

Nurture, Inspire, Flourish

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Dear Parents/Carers,

A very warm welcome from us in Team 3!

I can't wait to teach and support your children as they make the step up into KS2. I have worked in Team 3 for three years now and I am super excited to start children off on their KS2 journey again this year.

PPA time for me will be on Tuesday morning and covered by Mrs Caroe doing art/DT.

A little about us...

The children will be familiar with me from seeing me around school, at events and assemblies. In my spare time, I enjoy swimming, spending time with family and walking my three lovely dogs.

Miss Jessop recently joined our Miller family last year and has been at the school working with me in Team 3. Miss Jessop is a Miller mum so knows our school community very well, having previously taught in a school for children with additional needs. When Miss Jessop isn't making fantastic resources for us all, she likes to find time to do baking, sampling different sweet treats at coffee shops, going for walks and visiting extended family.

Miss Simpson (previously a TA in reception) will also be joining us for a lot of the year as she is training to be a teacher. We know she will be absolutely fantastic and can't wait to support her on her journey.

Please feel free to come and ask any questions or share any concerns at any time.



Miss Morris
Teacher



Miss Jessop
Assistant

A typical day in Team 3...

8.30-8.50am	Morning challenges and register	1:15 pm	Register, happy breathing and class read
8.55am	Reading and Spelling or Ready Steady Read (dependent on learning needs)	1.20pm	Handwriting, DEAR time and topic learning- science, PE, French, music, computing, RE, Myhappymind, PSHE, circle time, history, geography, art, DT
9.50am	Snack	3.10pm	Tidy up
10.00am	English	3.15pm	Home time
11:05am	Break		
11.20am	Maths		
12.20pm	Lunch		



Our PE day will be a **Wednesday**. In a change from KS1, children will **come into school in their PE kit** each Wednesday. Children should wear black PE shorts/black jogging bottoms, a school PE top/plain white top and trainers. They can wear their school jumper/cardigan as normal.



Expectations for home learning...

Reading has a huge impact on children's learning. Therefore, children are expected to **read for 10 minutes, 5 times a week at home** and to record this in their reading record. Please let us know by writing in their reading record when your children has finished their book after having read it twice.

Your child will have a multiplication check at the end of Team 4. To prepare for this and better their mathematical skills, your child now has a TT Rockstar login that they can access for free at home.



Reading records and colour coded books should be brought into school every day. These will be changed regularly. Once your child has filled their reading record, we kindly ask that they bring a small notebook into school to use instead.

A link to home learning will be sent out every half-term and can also be found on our class page of the school's website. This includes some spelling and maths to complete as well as some suggestions for reading and practical activities.

Exciting things ahead...

We have lots of exciting things planned for our curriculum this year including a fantastic enterprise project at Christmas in which we run our very own Christmas markets, trips back in time to experience life in the Stone Age, workshops about the amazing inventions of the Ancient Egyptians and much more. To find out more about our curriculum, please visit our class page on the school website.

Once again, please do feel free to get in touch. We are always here to help in whatever way we can. My email address is megan.morris@hornsmill.cheshire.sch.uk.

We're looking forward to a brilliant year!

Kind Regards,
Miss Morris.