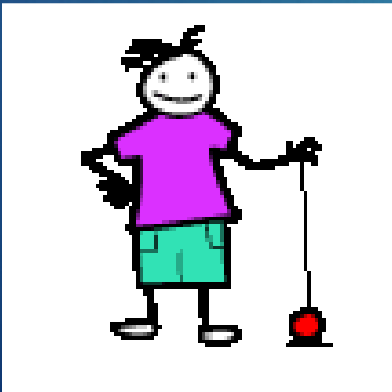




Welcome to Scraptoft Valley Primary School Meeting for Nursery Parents - 10th June



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Assistant Headteacher & SENCO: Miss C. Ledger

Foundation stage leader: Mrs T.Toon

Starting School DFE Video

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QmHQQ3wqyNXE>

Class teacher

Yellow Class



Miss Ayres

What is the EYFS?

The Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) is the stage of education for children from birth to the end of their reception year.



It is based on the recognition that children learn best through play and active learning.

7 areas of learning that are developed through provision and direct teaching.

Learning happens indoors and outdoors.



The 7 areas of learning

Prime Areas

(which are the foundation of all learning)

- Communication and Language - C&L
- Personal, Social and Emotional Development PSED
- Physical Development



Specific Areas

(which develop from the Prime Areas)

- Literacy
- Maths
- Understanding the World - UTW
- Expressive Arts and Design - EAD

