

Welcome to Whingate Nursery



A quick guide to Nursery

Session Times

30 hours (for eligible working parents)

Monday - Friday 8:45 - 3:15 (32.5 hours)

There is a £9 per week for the extra 2.5 hours or you can collect early at 2.45pm Wed/Thur/Fri.

Parents need to apply for a code online to access these places on a first come-first served basis.

2.5 days:

Monday and Tuesday 8:45-3:15 Wednesday 8:45-11:45

Thursday and Friday 8:45-3:15 Wednesday 12:15-3:15

Morning sessions:

8:45-11:45

Afternoon sessions:

12:15-3:15

Doors open at **3:10** for children with older siblings.

It is important your child is collected on time.

Keyworker Groups

Your child will be assigned a keyworker. This will ensure they are in the same small group each day for quick activities and to enable them to make friends.

You will always drop your child and collect them from their keyworker group in the classroom.

Please can you **always** ensure you take your child directly to their keyworker to sit down at the beginning of the session. This enables us to see who is in each group and share any news with parents/carers.

Our Team

Mrs Knights

Class Teacher and keyworkers for Butterfly Group.

Mrs Nelson

Nursery Nurse and Ladybird Group keyworker.

Mrs Sykes

Teaching Assistant

Mrs Patterson

Teaching Assistant

How to help

Library Books

One of the best ways to help your child is to read to them at home. Each group has a box of library books. Your child will bring one home every Wednesday to share with you.

Bookbags are brought back every Wednesday so they can change their book.

Homework

Your child will receive a homework grid at the beginning of each half-term. There will be lots of different tasks for you to complete together whenever is convenient. You can then tick them off like Bingo!

These will be practical, fun activities to help support your child's learning in school.



What do you need to bring?

Your child will need a set of spare clothes on their peg every day. We have limited spare clothes in school. If we do not have any clothes for your child to change into, we may have to contact you for assistance.

As the children have the option to play out in all weathers they need suitable outdoorwear and footwear during the colder weather.

Coat

Hat, scarf and gloves.

Please ensure all items are clearly named.



During Summer your child needs sun cream applying **BEFORE** Nursery sessions. If they attend full day sessions they can bring a named sun cream to apply at lunchtimes.

You will still need to apply sun cream before they

