



HARRIS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Meet the EYFS Team

Mrs Grainger

EYFS Leader
EYFS Teacher



Mrs Livesey

EYFS Teacher



Mrs Procter

Reception Teaching
Assistant



Miss Povey

Reception Teaching
Assistant



Mrs Bilsbrough

Pre-School Room
Leader



Mrs Thompson

Pre-School
Teaching Assistant



Our School Day

- 8:45am - 9:00am - Entry into school
- *Register is completed on the door by Mrs Grainger/Mrs Livesey*
- 10:35am - 10:50am - Snack time
- *Our outdoor area is open for most of the morning and afternoon, so we do not have a set 'playtime'*
- 11:45am - 12:50pm - Lunchtime and Lunchtime play
- 3:10pm - 3:20pm - End of day

School Uniform

Daily Uniform

- Blue jumper or cardigan
- Light blue polo top
- Grey trousers/shorts/skirt/pinafore
- Black school shoes

- We use the outdoor area everyday and in all weathers, so please ensure your child has a waterproof coat and wellies in school each day.



PE Kit

- Harris Tracksuit
- Plain White T-shirt
- Navy Shorts





What should I send my child to school with each day?

Please ensure you send your child to school with:

- *Named* book bag
- Reading book and diary (when they receive one)
- *Named* waterproof coat
- *Named* water bottle
- Please (please, please!!!) ensure all your child's uniform is named.



School Dinners

All children in Reception and KS1 are entitled to Universal Free School Meals.

The catering team make school dinners fresh on site, everyday.

The children will have a choice of meals, which they will choose the day before during afternoon register time.



School Dinners

Menu

Serving fantastic lunches everyday - All menus are planned to comply with School Food Standards and all new dishes are tested by children. Our meat is Red Tractor Farm Assured, our fish is MSC certified and we also use a number of Free Range and Organic products throughout the menu. There is always fresh fruit and salad, bread and locally produced yoghurt available daily.

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday Favourites
Choice 1	Pork or Vegetarian Sausages & Onion Gravy	Creamed Potatoes Broccoli Florets & Carrot Batons	Crispy Fish Finger Wrap	Potato Wedges & Mixed Vegetable Medley	Roast Beef Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy
Choice 2	Four Cheese Ravioli & Tomato Sauce (v)	Homemade Garlic Dough Balls & Salad Selection	Sweet Chilli Quorn & Veggie Noodles (v)	Mini Vegetable Spring Rolls	Roast Potatoes Seasonal Cabbage & Carrot Batons
Choice 3	Soft Sandwich Roll with Choice of Filling	Tortilla Chips Veggie Sticks & Dips	French Bread Pizza with Cooks Choice of Topping	Potato Wedges & Freshly Prepared Salad Selection	Homemade Chicken Curry
Desserts	Seasonal Fruit Crumble & Ice Cream	Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk	Fruit Jelly & Orange Wedges	Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk	Mixed Rice & Naan Bread
					Crispy Tempura Fish Goujons
					Oven Baked Chips or New Potatoes & Garden Peas
					Herby Diced Potatoes & Mixed Vegetable Medley
					Homemade Pizza Margherita (v)
					Oven Baked Chips or New Potatoes & Sweetcorn
					Vegetarian Meatball Marinara Sub Roll (v)
					Tortilla Chips & Freshly Prepared Salad Selection
					Summer Picnic Mini Sandwich Rolls & Veggie Sausage Roll
					Tortilla Chips Veggie Sticks & Dips
					Chocolate Cookie & Milkshake
					Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk

	Meat-Free Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday Favourites
Choice 1	Vegetarian Brunch (v)	Hash Brown & Baked Beans	Loaded Chilli Beef & Veggie Tortilla Boat	Paprika Potatoes & Crunchy Mixed Salad	Roast Chicken Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy
Choice 2	Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta (v)	Homemade Garlic Dough Balls & Broccoli Florets	Lancashire Cheese Whirl (v)	Garden Peas & Sliced Beetroot	Vegetable Korma Curry (v)
Choice 3	Baked Jacket Potato with Choice of Filling	Freshly Prepared Salad Selection	Soft Sandwich Roll with Choice of Filling	Tortilla Chips Veggie Sticks & Dips	French Bread Pizza with Cooks Choice of Topping
Desserts	Chocolate Brownie & Chocolate Sauce	Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk	Fresh Fruit Medley & Vanilla Cream	Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk	Fruit Jelly & Melon Wedges
					Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk
					Lancashire Cheese & Crackers with Grapes
					Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk
					Summer Treat Dessert
					Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk
					Oven Baked Chips or New Potatoes & Mushy Peas
					Homemade Pizza Margherita (v)
					Homemade Garlic Bread & Broccoli Florets
					Oven Baked Chips or New Potatoes & Salad Selection
					Freshly Baked Vegetarian Sausage Roll (v)
					Oven Baked Chips or New Potatoes & Baked Beans