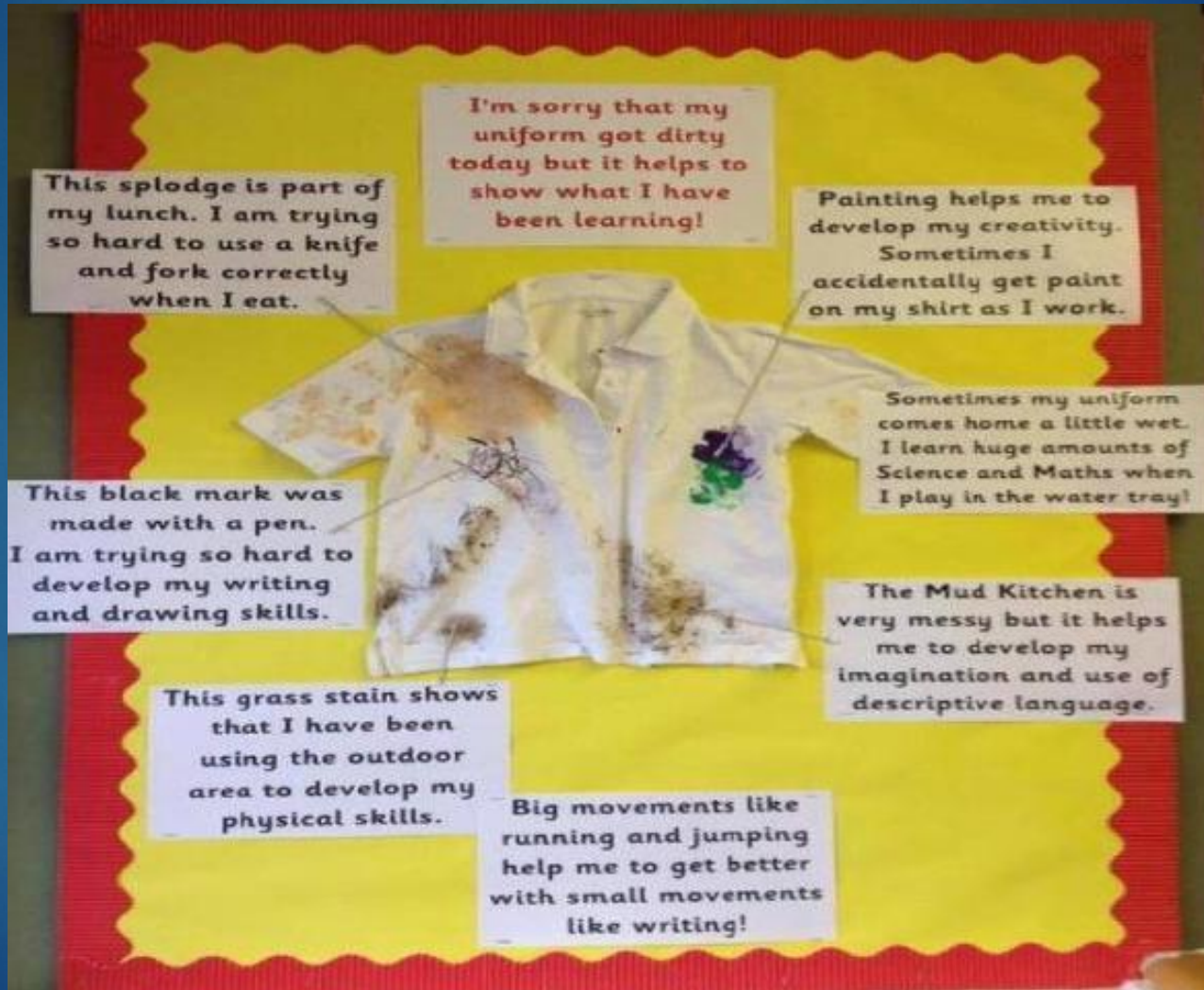


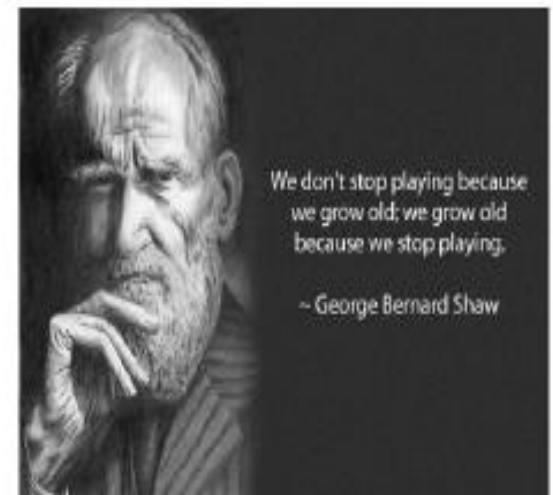
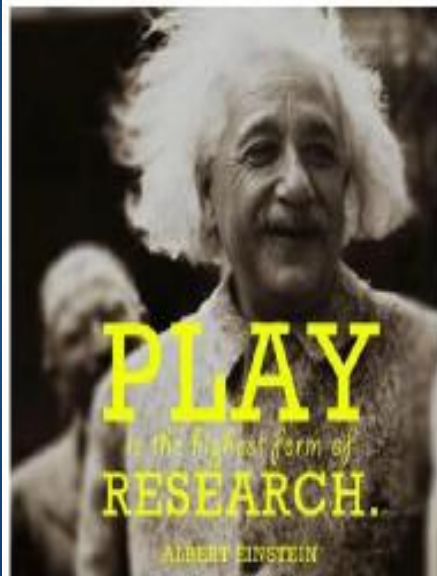
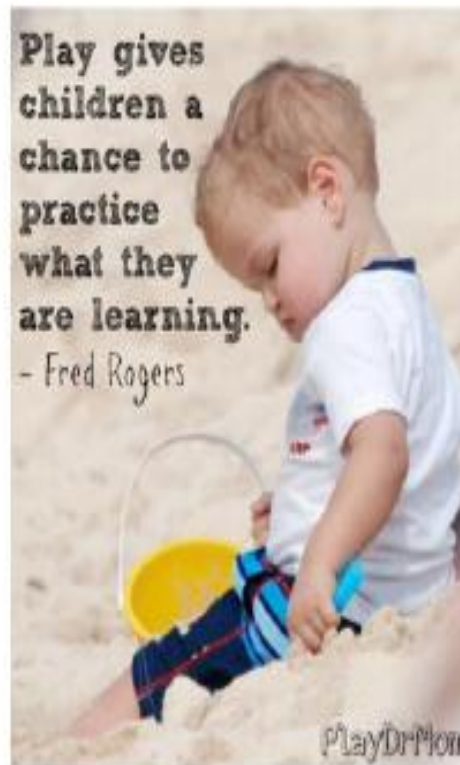
The EYFS curriculum

We teach the EYFS curriculum through play-based learning.



