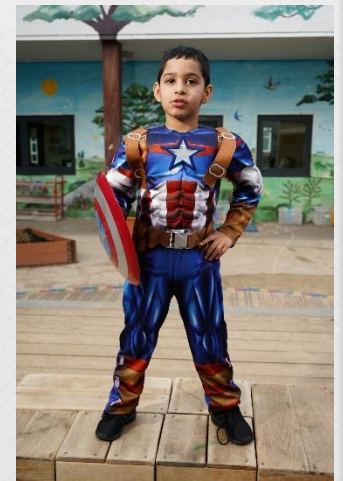




Welcome to Reception at Wembley Primary School



Reception Staff



Mrs Sear
Support
Teacher



RW: Miss Halai and Mrs Ghani



RP: Mr Trumper and Mrs Rajput/Mrs Harabor



RS: Miss Mehta and Miss Allen/Mrs Gami



RF: Mrs Evaghoras 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 12.30pm - Lunch

12.30pm: Registration

Carpet time

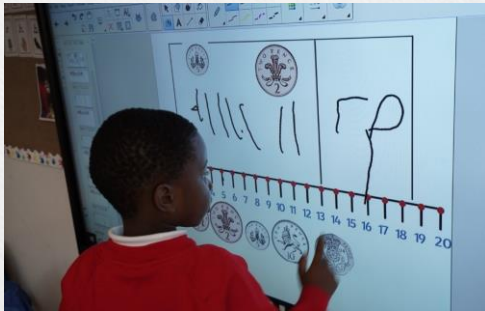
Free flow and focus activities

Carpet time

Free flow and focus activities

Storytime

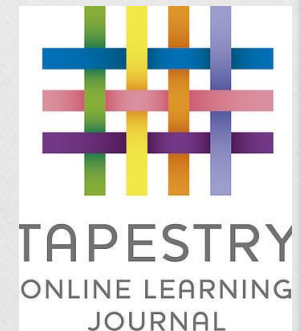
3.20pm – Home time



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 need to bring in a named water bottle from home.
- Birthday treats – no cakes, sweets or party bags please. We suggest donating a copy of your child's favourite book to the class for everyone to enjoy

School Uniform

Winter Uniform

Grey/black skirt, pinafore dress or
black trousers/black or navy joggers
White polo shirt or white cotton shirt
School jumper or cardigan
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



Reception Size – 26 inches

Please label all uniform with your child's name

P.E Uniform

P.E Uniform winter

House coloured P.E. T-shirt

Or white polo shirt

Black or navy joggers

School jumper or cardigan

Black Plimsolls or

Sensible sports trainers

P.E. Uniform summer

House coloured P.E. T-shirt

Or white polo shirt

Black or navy sports shorts

Black Plimsolls or

Sensible sports trainers

Sun hat

Reception Size – 26 inches

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Things your child will need for school

Book bag



P.E. bag with spare clothes

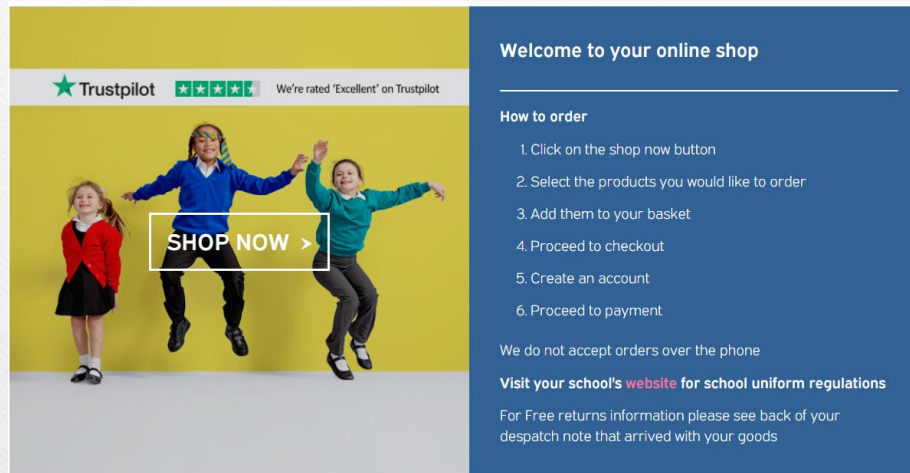


All available on the school website under the 'parents' tab and uniform.
This can be ordered and picked up at school in September.

Ordering school uniform

You can order uniform from the following website for delivery to your home during the holidays:

www.pbuniform-online.co.uk/wembley



The screenshot shows the website's header with a Trustpilot rating of 5 stars and the text 'We're rated 'Excellent' on Trustpilot'. Below the header is a photograph of three children in school uniforms jumping joyfully. A white box with the text 'SHOP NOW >' is overlaid on the photograph. To the right of the photograph is a blue sidebar with the following text:

Welcome to your online shop

How to order

1. Click on the shop now button
2. Select the products you would like to order
3. Add them to your basket
4. Proceed to checkout
5. Create an account
6. Proceed to payment

We do not accept orders over the phone

Visit your school's [website](#) for school uniform regulations

For Free returns information please see back of your despatch note that arrived with your goods

**P.E. T-shirts
are not
available for
home
delivery**

Alternatively, you can also order uniform from the school website:

www.wembleyprimary.co.uk

Click on buy uniform here, add items to checkout and pay.

All orders will be available to pick up from school in September.

Please bring your email order confirmation to Mrs Sherwani at main reception

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
- 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 begin to write own name
- Talk about themselves, needs & feelings
- Ask and answer simple questions

Numeracy:

- Count to 10
- Recognise numbers to 10
- Write some numbers to 10
- Name simple shapes

Listening and understanding:

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

Activities you can do over the summer...

At the open day, you will have received an activity pack with:

- **Getting ready for school poster**

This outlines some core skills your child can start to do to get school ready.

- **A die**

Use this with your child to help them become familiar with numbers to 6.

- **A number line**

You can use this with your child to see what numbers come before and after numbers to 10 or 20

- **Letter formation**

Use this to help your child to start recognising and forming letters.

- **Number formation**

Use this to help your child to start recognising and forming numbers.

- **Phase 2 Sound Mat**

Children will begin phonics as soon as they start in Reception. Use this alongside the phase 2 pronunciation video to help your child become familiar with sounds.

Links with other professionals

We work closely with our local:

Family Wellbeing Centres

Brent health services

Brent library service

Education Welfare Officer

Brent child and family services

Whilst the school doesn't provide daily after school childcare, there is a privately run afterschool club on the premises, please see your pack for further details.

What next...

You should have received your admissions pack. Please read it carefully!

Complete the Admissions form and return it to the school office asap with 2 proofs of your address no older than 2 months and your child's passport and birth certificate.

Your child will not be able to start school if it hasn't been completed.

Dates and Times

In you pack you will have received a letter with further dates and times such as:

1) Open evening

- Wednesday 17th July – at 3.45pm – 4.45pm
- Please bring your child to the session

2) Parent Interview date

- Please bring your child's red health record if you have one.
- Please bring your child with you to the meeting so that they can meet the teacher and see the environment before they start.



3) Start date and timetable

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 letter for your interview date and time.

If the date or time is not suitable please email us at newparents@wembleyprimary.brent.sch.uk

Start Dates

- Please look at your timetable for your child's start date and time.
- There is a 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.

Questions

- If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me (Mrs Pindoria, Assistant Headteacher for Early Years and Year 1).
- You can email me on newparents@wembleyprimary.brent.sch.uk