



Welcome



to

Capel le Ferne Primary



This is my new school



Your new class is called the Honeybees class!



I will wear a uniform to school.

I will also have a school bag.



I will have some new teachers who will teach the class and look after me.

My new teacher
is

Mrs Clarke



My teaching assistants are
Mrs Partridge

Miss Greenwood



My new head
teacher is

Mr Metcalfe



**This is the cloak room where I hang up my coat on my peg,
put my book bag and water bottle in the box.**



I can also borrow a library book from school every Friday if I like to read at home.



This is our daily routine chart that will show me what we are doing today.



Inside our classroom



Maths



Imaginative



Dolls house and calm den



Small world



Role play area



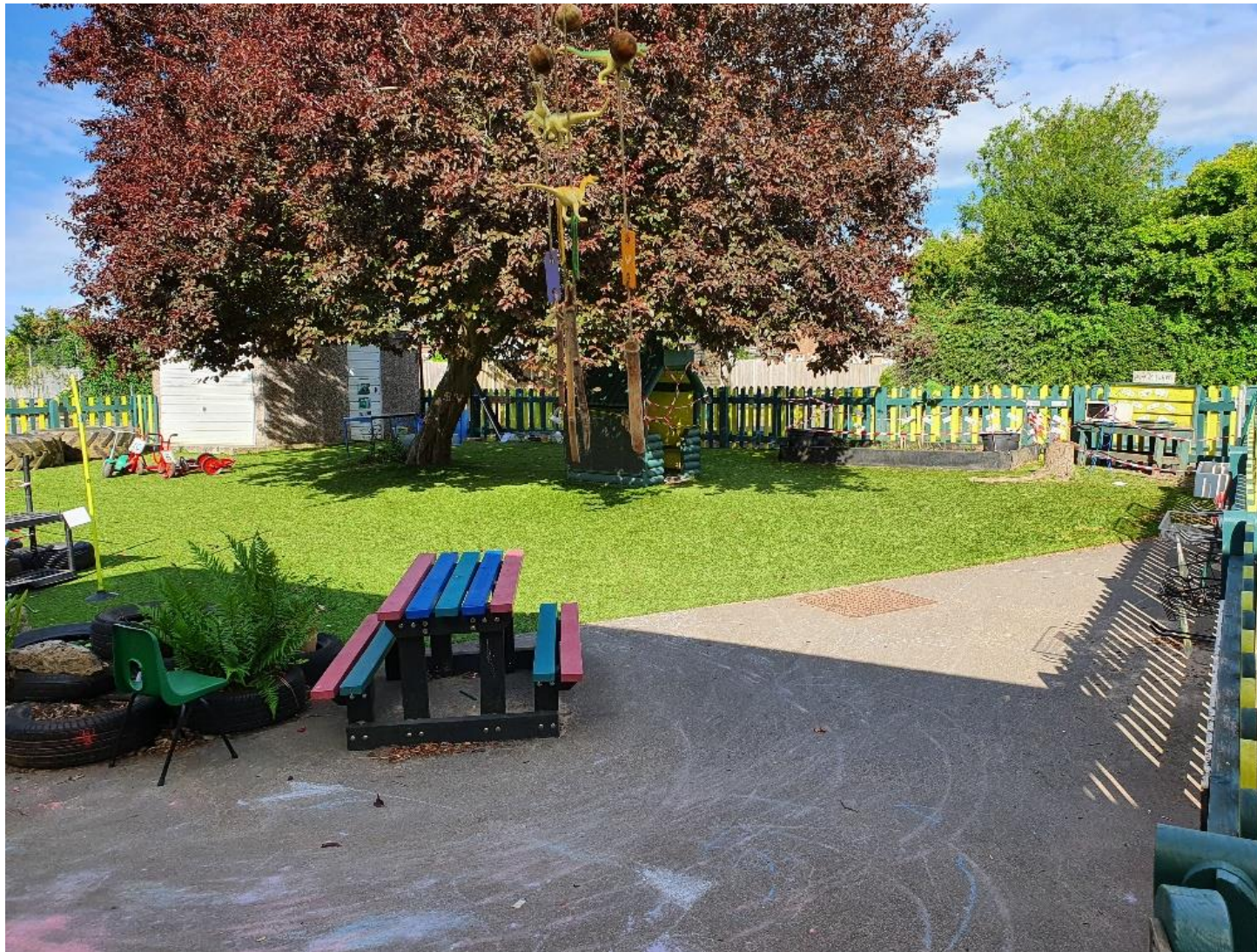
Writing



Art

Workshop

This is our outside classroom.



These are our toilets.



This is where we wash our hands.



We play in the big playground at break time and after lunch.



We eat our lunch in the hall with some of the bigger children from Year 1&2.



This is where we will do PE too after Christmas. PE is really fun with Mr Hunnisett.

**Mrs Atkins (right) and Mrs Goldsack (left) work in the Office.
If I hurt myself or feel sick they will help me.**



At the end of the day, my family will pick me up and be happy
to see me 😊

[Please add a smiling family picture of who will collect me.]



