

Starting School at St John The Baptist Primary School 2023

Welcome from the Headteacher : Susie Arnold

Welcome



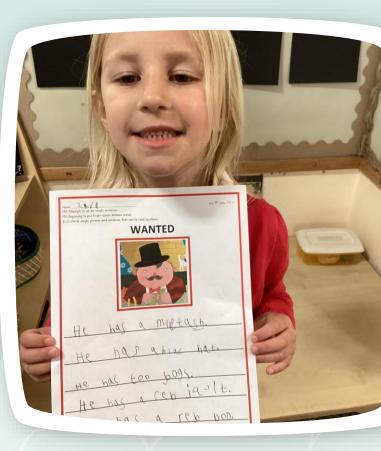
Best Version of Ourselves



Our Christian values are core in achieving this

- Kindness
- ✤ Honesty
- Faithfulness
- Love
- Forgiveness





Each day the children start on Ready to Learn.

Making good choices and working hard to be the best version – this will enable them to move up the chart. If your child struggles to make good choices they may have to move down the chart to warning or serious talk.

High Expectations



- We work hard to create an environment which makes life long learners
- Following children's interests
- Supporting enquiring minds
- Delivering a broad and balanced Curriculum







Focused on task with high levels of involvement

A happy relaxed atmosphere

Promoting self confidence and independence

Learning in EYFS

- Baseline finding out all about your child
- Curriculum Goals following a curriculum which will enable your child to thrive
- Love of Reading listening to stories, learning to read and sharing books.
- Mastery Maths maths is taught daily with a real practical approach to embed learning
- Talk a Lot Setting language and communication is key
- Outdoor Learning promoting risk takers who explore the world beyond the classroom









- Drawing Club
- Outdoor Learning
- Small World
- Water Play
- Celebrations at St
 Johns

Learning Adventures Begin

Morning Routine

- Whole Class Teach
- Continuous Provision
- Whole Class Teach

Afternoon Routine

- Whole Class Teach
- Continuous Provision
- Snack and Chat
- > End of the day Routine

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A Day in Reception









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Steps to starting school

Build your child's confidence so that they start school confident, curious and ready to learn

Access more great advice, tips and downloadable resources at pacey.org.uk/schoolready

I know when

to wash my

hands and can

wipe my nose

I can go to

the toilet,

wipe myself

properly and

flush unaided

I am happy to

be away from

my parents or

main carer



childcare and early years

Get your child ready

for their new routine

meal times to match those of the school day

by switching their

More top tips: I can follow instructions and understand the need to follow rules

I am able to

ask for help

I can use a

knife and fork and open my

lunch on my

own

I can button &

unbutton my

shirt, use a zip

and put on my

own shoes &

socks

I enjoy making

marks and

have practised

holding a

pencil

if I don't

feel well

bedtime

school

turns

I am able to

sit still and

listen for a

short while

things

Encourage your child * to explore new environments and interact with new people

- Talk to your child * about what they are most looking forward to at school
- Let your child practise putting their new school uniform on and taking it off
- And remember, every child is different and starts school with different abilities



School Uniform and PE Days.

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Water Bottles, school milk and book bags.

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Welly Wander and Forest School



Each week all the children go on a welly wander – this is within the school grounds exploring the immediate environment with often a focus on UTW.

Key times throughout the year Children will have an opportunity to go to Forest School.









Children will belong to a class.

Staff who can support

Administration Team

- Class teachers
- Senior Leader





The Adventure Begins...



Time to collect your pack and we look forward to seeing you all at the stay and play sessions.