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday Favourites
Choice 1	BBQ Chicken Flatbread	Paprika Wedges & Mixed Vegetable Medley	Meatball Sub Roll with Tomato Sauce	Tortilla Chips Veggie Sticks & Dips	Roast Pork Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy
Choice 2	Pasta Neapolitan (v)	Homemade Garlic Dough Balls & Salad Selection	Quorn Tikka Masala Curry (v)	Mixed Rice & Naan Bread	Creamy Cheese & Pasta Bake (v)
Choice 3	Crispy Bubble Coated Salmon	Paprika Wedges & Mixed Vegetable Medley	Baked Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling	Freshly Prepared Salad Selection	Soft Sandwich Roll with Choice of Filling
Desserts	Oaty Biscuit & Apple Wedges	Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk	Homemade Jam & Cream Split	Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk	Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream Sponge Roll
					Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk
					Fruit Jelly & Orange Wedges
					Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk
					Gluten Free Chocolate Muffin & Melon Wedges
					Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Selection Organic Milk
					Oven Baked Chips or New Potatoes & Garden Peas
					Homemade Pizza Margherita (v)
					Herby Potatoes & Baked Beans
					Oven Baked Chips or New Potatoes & Sweetcorn
					Vegetarian Sausage in a Bun & Tomato Ketchup (v)
					French Bread Pizza with Cooks Choice of Topping
					Tortilla Chips & Freshly Prepared Salad Selection
					Summer Picnic Mini Sandwich Rolls & Veggie Sausage Roll
					Tortilla Chips Veggie Sticks & Dips

Whilst every effort is made to produce the published menus, please note that they may vary occasionally subject to availability and individual school requirements. All our menus are checked using a recognised programme to analyse nutrition. We also work with Lancashire Health Schools and support the Change 4 Life campaign. The result is a menu your child will enjoy and that will prepare them for learning in the afternoon.



How can I help prepare my child for starting school?

Acquiring these following skills will benefit your child greatly throughout their school day:

- *Support them to have independent personal hygiene skills - such as wiping their own bottom.*
- *Practise putting their coat on and taking it off and, doing up the zip.*
- *Practise getting dressed and undressed, in their uniform.*
- *Practise turning their clothes the right way round.*
- *Practise using cutlery and cutting up their food.*

Please do not worry, a staff member will always support your child if they are struggling.



EYFS Curriculum

- The EYFS curriculum is play based, both inside and outside the classroom.
- There will be a combination of whole class carpet sessions, small group adult-led activities and child-initiated activities.
- The EYFS Curriculum Yearly Overview will be available to view on the website at the beginning of the year. This will break down when skills will be covered and will show how the curriculum will progress over the year.



Reception Baseline Assessment

Within the first few weeks of your child starting school, Mrs Grainger will carry out the Reception Baseline Assessment (RBA). This is a statutory requirement by the Government, for all Reception aged children which needs to take place within the first six weeks after they have entered school.

The RBA is a short, practical assessment of your child's early literacy, communication, language and mathematics skills. You do not have to prepare anything or do anything with your child beforehand.



Early Reading

- Once the RBA has been completed, we will begin to teach Phonics.
- Phonics will initially be taught as a whole class before the children are put into smaller Phonics groups.
- We follow the Red Rose Letters & Sounds Phonics scheme.
- Once your child is ready to bring home a home reader, they will bring home 3 reading books a week. Two of these books will be phonetically decodable and the third will be a reading for pleasure book, which you can read to your child.
- We will be holding a Phonics and Early Reading workshop for families at the beginning of the school year.



Home School Partnership

We know that communication is key between home and school, and we have an open-door policy. Please come and speak to us if you need to.

- We will have two Parents' Evenings (Autumn and Spring), and you will receive a report in the summer term.
- Photos of learning will be shared regularly on our Facebook page.
- Our website will also hold all the information you need.



School Spider

As a school, we communicate to all our families via the School Spider app.

Please ensure you have downloaded the School Spider app as important forms will be sent out for you to complete over the Summer.

You will be able to sign up to the app from w.c 8th July 2024.

If after 8th July, you are unsure of your login details or need support in downloading the app, please contact the school office as soon as possible.



Any questions?