



## Welcome to



Growing together, Learning together, Achieving together



## Staff in year 3

- Class Teachers in Year 3
  - Mr Rowland Ash Class
  - Mrs Cowley Oak Class
- Teaching Assistants
  - Ash class Mrs Salam
  - Oak class Mrs Hewitt
- Deputy Headteachers
  - Mrs Carr (Also Lead Thrive Practitioner and Pupil Premium Lead)
- Special Needs Coordinator
  - Miss Daykin
- School Business Manager
  - Mrs Ashby
- Office Staff
  - Mrs Batty (Mornings) & Mrs Rutter (Afternoons)



## Forest Schools

- One member of staff leading Ms Hayes (Qualified)
- All children in school have a weekly session
- Sessions take place during afternoon mainly in school grounds
- Use skills outside problem solving, social skills and confidence building
- Encourage and inspire through outdoor play and learning in a woodland environment









## Thriving at Hallam Fields



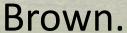
At Hallam Fields Junior School we use the 'Thrive Approach' with all of our children to develop healthy, happy, confident children who are ready and open to learning

- This involves
- -Understanding children's behaviour as a way of communicating their emotions
- -Using language carefully to develop their stress regulation systems
- -1 to 1 work to target individual children's social and emotional development
- -Whole class work to develop relationships and give opportunities for new experiences

## Families Thriving at Hallam Fields

We also run a programme called Family Thrive where you can learn about the Thrive approach and take away some ideas of how to deal with tricky behaviours at home.

If you have any questions about any of our Thrive work in school please just ask Mrs Carr or Mr









# How it might look in some of our children and how we deal with them

- Sometimes some children may be struggling to regulate
- They may need supporting in a different way towards when you were at school
- What you won't see is someone shouting at them
  - It may appear that there is no 'consequence'
- What is really happening is we are helping the child to regulate and then when they can access their thinking part of the brain we will help them to look at their behaviour





Thrive Ambassador School with Excellence in Relationship 2022



Thrive Ambassador School with Excellence in Right-time 2023





Reading at Hallam Fields

## Accelerated Reader

- Accelerated Reader
  - Children are tested and given a level ZPD
  - Read book
  - Carry out a quiz about the book on an iPad or computer



## Active Reading Skills

### Key words and phrases

Immediately is an important word here—it tells me that she is excited about playing hide and seek and not afraid to go in.

## Background Knowledge

I hid in a wardrobe in the dark once so I understand what it feels like and why she has her arms stretched out in front of her.

### Visualisation

I can picture her rubbing her face against the coats and imagine what it felt and looked like. I would do the same!

### The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrohe

The immediately stepped into the wardrobe and got in among the fur coats and rubbed her face against them, Seaving the door open, of course, because everyone knew it was foolish to shut eneself into a wardrobe. It was almost quite dark in there and she kept her arms stretched out in front of her so as not to bump her face into the back of the wardrobe.

### Breakdown

Why is it foolish to shut oneself into a wardrobe? What does oneself mean here?

This must be a simply enormous wardrobe!" thought Lucy, going still further in and pushing the soft folds of the coats aside. The next moment she noticed that what was rubbing against her face was no longer soft fur coats but something hard and rough and even prickly. Then she realised that there was something crunching under her feet, but instead of the smooth wood of the floor of the wardrobe, she felt something soft and powdery and extremely cold.

I wonder what it is? Wardrobes don't usually have rough and prickly things hanging up so I wonder if something has changed.

Prediction

### Make connections

There are key words here. I think snow is soft and powdery and extremely cold and it crunches. She must be in a different world. The wardrobe is magic.

Oh, I have re read and checked again and I think oneself must be an old fashioned word for yourself as that word would fit in the context here.

