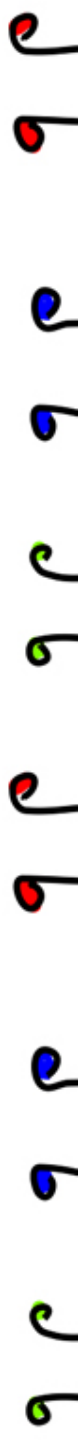


Welcome to



KILMORIE

PRIMARY SCHOOL





These are the **Kilmorie Qualities**. They are taught and encouraged throughout the school. We expect all members of our school (children, teaching staff, families etc.) to aim for these.



May, June and July: Information

- **May:** You will be emailed a [welcome letter](#) and asked to fill in a form to tell us the Nursery (if applicable) your child is currently attending and any friends you would like your child to be with – we will try our best to meet these requests. Please don't worry if your child doesn't know anyone starting in Reception, there will be other children/families in the same situation and they make new friends very quickly!
- **June:** You will receive a [letter](#) informing you of the [class](#) your child will be in and the date/time of your child's home visit (in September) and class' [stay and play](#) (There will be one 30 minute session in July to explore our outdoor spaces with their parents/carers and a one hour session in September to provide your child with the chance to explore their classroom and meet new friends, whilst the parents and carers attend an information presentation to find out more about the Reception year)
- **July:** You will be sent an email with the name of the adults in your class and a link to our website which will have videos of the Reception staff introducing themselves as well as booklets which provide photos of important parts of the school e.g. their classroom, staff, outside spaces, lunch hall and the toilets!



September: Settling In

- Welcome meeting for Parents and Carers: 5th July 2024 16:00
- Stay and Play: Date TBC July 2024
- Stay and Play: 5th September 2024

(for 1 hour, each class will be sent a letter with the exact time slot)

- Home visits: 6th, 9th or 10th September 2024

(Whilst we appreciate the difficulty of some families arranging time off, we can not swap home visit times and days which is why we try to give plenty of notice)

- Starting dates will be staggered over three days – 11th, 12th or 13th September 2024

(roughly 10 children each day so by the third day all 30 children are in their class)

- You will be given a start time of either 9.00 or 9.30 for your first day
- Children are in school until 1.00pm the first week (this includes lunch) and full time the week beginning 16th September
- You are welcome to stay and settle your children - You are the experts!

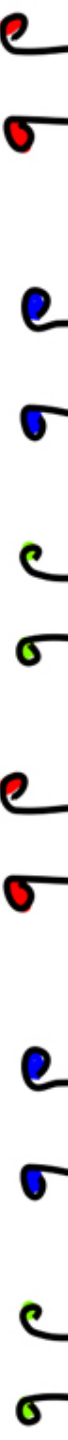


Welcome to Reception

- We have three classes:
Lions, Tigers and Bears



- All three classes will be able to mix with each other during 'choosing time'
 - these are the children's self-initiated learning times, which can occur either inside the classroom, outside or a mixture of both.





The School Day

- **Start times**

- Lions 08:50
- Tigers 08:55
- Bears 09:00

- **Finishing times**

- Lions 15:20
- Tigers 15:25
- Bears 15:30





Clothing

- No uniform
- Painting / messy activities happen often in school
- Please provide spare clothes in case they become wet/messy (labelled and left on child's peg)
- Outside all day once a week (we will let you know which day this is at your home visit)





What you will need for September

- Name labelled water bottle
- Spare clothes in a bag (to be hung on their peg)
- Name label their belongings e.g. coat, spare clothes
- Velcro shoes/trainers (please no laces if your child can not do these independently)
- A relaxing bedtime routine (your child will need plenty of sleep as they will be exhausted that first term)





Welcome to Kilmorie!

We look forward to meeting you all very soon!

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact us.

You can email info@kilmorie.lewisham.sch.uk

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