen to contribute. '



The Great Outdoors



We love learning outdoors and have recently invested in our Early Years outdoor environment.

We also have a Forest School and a full time P.E teacher.



Our School Uniform



Our Uniform includes:

- Black or grey trousers or shorts.
- Grey skirt, pinafore dress or red gingham dress.
- Plain white or red polo shirt or plain white button shirt.
- Red jumper or cardigan with or without logo
- Flat dark coloured shoes or dark coloured trainers.

Our Environment



Our aim has been to create a beautiful environment for our very special children. This was recognised in our Ofsted report:

'New furniture and resources, redesigned shared spaces and carpeted corridors and classrooms have provided a welcoming and homely place to be. Calming music plays in classrooms and corridors and has had the desired effect to contribute to reducing any additional stresses for pupils successfully. Such investment has had an enormous impact on pupils' well-being.'



Behaviour

Every class in school uses the same effective behaviour system. The children all have their photograph on the chart and start each day on green. The chart to the left indicates the colours as well as the corresponding behaviours and consequences.

In our recent Ofsted report it states that:

Pupils now behave exceptionally well, and they show much respect to adults and to each other. The strong values and explicit and consistently applied behaviour management system are firmly embedded in all year groups.

Pupils comply with your high expectations for good manners and respectful behaviour and any serious misdemeanours are handled proportionately. Such is the high regard in which you are held that pupils simply do not want to let you down. As one Year 6 pupil said, 'I don't want another red card, ever!' As a result, exclusion is a last resort and the use of this sanction has reduced dramatically since your appointment. As a visitor to your school, it is difficult to believe that pupils' behaviour was anything less than exemplary.

COLOURS	BEHAVIOURS
Gold Outstanding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consistent silver behaviour Consistently showing the 5R's for learning Consistently being a role model Consistently going 'above and beyond' expectations Leading by example and encouraging others
Silver Wow!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consistent bronze behaviour Being resilient – not giving up when something is hard Taking risks with learning – trying new things Being a reflective learner – thinking about how I can improve my learning
Bronze Great day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Showing consistent green behaviour Promoting positive relationships – showing kindness and consideration to others Making positive contributions in learning time Showing initiative Being a role model to others Being an independent learner
Green Ready to learn each day starts green	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-operating with others Showing good listening to all Following adults' instructions Being polite and respectful Trying our best Being safe, calm and in the right place Treating the school environment and property with respect Wearing our school uniform Having the correct equipment
Yellow Think about it	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Distracting others from learning Rocking on chairs Talking over someone Not working to the best of your ability Not co-operating with others. Not moving safely or calmly around school Not being in correct uniform
Orange Reflection time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name calling or unkindness to others Talking or damaging property Being disrespectful or rude Not following adults' instructions Repeated yellow behaviour
Red Serious consequence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Repeated orange behaviour Swearing Fighting Leaving class without permission Intimidating others Bullying (including cyber bullying) Racism



Timings

Pre-School (Butterflies and Fox Cubs)

Morning session: 8.30am— 11.30am

Afternoon sessions 12.30pm-3.30pm

Reception and Key Stage One

8.45am—3.15pm

Key Stage Two

8.45am— 3.20pm

Breakfast Club

Children can enter between 7.40am-8.30am

Come and start the day with a healthy breakfast and fun with your friends! Run by Mrs Rafferty and Miss Ellery. Breakfast Club is provided free of charge.

Lunchtime

Butterflies and Nursery can stay for lunch at the cost of £1.75.

Key Stage one children (reception, years 1 and 2) are entitled to a free school meal. For our key stage two pupils (years 3, 4, 5 and 6) the price is £2.15



After School Club

After School club runs every night and is available from 3.30pm until 5.30pm. Sessions need to be booked and paid for in advance on ParentPay (£3.50 per hour session).

Mr Holmes runs a free After School Sports club every night.

Attendance

Attendance really matters to us here at Burton Green Primary School. We expect children to aim for 100% attendance at school. However, we also understand that there are times when a child will be ill and may be absent or that there may be legitimate reasons for absence.

The national average for attendance is 96%, the equivalent of missing around 8 days over a year, and all children should aim to have this as a minimum for attendance.

We have a number of rewards for attendance such as postcards, class competitions with trophy's , extra playtimes and dancing in assembly!

Our current attendance is celebrated on Twitter and within our newsletters. Our whole school attendance target is at least 96%.

