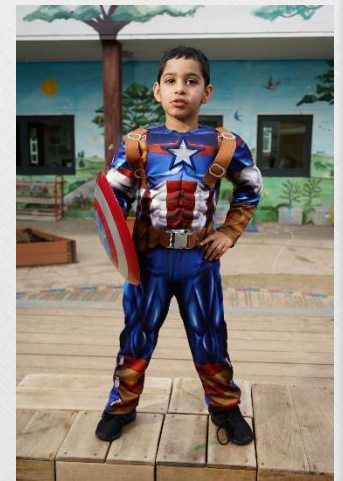




Welcome to Reception at Wembley Primary School



Reception Teachers and Staff



RW: Mrs Asghar and Mrs O'Donnell



RP: Miss Hankin and Ms Lummis



RS: Mr Trumper and Mrs Patel



RF: Miss Mehta and Ms French



What will my child be learning?

There are 7 areas of learning:

- Communication and language
- Physical development
- Personal, social and emotional development
- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Understanding the world
- Expressive arts and design

All this learning takes place
indoors and outdoors
no matter what the weather!



A typical day in Reception



8.35-8.50am - Soft Start

8.50am: Registration

Carpet time

Free flow and focus activities

Phonics

Free flow and focus activities

Guided Reading

11.30am to 12.45pm - Lunch

Registration

Carpet time

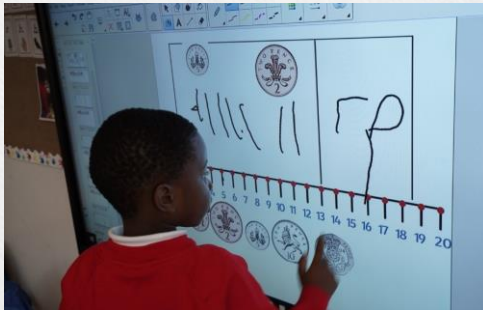
Free flow and focus activities

Carpet time

Free flow and focus activities

Storytime

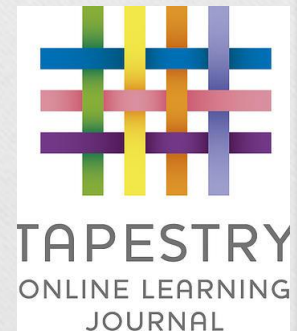
3.20pm - Home time



Parent Consultations

- We have parent meetings every term, as well as parent workshops
- We discuss your child's progress and their next steps in learning
- We complete online observations using an app called 'Tapestry'
- You will all be set up with an account on Tapestry if you don't already have one.
- We expect all parents to add photos and videos of their child on Tapestry to build up a better profile of your child.

**Please ask if you have any concerns -
don't wait for a Parent Consultation!**



Healthy School

- School dinners are free and we provide daily healthy balanced meals.
- Your children are given fruit, water and milk everyday at school.
- Children do not need to bring in a bottle of water from home.
- Birthday treats are welcome in school, we will give these out at the end of the school day.

School Uniform

All with your child's name and class

Winter Uniform

Grey / Black skirt, pinafore dress or trousers

White polo shirt or white cotton shirt

School sweatshirt or cardigan

School tie (optional)

Black shoes or black trainers

Black hijab (optional)

Summer Uniform

Red and white summer dress

OR

Grey / Black short trousers and white polo shirt

Black shoes or black trainers

School sun hat

Reception Size – 26 inches



Things your child will need for school

PE bag and Book bag



**All available on the school website and can
be picked up at school before the end of term
(by 19th July 2019)
or on Tuesday 3rd September 2019**

Lateness and Absences

Wembley Primary School will not authorise any holidays during term time.

We aim for 96%



Before September...

When your child starts Reception there are a number of skills that they should ideally have mastered:

Self-care:

- Go to the toilet by self
- Be able to wash own hands
- Dress and undress by self
- Button and unbutton clothes
- Put on own shoes and socks
- Put on coat and do zip
- Eat using knife and fork

Speaking & Literacy:

- Show an interest in books
- Recognise and write own name
- Talk about myself, needs & feelings
- Ask and answer simple questions

Numeracy:

- Count to 20
- Recognise numbers to 20
- Write numbers to 20
- Name simple shapes

Listening and understanding:

- Be able to tidy up
- Follow instructions
- Share and take turns
- Talk to other children

**A READY FOR SCHOOL POSTER IS
AVAILABLE FOR YOU TO TAKE AT THE END.**

Links with other professionals

- On site we have the Children's Centre who offer a variety of services and activities. Please speak to a member of staff and make sure you complete a registration form.
- Whilst the school doesn't provide daily after school childcare, there is a privately run afterschool club on the premises, as well as a group of child minders who can offer you their services.

What next...

- Pick up your pack and read it carefully!
- **Complete the Admissions Form** and return it to the school office asap with proof of your address and your child's passport or birth certificate. Your child will not be able to start school if it hasn't been completed.

Dates and Times

Put dates and times in your diary:

1) Meet the Teacher Morning

between **9.30 - 11am** on **Tuesday 9th July 2019**

2) Interview date

Please look in your pack for date and time.

Please bring your child's red development book.



3) Start date and timetable

Please look in your pack for date and time.

Parent Interviews

What does it involve?

This is an opportunity for you to meet the staff in the school environment and ask any questions before your child starts school.

Staff will also ask you questions to help them better understand your child's needs and interests.

Please check your pack for your interview date and time.

If the date or time is not suitable please speak to me at the end.

Start Dates

- There is staggered start in order to support your child settling in.
- All children will be staying for lunch from the start.
- We will work with you to ensure that your child settles in with ease.
- Your child may have different pick up times for a few days in order to settle them fully.
- We will keep you informed at all times.
- These time scales are variable to meet the individual needs of the child.

Start Dates

Week 1				
Monday 2/9/19	Tuesday 3/9/19	Wednesday 4/9/19	Thursday 5/9/19	Friday 6/9/19
No school due to Staff Training Day	Parent Interviews Please check your letter for the date and time. If this is not convenient, please contact the school as soon as possible.			
Week 2				
Monday 9/9/19	Tuesday 10/9/19	Wednesday 11/9/19	Thursday 12/9/19	Friday 13/9/19
1st Start Date Drop Off: 9.30am Pick Up: 1pm	Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick Up: 1pm	2nd Start Date Drop Off: 9.30am Pick Up: 1pm <i>For children who started Monday: Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 1pm</i>	Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick Up: 1pm <i>For children who started Monday: Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 1pm</i>	Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 1pm <i>For children who started Monday: Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 1pm</i>
Week 3				
Monday 16/9/19	Tuesday 17/9/19	Wednesday 18/9/19	Thursday 19/9/19	Friday 20/9/19
3rd Start Date Drop Off: 9.30am Pick Up: 1pm <i>For children who started Monday & Wednesday last week: Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 1pm</i>	<u>EVERYONE:</u> Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 1pm	<u>EVERYONE:</u> Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 1pm 1.15pm: RW & RP Welcome to Reception Meeting	<u>EVERYONE:</u> Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 2pm 2.15pm: RS & RF Welcome to Reception Meeting	<u>EVERYONE:</u> Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 3.20pm 9am in school hall: Tapestry Meeting for all Reception Parents
Week 4				
Monday 23/9/19	Tuesday 24/9/19	Wednesday 25/9/19	Thursday 26/9/19	Friday 27/9/19
All Reception In Full Time Drop Off: 8.35-8.50am Pick up: 3.20pm				

Questions
