



EDWARD THE ELDER
Primary School

Reception to
Year 1
Transition 2021

Transition

Children will soon begin their transition into Year 1. This is a big step for Reception children as they enter a more formal stage of their education. Once children start Year 1 there will be:

- Appropriate resources and layout of classroom environment.
- More smaller group work rather than full-class teaching for first half term.
- Transition meetings between previous and new class teachers to share relevant pupil information.
- Timetabling of staff to provide extra support for pupils during initial weeks.
- Appropriate planning of teaching and learning to take into account pupil's current needs and possible learning gaps as a result of the current situation.



Morning Routine

- ▶ Children are brought to usual school gate.
- ▶ Members of staff on gate will be able to pass on any messages to class teacher.
- ▶ Put lunchboxes on trolleys and make their way to their classroom.
- ▶ Hang up coats.
- ▶ Quiet morning activity daily e.g. reading.



GOOD MORNING

Routines



- ▶ Assembly every morning.
- ▶ Continue to have daily English and Maths lessons – flowing from reception with group teaching and opportunities to explore their own learning – developing to whole class teaching.
- ▶ Daily phonics sessions within class.
- ▶ Milk and fruit will continue as a whole class after playtime.
- ▶ Weekly foundation subjects – Science, Geography, History, Design Technology (DT), Art, RE, ICT and PSHEe.



Example Timetable

| Day | 8:45-8:55 | 9:00-9:20 | 9:25-10:20 | 10:20-11:00 | | 11:00-11:15 | 11:15-11:30 | 11:30-12:10 | 12:10-1:30 | 1:30-2:20 | 2:20-2:35 | 2:35-3:10 | 3:10-3:20 |
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| Mon | Phonic video/CEW speed read | Assembly 1:1 Reading | English | Spelling test Handwriting | | Break | Fruit/Milk Speaking and Listening | Maths | Lunch | 1:1 Reading | Geography/History | Break | Music/Library/MFL |
| Tues | Choosing baskets | Assembly 1:1 Reading | English | Phonics | Guided Reading | Break | Fruit/Milk Story Time | Maths | Lunch | 1:1 Reading | Science | Break | Science Story |
| Wed | Reading for pleasure | Assembly 1:1 Reading | English | Phonics | Guided Reading | Break | Fruit/Milk Speaking and listening | Maths | Lunch | 1:1 Reading | Art/DT | | PE |
| Thurs | Choosing baskets | Assembly 1:1 Reading | English | Phonics | Guided Reading | Break | Fruit/Milk Story Time | Maths | Lunch | 1:1 Reading | PE | RE | Story |
| Fri | Phonic video/CEW speed read | Merit Assembly | English | Phonics | | Break | Fruit/Milk Show and Tell | Maths | Lunch | 1:1 Reading | ICT 1:1 reading Guided Reading | ICT 1:1 reading Guided Reading | Story |

Playtimes



- ▶ 2 playtimes – morning and afternoon.
- ▶ Lunchtime 12:00pm – 1:00pm.
- ▶ School lunches followed by lunchtime playtime on Key Stage 1 playground next to Y1 classroom.

After school

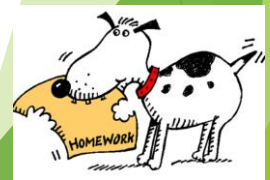


- ▶ Collect from Year 1 classroom door.
- ▶ All class teachers available at the door.



Homework

- ▶ Weekly spellings – Day for these will be confirmed at a later date.
- ▶ Reading books/Expectations – children will have comprehension questions to complete at home in their Reading Journal.
- ▶ Creative purple homework book.



Any questions?

If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact school or speak to your child's class teacher when we return in September.