## School Clubs

Various clubs throughout the year; Sports clubs, Cookery club

Clay Creators, Lego

Reading club

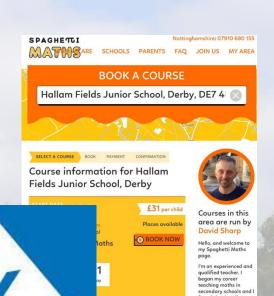
Music

Choir

Rock Steady









## Pupil leaders

- Junior leadership team
- Eco Council
- Mental Health Ambassadors
- Maths Ambassadors
- Reading Ambassadors
- i-Vengers (Online Safety)









**Child Friendly Policies** Child Friendly Anti-Bullying Child Friendly Complaints Child Friendly Peer on Peer Abuse Child Friendly Safeguarding









### Child Friendly Safeguarding Policy

- We teach you how to recognise risks and dangers in different situation and how to protect yourself and stay safe.
- All of the adults around you really care and think that your health, safety
- In our school, we respect you and help to protect your rights.
- We do our best to help you make progress in your learning.
- We provide a safe environment for you to learn in; we want to help you stay safe at home and school; it's important that you know where to go to

Need to talk? You can talk to any adult in school, we are here to help you and will listen to all of your concerns. There is also a special phone number called Childline; they listen to worries too



These are the people in school who look after safeguarding who I can talk to and will be able to belo me as well as staff in my classroom











Working Together

## What we ask from you

- Reinforce behaviour and standards we expect at school (including on the way to and from school)
- Support your child with their <u>homework</u>

Want the same for your child as we do

 Please remember the summer holidays are a long break ... times tables and reading as well as some fun things to do together

## Behaviour and Rewards



### **SCHOOL GOLDEN RULES**

- · We will be kind, friendly and helpful
- · We will respect other children, adults and their property
- · We will take good care of the equipment, buildings and grounds
  - · We will be polite and use good manners
  - We will walk on the paths and inside the building on the left (where possible)
    - · We will work hard and try our best
    - · We will respect other people and their right to learn.







## Behaviour at Hallam Fields



You are showing us

good behaviour

### This could be

For trying hard-showing effort
Having brain switched on
Listening well
Looking at person speaking
Being Focused
Good manners, being polite or helpful
Helping others or working well
together
Being kind and caring

### How you will know it is good

A smile Headteacher's award
Thumbs up Note home
Merits and merit certificates Text home
Token Good behaviour certificate
Postcards home Star of the week certificate
Treehouse Sessions Class awards—star of day etc
Stickers Comments in your book



Your behaviour is not as good as we expect

### This could be

Talking / disrupting in class

Being nasty to others

Inappropriate language

Lying and not telling the truth

Throwing things at break or lunchtimes

Being somewhere you know you're not

meant to be

Not showing effort in your work

Using racial or homophobic language

(without understanding fully)

### How you will know it is not good

Telling you

A look to question your behaviour
A warning using the class system
An adult talking to you
Name on board
Reminder of your choices and
consequences

### The consequences may be

Being moved in the class
Losing part of your break
Record of your behaviour
Sent to another class to work
Parents being told about your
behaviour

Writing an apology letter

Reflect on behaviour form (sent to Mr

Brown)



Your behaviour is not acceptable

### This could be

Hitting / kicking / hurting someone
Being nasty repeatedly
Fighting
Using racial or homophobic language
Repeated disruption in class
(after being warned)
Being rude to staff
Damaging school property on purpose
Stealing
Refusing to do what told

Repeatedly Swearing

Not improving behaviour after warnings

### How you will know it is not acceptable An adult talking to you

Sent straight to Mrs Carr, Mrs Sibley or Mr Brown Given time to reflect and think about behaviour Told missing breaks / lunchtime

### The consequences

Missing break to reflect on behaviour
Behaviour report (sent home daily)
Detention—during lunchtime
Detention—after school
Jobs to help repay in school
Meeting with parents and Mr Brown
Exclusion

