



Holmer Lake Primary School

“Engage, Innovate and Succeed”

Welcome to Holmer Lake Primary School

2020



Holmer Lake's School Uniform

- ❖ White / light blue polo shirt
- ❖ School sweatshirt with logo or royal blue jumper/cardigan
- ❖ Grey trousers/ grey skirt/plain grey shorts
 - ❖ Blue / white dress
- ❖ White, black or grey socks or tights
 - ❖ Black shoes



Sweatshirts, cardigans, reading book bags, caps (baseball style), school coats and water bottles with the school emblem are available from the office.

P.E Kit

- ❖ Plain black shorts and plain white T-Shirt
- ❖ Black, Navy or Grey track suit for outdoor winter games.
- ❖ Training shoes suitable for outdoor games on the field and playground.
 - ❖ Long hair should be tied up in a bobble for PE.
- ❖ Children should be taught how to remove stud earrings for P.E.



The Teachers and Classrooms



We have two Reception classes, one of which also has some Year 1 children in it.

Mrs Millington and Mrs Nightingale are the adults who will teach us in class RM. Miss Cureton may teach some of us in R/1W.

Miss Ferguson, Mrs Brothwood, Mrs Newbrook and Mrs Kennedy are the Teaching Assistants that will also be working with us.



Mrs Millington



Mrs Nightingale



Miss Cureton



Mrs Brothwood



Miss Ferguson



Mrs Newbrook



Mrs Kennedy

The Start of Our Day

In the morning we come into our classroom with our parents or carers and they help settle us in. We hang our coats and bags up on our pegs.

We do Letters and Sounds every day in the morning.

We use Phonics Bug to support the whole class teaching. Children are given access to this to further develop their reading at home.

Children are given an appropriate book to match their development using the “Phonics Bug” reading programme.



What Will My Classroom Be Like?



This is a view of the Reception classroom



This is the view of the Reception / Year 1 class



This is our cosy reading area

Where Do I Put My Things?



We all have our own peg with our names on it. We hang our bags and coats on here.



We all have our own drawers where we can keep our things.

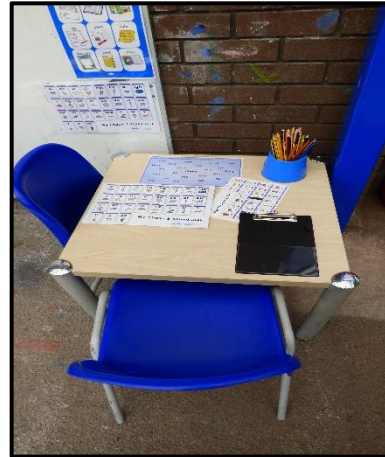


We have a box in our classroom where we put our lunch boxes, this can be found by our peg



We all have our own bottles of water to drink out of.

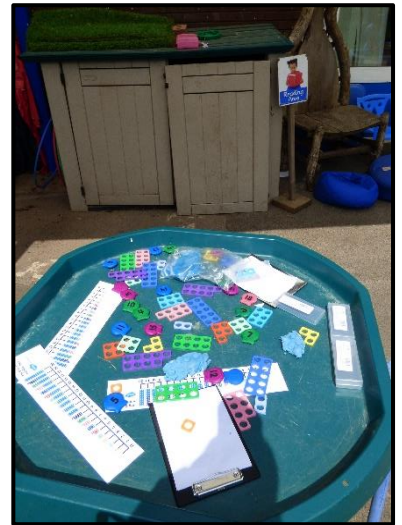
Outdoor Classroom Environment



This is our writing area.



This is our garden, mud kitchen and stage, in the outdoor learning area.

