

Home Reading

Every week, your child will choose a book to take home. Please share the book with your child, talk & read the story from the pictures and encourage him/her to talk about the book. Please then make a comment about it in the reading log. This will help to develop your child's talking, listening and reading skills.



Attendance

Please ensure that your child attends school every day and is on time, except when he/she is ill. We have a waiting list for new pupils, therefore if your son/daughter's attendance is poor, you may be asked to withdraw your child to allow others to attend.



The Parks Academy uniform

- * Grey or black trousers or skirt
- * White t-shirt
- * Red jumper or cardigan

Please put write your child's name inside every item of clothing. Jackets, jumpers, hats etc.

Children are not permitted to wear jewellery.



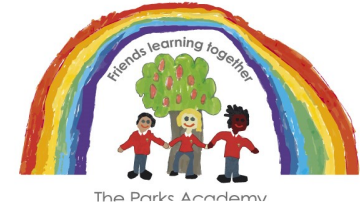
Behaviour Policy

The Parks use a traffic light system to encourage good or 'green' behaviour. Children are expected to show 'green' behaviours throughout their learning.



The Parks Academy rules

- * Treat others with kindness and respect
- * Look after people and property
- * Make sensible choices and follow instructions
- * Be in the right place, at the right time, doing the right thing



Foundation Stage

Information for parents and carers



The Parks Academy

Tel: 01482 854616

The Staff

Mrs Freeman -Co-ordinator & F2 Teacher

F1—Nursery

Mrs Jo Bemrose-Senior practitioner

Mrs Tina Kerry-Senior practitioner

Mrs Lynn Christiansen- Nursery Nurse

F2—Reception

Mrs Morgan Lydon-Teacher

Mrs Kerry Renwick-Nursery Nurse

Miss Kayleigh Cooper-Nursery Nurse

Mrs Liesa Hicks-Nursery Nurse

One member of staff will be assigned to your child as his/her **keyworker**.

Parents can review their child's progress regularly and contribute to their child's records and assessments. We encourage this during our 'Stay and Play' sessions.



F1 Session Times

AM session: 8.30—11.30am

PM session: 12.15—3-15pm



If someone other than yourself is collecting your child from school, you must inform a member of staff beforehand. Children must be brought and collected by a responsible adult over the age of 16.

If your child is ill, please inform a member of staff or telephone the school.

If he/she has an upset stomach, please keep them at home for at least 48 hours afterwards.



When you child starts F1 he/she should be able to:

- Recognise his/her own clothes and shoes.
- Dress and undress with very little help.
- Use the toilet independently.
- Wash and dry hands.

Supporting your child at home

- Ask your child what he/she has been doing at school.
- Share books with your child.
- Encourage your child to use pencils/crayons/pens for drawing.
- Talk to your child, introduce new words and answer their questions.
- Help your child to recognise shapes, colours, numbers and words on food packets and in advertisements.
- Write your child's name and help him/her to recognise it.
- Introduce counting during cooking or shopping activities.
- Let your child enjoy and create his/her own songs, music and rhymes.
- Provide opportunities for your child to run, climb & chase.
- Encourage your child to have quiet times where you listen to sounds in the environment and talk about them.



If you have any concerns about anything school or home related, please do not hesitate to contact your child's key worker or Mrs Freeman to discuss. We will endeavor to help with everything or can certainly signpost parents/carer to local support networks.

Lets work together to provide your child with the best possible start to their educational journey!