## Homework

Reading

**Spellings** 



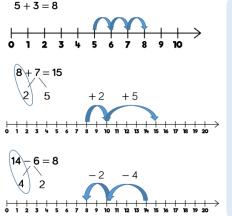
## **Times Tables**

- By end of year 2 should know 2, 5 and 10 times table
- By end of year 3 should know 3, 4 and 8 times tables
- By end of year 4 should know all times table up to 12 x
   12

### http://www.hallamfields.derbyshire.sch.uk/policies

#### **POLICIES** Safeguarding / Health and Safety Policies **Curriculum Policies** Calculations Policy + / Child Protection and Safequarding Policy Addendum (During Covid-19) Annex A (During Covid-19) Collective Worship Policy Children Missing in Education Policy Homework Policy Literacy Policy Lockdown lens (During Covid-19) Looked After Child (LAC) RSHE / PSHE Policy Year 1 - 6 Health & Safety Policy RSHE/PSHE Long Term Plan Online Safety Policy SEN, Inclusion, Equality and Diversity **Calculation Policy** Sun Safe Policy Sun Safe Information Equal Opportunities Sun Safe Letter Equality Information and Objectives Policy Addition and Subtraction Behaviour and Anti-Bullying Policies Special Educational Needs Policy Anti-Bullving Policy Behaviour at Hallam Fields **Exclusion Policy** Admission & Attendance Policies Admission Arrangements Using computers Policies #MathsEveryoneCan Acceptable Use Policy Attendance Newsletter ICT and Disaster Recovery Plan Attendance - Penalty Advice for Parents Health & Medicines Policies **Child Friendly Policies** Administration of Medicines Child Friendly Anti-Bullving White **Røse** Maths

### Number Lines (labelled)



### **Benefits**

Labelled number lines support children in their understanding of addition and subtraction as augmentation and reduction.

Children can start by counting on or back in ones, up or down the number line. This skill links directly to the use of the number track.

Progressing further, children can add numbers by jumping to the nearest 10 and then jumping to the total. This links to the making 10 method which can also be supported by ten frames. The smaller number is partitioned to support children to make a number bond to 10 and to then add on the remaining part.

Children can subtract numbers by firstly jumping to the nearest 10. Again, this can be supported by ten frames so children can see how they partition the smaller number into the two separate jumps.

### Notes and Guidance

### **Calculation Policy**

Welcome to the White Rose Maths Calculation Policy.

This document is broken down into addition and subtraction, and multiplication and division.

At the start of each policy, there is an overview of the different models and images that can support the teaching of different concepts. These provide explanations of the benefits of using the models and show the links between different operations.

Each operation is then broken down into skills and each skill has a dedicated page showing the different models and images that could be used to effectively teach that concept.



## Policies

### http://www.hallamfields.derbyshire.sch.uk/curriculum



#### Hallam Fields Junior School - Curriculum Overview - PE

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 3	Sports Hall Athletics	<u>Multi-skills</u>	Gymnastics	Mini Muay Thai	Egyptian Dance	Kwik Cricke
	<u>Football</u>	<u>Handball</u>	<u>Dodgeball</u>	Outdoor Adventure	Athletics	<u>Tennis</u>
Year 4	Self Defence	Leadership	Yoga	<u>Fitness</u>	Romans Dance	Basketball
	Tag Rugby	<u>Netball</u>	<u>Tennis</u>	Quicksticks	Athletics	Rounders
Year 5	Basketball	Quicksticks	Swimming	Handball	Swimming	Greatest Show
	<u>Yoga</u>	<u>Football</u>	Kwik Cricket	<u>Dodgeball</u>	Athletics	<u>Tennis</u>
Year 6	<u>Multi-skills</u>	Swimming	<u>Leadership</u>	<u>Basketball</u>	Fitness	World War 2 Dance
	<u>Netball</u>	Tag Rugby	<u>Tennis</u>	Outdoor Adventure	Athletics	<u>Rounders</u>

Outdoor PE Session

#### Thrive/ P.S.H.E

Our PSHE topic is Bullying Matters—we explore different types of bullying and what we can do to prevent bullying including cyber bullying. In Thrive we begin to teach the children independent learning skills such as not being afraid to make mistakes. We use growth mindset and other classroom displays as support. We look at resilience, the power of yet and how to cope with changes. We spend a lot of time connecting with each other and working cooperatively together as well as understanding the need for rules at our school.

