# School Prospectus





Burton Green
PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Welcome to Burton Green PRIMARY SCHOOL

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 150 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 is important to us. It is one way in which we identify ourselves as a school **family** and it promotes a **strong**, **cohesive school identity** which supports high standards and expectations in all areas of school life.

Our Uniform includes:

- Black or grey trousers or shorts
- Grey skirt, pinafore dress or red gingham dress
- Plain white 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 most-recent 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**."







### **Good 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 right indicates the colours as well as the corresponding behaviours and consequences.

Our recent Ofsted report 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."



### **Our 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 trophies, 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%.

# **School Timings**

#### **Pre-School**

Morning session: 8.45am - 11.45am Afternoon sessions 12.15pm - 3.15pm

#### **Reception and Key Stage One**

8.45am - 3.15pm

#### **Key Stage Two**

8.45am - 3.20pm



### Clubs & Activities

#### **Breakfast Club**

Start the day with a healthy breakfast and fun with your friends! Run by Mrs Rafferty and Mrs Suter. Breakfast Club is £2. Time: 7.40am-8.30am

#### Lunchtime

Nursery children can have lunch, the price is £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 after school sports clubs throughout the week.

# **Stay in Touch**

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