My school day

The school day starts at... 8.45am

Lunch time is at... 11.50am

The school day finishes at... 3.00pm





My school day

My day will consist of adult directed activities and child initiated play

8:45 – Children arrive

8:50 – Registration/ wake up shake up

9:00 – Phonics

9:20 – Child Initiated play (inside&outside)

10:10 –Tidy up time and hand washing

10:20– Snack and break time play

10.35-Maths then inside child initiated play

11.20am – Tidy up time and story

11.50am – Lunch

1:00pm –Teacher time

1:25-Child Initiated play (inside&outside)

2:20 –Tidy up time

2.35pm– Story or singing

3.00pm- Home time





What I need to bring



A named book bag



A named water
bottle



A named fruit snack
if bringing own.

*All children can
have fruit provided
by the School*

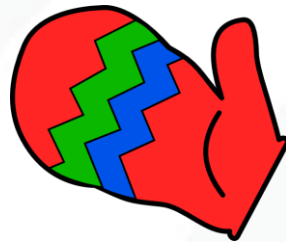


Wellington boots
which can be left at
school



What I need to bring

In **winter** you
might need these



In **summer** you
might need these.



Please bring a **named**
waterproof coat
everyday as we go
outside rain or shine
every day!



Information for Parents

The Foundation Stage curriculum is taught through a mixture of teacher directed learning and child initiated activities. During child initiated times, children's learning is developed through questioning and challenges set by the teacher and the exploration resources. Children's individual progress is closely monitored through observations and assessment and their next steps are planned for individually, allowing every child to progress at their own rate.

Mornings

Children arrive at 8.45am. For most children it is helpful, at first, if an adult helps them to organise themselves and take their belongings to the cloakroom (Covid rules permitting). Mrs Clarke will be there to reassure any anxious children. Please help the teachers by leaving promptly once your child is settled. Mornings are a busy time, so please wait until after school to speak to the teacher if it is not urgent.

Home-Time

Please collect your child at 3pm from outside the classroom by lining up along the fence where each child will be dismissed by the teaching staff (Covid rules permitting).

If you need to speak to Mrs Clarke, please wait until after all of the children have been dismissed.

Snacks- We place a great emphasis on the importance of healthy eating at Capel-Ferne Primary School and each child is provided with a daily piece of fruit and milk is also available until children's 5th birthday. Alternatively your child can bring in their own fruit or vegetable in a named bag/box for their morning playtime snack.

Lunch -Children in Early Years and Key Stage One are currently entitled to a school meal each day, which is free of charge. However, we do ask that all parents also complete the form regarding possible Free School Meal entitlement. If you are eligible for this, your child will receive a free school meal throughout their time at school, not just in Key Stage One. This also generates funding, known as the Pupil Premium, which is used to support your child's learning.

We are happy for pupils to bring in a packed lunch if they prefer, and all our pupils sit together in the hall when having lunch.

Clothing

It is vital that **all** items of clothing are named. Please encourage your child to learn to dress independently for example being able to put on and zip up their own coat, take off jumpers, putting on socks and shoes. Please let the teaching staff know if your child needs reminding to go to the toilet and provide spare clothes for your child (if they are prone to accidents) in their bag.

You may wish to provide a spare change of clothes anyway as we like to go out in all weathers and sometimes might get wet so a change of clothes including socks are always handy to have at school.

Wow Books and Communication - Your child will bring home a "Wow" book every Friday and your child can draw pictures, add photos [with help] or write about what they have been up to at home; a bit like the journal. Your child's Wow Book will also contain their weekly homework. Please have a go at this, as it is a great way to reinforce what your child has been learning about at school that week. If your child will be going to after school club a lot, and you would like to have a home to school contact record, please let Mrs Clarke know. In addition please regularly check your child's book bag or reading diary for any handwritten notes.

Sight words -Your child will be given 5 sight words once they have settled in. These words are a few of the 45 high frequency words your child will need to know by the end of Reception. Some of these words can be blended but most are irregular and just need to be remembered. Each week we will work with your child to see which words they have remembered and give them new ones. Please ensure these are put in book bags **every day**.

Reading- After the first half term when the children are settled we will begin phonics. When your child recognises 20 letter sounds and has begun to blend sounds together they will begin to take home reading books. A good aim for parents is to read with your child at least 3 times a week. The reading books will be changed every Wednesday and Friday so please ensure they are sent in and that you comment frequently in your child's yellow reading diary. Your child's reading diary or "Wow" book can also be used to communicate with us.

Young children are often tired at the end of the day. There are many new routines and social activities to adjust to, so they do need time to relax when they get home. Please don't worry if they too tired to read, just write a note in their reading diary. Five minutes of shared reading can be quite enough to begin with.

The things we do

Here are some of the things we do in school.....



Drawing



Bikes



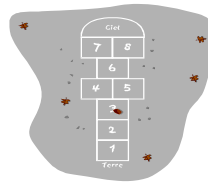
Painting



ICT



Growing



Playtime games



Music



Number work



Letter games



Construction



Sand & Water