#### **British Values**

As we are focusing on transition, children look at the meaning of respect and how they can show respect in their daily lives. We discuss rules and consequences using the school behaviour chart. We explore what a Democracy is and how it works as ghildren vote for their class representative for various roles including school council.

#### Key Texts / Literacy

Our class book during this term is littlenose. This forms the basis of our English lessons. We work on capital letter and full stopuse and secure basic spelling and high frequency words. We are introduced to the Active Reading skills and Acceler steef Reader system and we read daily every day throughout the year. We set up our weekly spelling work for the year. In Rahbow Grammar, we spell this tigent readpaing skills that were covered during key stage I such as subject; preducate and coordinating conjunctions, We then look to apply these in descriptive writting, retelling and structuring of chapters and instructional writing.

### Art / Music / DT

Art—Children focus on sketching skills. They apply these to creating cave paintings using different materials.

DT—Children create their own fossil imprints.

Music—Children use the Lutiences story as a stimulus and consider repeated rhythm patterns.

#### Maths

Children build on place value, addition and subtraction, problem solving and reasoning skills from KS1. They practise their times tables using Times Table Rockstars all year.

### Safeguarding

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### Year 3—Autumn Term 1

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### Derbyshire

We begin by teaching the children about teamwork and how to win and lose gracefully. We follow different dance routines in dance and learn ball skills in football.

#### Humanities

Geography—we look at maps of the UK to find Derbyshire and consider the differences between countries and counties. History—we look at how we find out information about the past and look into local archaeological digs to find out more, about the history of our local area. To aid the children's chronological understanding, we learn about the journey from the Stone Age to the tron age and learn about the changes that happened during that time period. We make Stone Age objects in forest school.

### **Audience / Community**

We use information from local archaeology digs as a stimulus for many of our lessons. We have a visit from the local police if possible to discuss road safety with us.

#### **Key Skills**

During this term, we focus on teaching key skills such as self-worth and pride, respect for others, manners, independence and learning from mistakes as well as reading for meaning and map skills. We begin to teach the children about personal hygiene, washing hands tolerance and personal space in the classroom. We work on basic pencil grip and finger spaces when

#### ECO

During this term, children gain an understanding of the impact of mining and archaeology on the local area. They are also introduced to the school's co-code and things that they can do around school to help the environment.

### Computing

Children focus on how to use technology such as iPads, computers and the internet within school safely and sensibly. They begin to learn keyboard skills and return to it throughout the year.

#### Science

This term, our science topic is focused around rocks and fossils. Having an understanding of how fossils form helps the children with their knowledge of archaeology. They learn about how rocks play a part in how soil is formed. The children will also compare different rocks and look at the uses for each type of rock. They use this knowledge to explore which rocks were used for tools during the stone age.

Curriculum

### Word list - years 3 and 4

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knowledge learn length library material medicine mention minute natural naughty notice occasion(ally) often opposite ordinary particular peculiar perhaps popular position possess(ion) possible potatoes pressure probably

promise

purpose quarter question recent regular reign remember sentence separate special straight strange strength suppose surprise therefore though/although thought

through

various

weight

woman/women

## Rewards









## Communication

- Seesaw (Link to sign up will be sent)
- Newsletter / Weekly diary sheet
- Home School Diary
- Parents' evening Autumn and Spring term
- End of year report
- End of every day at gates with class staff
- Mornings Mr Brown, Mrs Carr and Mr Hussain on the gate