This is a good day!!





The school day

Adult input - short carpet sessions

- Dough Disco / Shake Our Sillies
- Phonics
- Maths
- Topic
- Story times

Adult led activities

- Linked to the inputs

Child initiated play

Children engaged in their own learning through exploring the classroom (provision)

Nursery times

All children aged 3 years old are entitled to 15 hours FREE nursery education per week. Some children are entitled to 30 hours FREE education per week - www.gov.co.uk

Please take siblings to their class before bringing your child to

Part Time hours Nursery.

Mornings - Mon - Fri 9am - 12pm

Monday/Tuesday 9.00am - 3.00pm, Wednesday 9.00am - 12.00pm

Full Time hours

Mon - Fri - 9am - 3pm



Doors will open at 8.45am.

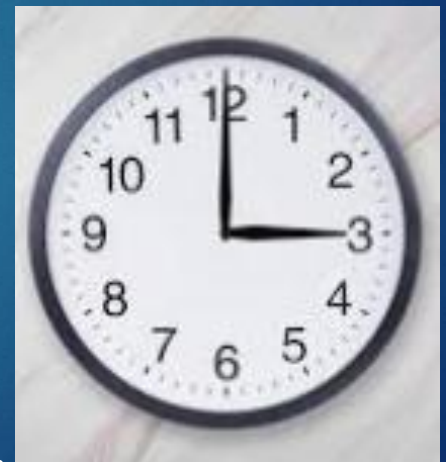
Please be prompt when dropping off and collecting your child.

Collecting your child

Children are to be collected from where they were dropped off. A responsible adult must collect your child.

The adult **must** be older than 16.

Please collect your child from Nursery before collecting siblings or they will be taken to the office.



Wrap around care

Breakfast club

7.45-8.55am

Breakfast provided

Drinks provided

Sports coaching

Play

£3.50

Teatime club

3.10-5pm

Snack provided

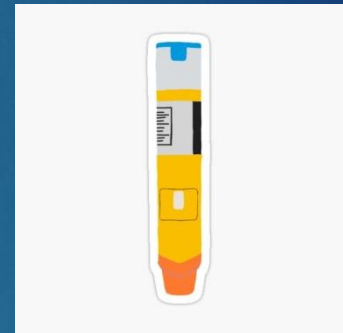
Drinks provided

Play

£4.50

Must be pre-booked and paid for by the Friday before.

Absences and Medical information



We are a nut free school.

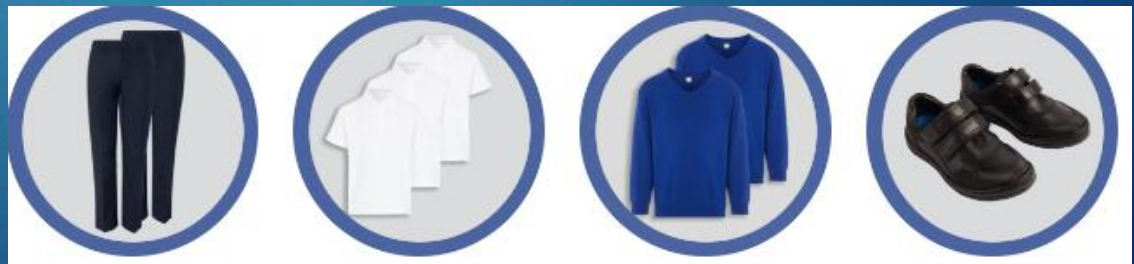
Please do not bring in any food that contains nuts - this includes Nutella spread and Bueno bars.

