

Welcome to

The Westgate Primary Phase



Year 1 Transition Booklet

2023-2024

Information for Parents and Carers

We hope that you will enjoy sharing this transition book with your child, as you prepare for them starting in Year 1.

The jump from Year R to Year 1 can seem quite big, but we do our best to ensure that lots of things are similar! We have included areas in the book that the children sometimes have particular questions about.

We are looking forward to working in partnership with you. Please do contact us if you, or your child, have any queries.

The Year 1 Team

We are looking forward to you starting Year 1.

Here are the adults who will be in Year 1 with you. You'll see some familiar faces!

Year 1 Team



This is Mrs Reynolds (Miss Collins).

She will be teaching in Beech Class.



This is Mrs Whincup.

She will be teaching in Rowan class.

There are two classrooms in Year 1, Beech Class and Rowan Class.

Every morning, you will walk into your classroom through these doors.



You will say goodbye at the door and then go and put your coat and your book bag on your own peg. The pegs will have your names on just like in Year R.

In Year 1, you will have Exploring and Learning in the morning and in the afternoon.

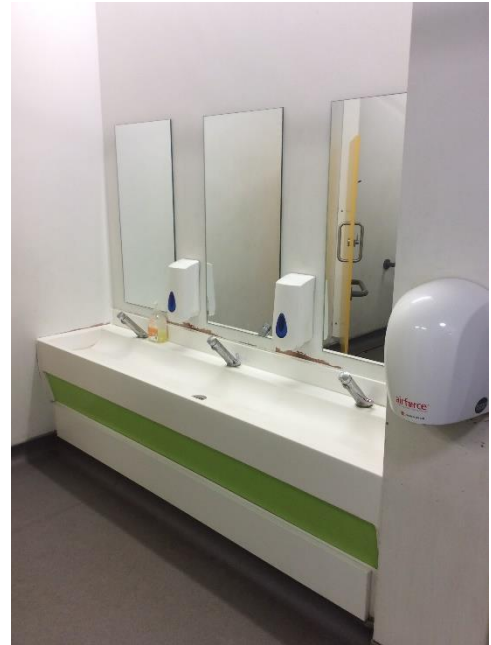


During Exploring and learning in the morning, you can take a piece of fruit from the bowl.

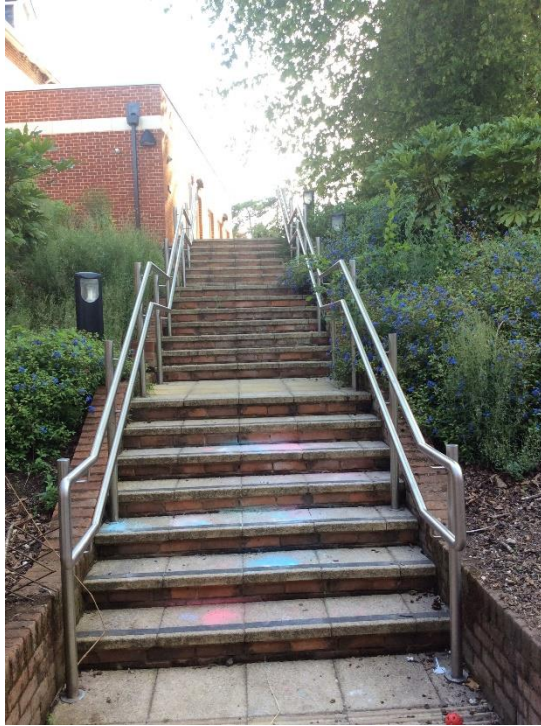
If your grown-ups want you to have milk as well, you can! [Cool Milk - the UK's leading school and nursery milk supplier](#)

When you need the toilet, you can go to the ones near your classroom.

There will be separate toilets for Year 1 and Year 2.



When we have lunch in the hall, you will walk up the outside stairs for lunch with your class.



After lunch you will go to play outside in the KS1 playground!



Lots of things will stay the same. We will still have Exploring and Learning time in Year 1, where you can stretch and challenge your brain.

Here are some of the exciting things we got up to this year!





We can't wait to see you in September!
Have an amazing summer 😊