## Paying for things

- School Dinners
- Uniform
- Trips
- Discos
- Permissions



Will be issued with password and username to pay online – or if don't have internet access can pay at local shop via card / bar coded letters

Can link children to one account

## School Blogs

www.hallamfields.derbyshire.sch.uk



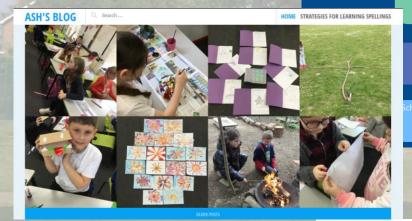
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http://ashhallamfields.wordpress.com/







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STRATEGIES FOR LEARNING SPELLINGS

## School Uniform

- White shirt, polo shirt or blouse
- Black or grey school trousers (not denim/leggings)
- Black or grey school skirt
- Navy or royal blue jumper, cardigan or school sweatshirt /cardigan
- Royal blue school fleece jacket
- Blue checked school summer dress
- Black or grey summer school shorts or culottes for girls
- Dark school shoes (flat)

https://just-schoolwear.co.uk/product-category/hallamfields-junior-school/ (Link on school website)

## PE Kit

- Black tracksuit bottoms, shorts or P.E. skirt
- White T-shirt (with or without logo)
- Plain black trainers
- Children should come to school in PE Kit on their
   PE Days
- Wear a normal school jumper, cardigan or fleece

over white t-shirt.



## Jewellery / Make up / Hair

- Children with pierced ears may wear <u>one pair of studs</u>
   (one in each ear). No other jewellery should be worn
   at school apart from a wristwatch.
- For P.E. lessons and swimming (y5), the children must remove their ear studs. Exceptions cannot be made for recently pierced ears.
  - Staff are not allowed to help remove ear studs or for children to wear tape.
- No make up, including nail varnish, is allowed at school.
- Hair colourings or styles including shaved patterns are not allowed.

## Dinners and Snacks

- School dinners are cooked and served daily on site
- Children can see what the menu is for the following day and order vegetarian option, pasta, jacket potato or sandwiches instead
- Don't have to stay all week
- Playtimes <u>healthy snacks</u> are allowed (No nuts please)



## Free School Dinners

- YOU ARE ELIGIBLE IF;
  - Universal Credit, provided you have an annual net earned income not exceeding £7,400 (£616.67 per month)
  - Income Support
  - Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
  - Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
  - support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
  - the guarantee element of State Pension Credit
  - Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190) as assessed by HMRC
  - Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- This year we have received £104,860 based on Free School Meal numbers.



# Transition Day and Week 1





## Transition Day

- Children should arrive for 9.00 am –
   Tuesday 4th July
- Children will meet with their class teacher before walking down to class.
- At the end of the day each class will walk out together at 3.30pm – up drive way

(New year 3 will be last)

 Please let children know who is collecting them.



## 1st Day

- School starts at 9.00 am Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup>
   September
- Line up on driveway Walk straight to class
- At the end of the day each class will walk out together – year 4 and 6 at 3.25pm and year 3 and 5 leave at 3.30pm
- Permission to walk in older year groups/ be collected





## First three days



- After a big change, like moving schools, children are not ready to start cognitive thinking so learning can be hard
- Our first week back at school in September will focus on relationships, and teamwork
- We want to allow our children the time that they need to make connections with their new class, teachers and peers

## If you have a problem....

Please call us, talk to us outside, email or come in

0115 9322568

headteacher@hallamfields.derbyshire.sch.uk enquiries@hallamfields.derbyshire.sch.uk



 Please don't just listen to your child's side, or use social media to sort a problem contact us to discuss it so we can try and sort any problems quickly.

## School Website

www.hallamfields.derbyshire.sch.uk



Twitter: @HallamFieldsJS
Or search on Facebook for us

## And Finally

- Class lists
- Visit your child's new class and meet staff
- Come and ask any individual questions