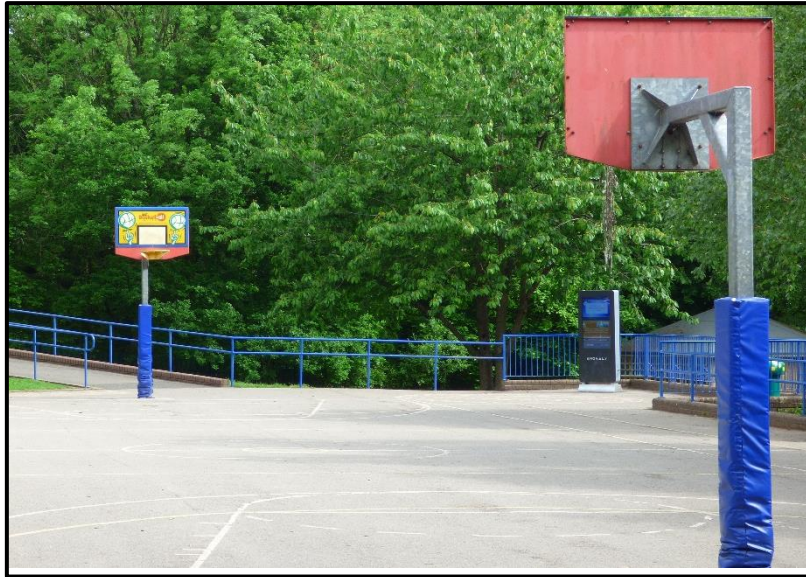


Our sand and water trays.



Each day we have new activities to help us with our learning.

The Playground



This is the top play ground where we all play at break and lunchtimes. We have two basketball hoops, and lots of equipment which we use to play with.



This is the gym area, which is at the bottom of the playground. We also have an outdoor classroom where we can do colouring, writing and reading, and join in with arts and crafts. There is a football pitch at the bottom of the playground.

We Line Up To Come into School After Playtimes



Lunch Time



We line up for our lunch in the hall, and choose from the trolley what we would like to eat. We sit and eat our lunch with our friends and staff members.

Staff Members You Will Meet at Holmer Lake Primary



Mr Demmerling
Acting Headteacher



Mrs Churm
School Business
Manager



Mrs Fisher
School Administrator



Miss Sheiraz
Clerical Assistant



Mrs Marchant
Catering Supervisor



Mr Towns
Caretaker

This is our school library where we can choose books to read and take home.



At Holmer Lake we use laptops and iPads to help with our learning.



If we are not feeling well or hurt ourselves, we always tell an adult and then we are taken to the first Aid room.



Dear Children,

Welcome to Holmer Lake Primary School .We would like to tell you about some things that go on at our school.

No matter who you are, everyone at Holmer Lake is treated the same and made to feel welcome. There is no need to be shy, you will always find a friend here.

Here at Holmer Lake, we have special lunches to celebrate special occasions throughout the year. All parents are invited to join us for our class lunch once a term. These are good times for us as children to enjoy. We have times when we can dress up and give donations to different charities.

At our school, we have many expectations, such as, showing respect. Children, and also adults, have to show respect to each other. We have a set of rules called the SMART code.

These rules are:

Speak politely and Listen Carefully

Make school enjoyable

Act safely

Respect one another

Tell someone your worries

Pupils at our school are given a voice. This could be being a member of Team Safeguarding, School Parliament, Eco- Club or being a Lunchtime Ambassador. School life for children is important, if you work hard you can achieve in life.

Yours sincerely,

On behalf of all pupils at Holmer Lake Primary School

We Have Lots of School Clubs at Holmer Lake

(please note not all clubs will be running from September 2020 – please see website)

At Holmer Lake we offer a wide range of extra-curricular clubs to extend children's knowledge and understanding and to improve their skills in a range of artistic, creative and sporting activities. We actively encourage every child to become a member of at least one club each year. For more information on our clubs check our school website, letters or ask at reception.

Holmer Lake Primary School runs a Breakfast and After-School Club during term time. Please note that we will be following Government guidelines and as such, Breakfast club and

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club runs from 8.00am until 8.45am. Children are provided with a healthy breakfast and are offered a range of activities until the start of the school day. The club costs £1.75 per day (£1.25 for pupils on Free School Meals). To book and pay for provision, you will need to do this through your Parent Pay account. You will be sent details on how to create one if you do not already have an account.

After School

After-School Club runs from 3.05 – 5.00pm. Parents can book a place for one hour or two hours or three hours. The cost is £2.75 per hour.

Supported homework club and reading

Snack

Physical activities



Range of age appropriate activities