

# Welcome to Holbrook Primary School



# HOLBROOK VISION OUR SCHOOL, OUR COMMUNITY, OUR FUTURE OUR JOURNEY TO SUCCESS WORKING TOGETHER TO BE THE BEST!

The pupils say...

We Believe in ourselves and are confident learners We are Enthusiastic in our learning and show our engagement in all that we do, enjoying the challenge that is offered to us!

We Stick at our learning, building skills of perseverance and a determination to succeed,

We focus on our Targets, set our aspirations high and are proud of our achievements

## **Our School Times**

School Doors Open: 8.40am

School Doors Close & Registration: 8.50am

Breaktime: Mid -Morning

Lunchtime: 12.00pm - 12.50pm

Reception Lunchtime: 12.30pm-1.30pm

Afternoon Registration: 12.50pm

School End Time: 3.20pm

## **Nursery Times**

Nursery (AM) 8.40am-11.40am Nursery (PM) 12.20pm-3.20pm



#### **School Uniform**

- ► White polo shirt
- ▶ Blue sweatshirt/Blue cardigan
- Grey skirt or pinafore dress
- Grey tights for girls
- Grey/Black trousers
- Black shoes (NO LACES FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN)
- Book Bag

Items with the school logo are Available at: <a href="https://www.catballou.co.uk">www.catballou.co.uk</a> or instore
1-3 The Burges, Coventry, CV1 1HN

#### **PE Kit**

- Black T shirt
- Black sweatshirt
- ▶ Black Shorts or tracksuit bottoms
- ► A pair of pumps /trainers (not laces) when requested
- Named pump bag to hold PE Kit in.

Some of the items (with the school logo) can be purchased online or in store from Cat Ballou.

\*Please name all items of school uniform



## Lunchtimes

Our school menus run on a 3-week rotation and change twice a year.

The school provides a free school meal for every child in Reception, Yr1 and Yr2. In Years 3-6 you will be required to pay for school meals which is £2.10 a day or provide your child with a packed lunch. If you are entitled to Free school meals, you will need to complete a FSM form online or collect a form from our school office.

## **Breakfast Club**

This is an onsite provision and can accommodate children for breakfast from 8:00am. A form from the school office will be required subject to availability.

# Afterschool Clubs

We offer afterschool clubs each term. On Monday's, Wednesday's Thursday's and Friday's. There are no afterschool clubs on TUESDAYS. To sign your child up to an afterschool club you will need the My Child At School App, with limited places available.

## **Attendance & Punctuality**

It is very important that your child attends school every day to ensure that they have the BEST start to their education.

Short absences can impact children's learning and late arrivals can be disruptive.

If your child is ill or has a medical appointment to see a specialist, then proof of absence is required.

Holbrook Primary do not authorise term time holidays. Any absence other than illness must be discussed with Mrs Bills (Headteacher).

## Reporting your Child's Absence (Options)

- If your child is going to be absent from school, please contact the school office on
   02476688947 and select option 1 leaving your child's name, class and reason for absence.
   "We cannot accept not well, or they are ill."
- Email the school office on admin@holbrook.coventry.sch.uk

Study Bugs App



My Child At School App



#### **Parental Involvement**

We believe in building positive relationships between home and school keeping you informed of what's happening in school. A whole school newsletter is emailed to all parents every Friday and a curriculum leaflet is also emailed to inform you of the topics your child will be covering each term.

We have parent's evenings twice a year the first one is in the Autumn term to enable you to have a meeting with your class teacher.



Class Dojo App is used in each class to share photos, videos, and information. You can use it help your child. Your child will

become a member of the class. It is a private group that requires a code to access from your child's class teacher.

## My Child At School App





At times you may be required to make payments to the school such as school trips, dinner money, afterschool clubs. As we are a cashless school you will be required to make any payments via the My Child At School App (MCAS). Once your child has started, you will need to come to the school office and then receive an email to register for the app.

The My Child At School app also allows you to book parents evening appointments, monitor your child's attendance, view up and coming trips and afterschool club information.

If you have multiple children within the school, you will be able to view each child via the drop down box.

#### **Our Curriculum**

We offer all children a curriculum that is creative, exciting and one that draws on all aspects of our environment.

## **Our Extensive School Grounds**

We are fortunate and very proud of our extensive school grounds that support and facilitate learning outside the classroom. Allowing children to benefit from a variety of experiences outdoors.

Children regularly visit our forest, pond and gardening area during their learning time, enhancing and providing real life experiences.

We like the community to benefit too, the Summer Fayre is a popular event, bringing parents and families together, sharing picnics and being able to take advantage of the vast green land that we have.