School clothes

School uniform must be worn every day.
Please make sure your child's clothes are labelled...if it is not labelled we will struggle to find it if it gets lost!

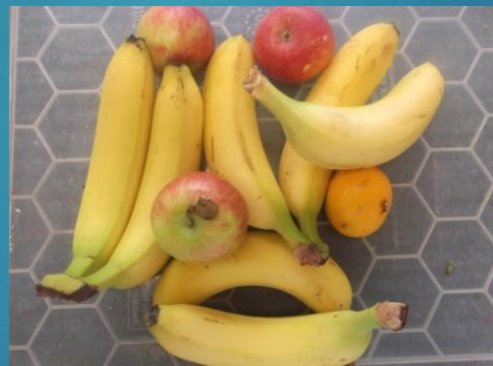
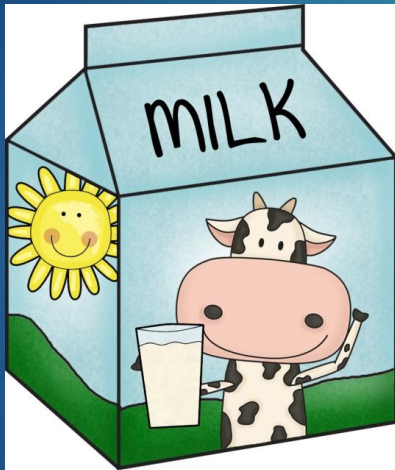
P.E day is Tuesday- wear P.E clothes to school on this day.

Blue
Grey
Black



Snack time

Your child will have FREE milk and fruit every day.



Lunchtimes



If you are eligible for **Free School Meals** please complete the form and hand in to the school office as the school is granted Early Years Pupil Premium money which is used to pay for a variety of curriculum enhancing resources, events and equipment.

Hot dinners: £2.70 per day.

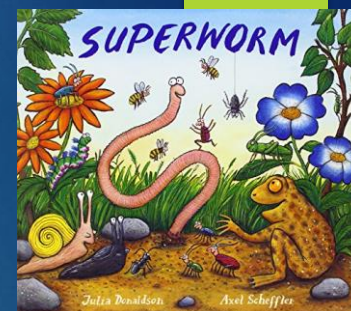
Provided by Aspen . Please pay through the Gateway app as we are a cashless school

Packed lunches: Please provide your child with a **healthy lunch**. If they bring a yogurt please provide them with a spoon too. They will also need to bring a drink. Don't send too much lunch...just what they will usually eat at home 😊





Reading



Your child will have a library book *for you to read to your child and share together* in their book bags.

Learning with parents app

Share your child's reading journey on here - upload photos, videos or comments 😊



Phonics

Phase 1 Phonics



- Develops listening skills
- Develops a child's ability to make sounds
- Explores sounds
- Children talk about sounds

Reading and Phonics –

How can I help?

- Share books daily with your child.
- Talk about the pictures and what you have read.
- Listen to the sounds in the environment.
- Encourage them to learn the letter **sound** instead of the letter **name**.



5 minutes
reading a day
makes a huge
difference!

Reading Morning

- Every Wednesday Morning 8.45-9.00am
- Share the love of books
- Support your child's reading journey
- Develop your knowledge of how to support your child's reading
- Share a favourite story
- Time to read with your child



Preparation for school

What should he/she be able to do?

- Put arms into coat
- Use the toilet independently
- Ask an adult when they need the toilet
- Recognise the first letter of their name
- Feed himself/herself
- Share toys and equipment
- Sing some nursery rhymes
- Practise counting to 10
- Follow simple instructions
- Hold a book and turn the pages
- Use a cup (no bottles)
- Reduce dummy use (night time only if absolutely necessary)
- Know and be able to say some key words/phrases

Being Nursery Ready

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/topics/cr4rez0de6vt>

Practise becoming independent - toileting, eating, dressing, putting on coat



Walking to school!



Reduce screen time



Lots of talking!!!!

Lots of reading!!!!

Lots of singing!!!!

Screen Time!

BIRTH -5 YEAR OLDS

Studies have shown that there is a clear link between excessive screen time use and symptoms such as difficulties in concentration in the younger child.

Here are 5 tips to help create a safe and healthy digital environment...



1. SCREEN TIME

BIRTH - 24 MONTHS

It is recommended that there should be no screen time for all children until they are 18-24 months, except for video chatting.

2. SCREEN TIME

2 - 5 YEAR OLDS



30 MIN

Children aged 2-5 years should get 30 mins or less of screen time per day.

3. BIGGER SCREENS



If you think your child is ready to play a game, then try to use a larger screen such as a tablet or computer screen, as these cause less visual stress than a phone.

4. AVOID USING A DIGITAL DEVICE TO SETTLE YOUR CHILD

Try to avoid the temptation to hand your phone to your toddler if they start to fuss as this inhibits their ability to interact with the environment and people around them.

5. SLEEP HYGIENE



"Sleep hygiene" is a term used for health habits and behaviours that help support a good night's sleep.

It is recommended that under 5's should not use a screen at least 2 hours before bedtime, to aid their natural sleep pattern.

Toilet training

All children must be out of nappies and pull-ups before starting Nursery.

By the age of 3, 9 out of 10 children are dry most days but may still have an occasional accident.

We do understand that accidents may happen. Please ensure that your child has a bag with some changes of clothes and underwear in to keep on their peg at school. This will be sent home to be replenished if your child does need to be changed.

If your child has any Special Educational Needs, or Medical Needs please talk to or make an appointment with the SENCO - Miss Ledger
0116 2413444



What Next??



Home visits

Monday 22nd June

Monday 29th June

Monday 6th July - AM only

Please sign up for your preferred day and time slot on the sign up sheets before you leave - we try to accommodate as best that we can!

Stages of our induction

- ▶ Stage 1 - w/b - Weds 26th August All children attend 9-11am
- ▶ Stage 2- w/b - Tuesday 1st September (Mon is a bank holiday)
Part time AM chn - normal hours (9 - 12pm)
Part time chn 2.5 days and full time chn - 9.00 - 1.15pm (P/T chn 2.5days will be until 12pm on Weds)
- ▶ Stage 3 w/b 7th Sept
Normal school hours and days for ALL Children

If your child has an identified SEN need, they will slide across to our transition plan and will have a longer transition to help them to settle in.

SEN support



- ▶ Please let us know if your child has seen (or is waiting to be seen) by the Speech and Language service or the Early Years Support Team (EYST).
- ▶ If you receive DLA (Disability Living Allowance) for your child, please bring in their certificate as this helps to secure funding for resources and equipment in school.
- ▶ Contact Assistant Headteacher & SENCO - Miss C Ledger
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Play and Stay sessions

Summer term

Friday 19th June 1.30 - 2.30pm

Friday 26th June 1.30-2.30pm

Friday 3rd July 1.30-2.30pm

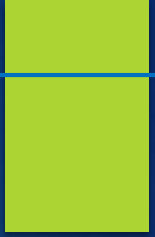
Come and play in the EYFS😊

School Tour - Wednesday 17th June 3.30pm

Information for Parents

- ▶ Half termly newsletter
- ▶ School Website
- ▶ School Gateway App - messages
- ▶ Speak to class teachers
- ▶ Send an email/telephone





My first day

Wednesday 26th August

- Arrive at school from 8.45 at the designated gate (come a few minutes earlier if you would like to talk to your class teacher)
- Wear uniform.
- Bring 'all about me' poster.
- Bring all necessary items - book bag, water bottle, bag for peg etc.

Finally...



When your child attends the nursery here at SVPS, they do not automatically receive a place in one of the Reception classes. The local authority (Leicester City Council) are responsible for allocating school places. In the autumn term you will receive information about applying for your child's Reception school place - this is done online. The deadline to apply is January 15th 2027.

Thank you!



We hope you have a fun summer
and we look forward to seeing
you at the beginning of the
Autumn term!