



# Welcome to Reception

Reception New Starters Meeting  
2026-2027



# Early Years Curriculum

Areas of Learning and Development			
Prime Areas			
Communication and Language	Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Physical Development	
Listening, Attention and Understanding Speaking	Self-Regulation Managing Self Building Relationships	Gross Motor Skills Fine Motor Skills	
Specific Areas			
Literacy	Mathematics	Understanding the World	Expressive art and Design
Comprehension Word Reading Writing	Number Numerical Patterns	Past and Present People culture and Communities The Natural World	Creating with materials Being Imaginative and Expressive



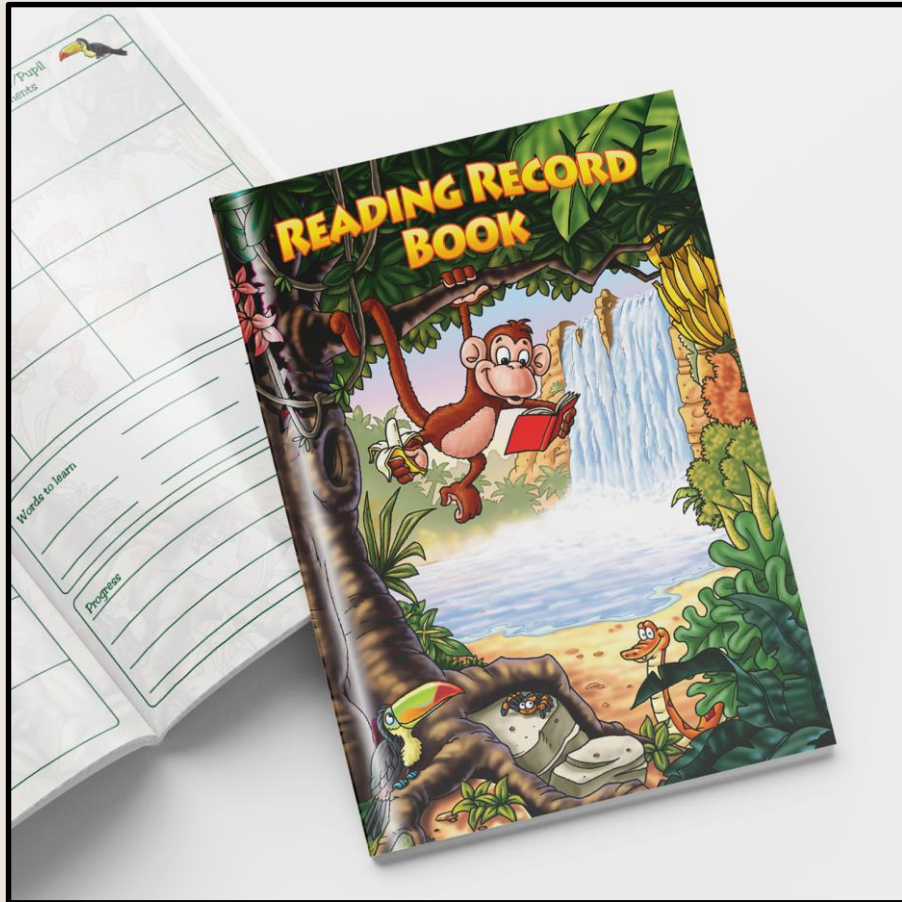
# Daily Timetable

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	8:45 – 9:00	9:15 – 9:40	9:40 – 10:25		11:00 – 12:00		1:00 – 1:30	1:30 – 3:00	3:00 – 3:15
Monday	- Name writing Self register -Weather chart -Movement  Change home reading books	Phonics	10:30 - Milk/snack	Break	Literacy / Communication & Language	Lunch Time	-Register  <b>Maths</b>	-Understanding of the World -Expressive Art and Design -Personal, Social & Emotional Development	-Story - Show & Tell - Home time
Tuesday	- Name writing Self register -Weather chart -Movement	Phonics	<b>Group Reading</b>  10:30- Milk/snack		Literacy / Communication & Language		-Register  <b>Maths</b>	<b>Music</b>	-Story -Home time
Wednesday	- Name writing Self register -Weather chart -Movement	Phonics	<b>Group Reading</b>  10:30 - Milk/snack		Literacy / Communication & Language		-Register  <b>Maths</b>	-Understanding of the World -Expressive Art and Design -Personal, Social & Emotional Development	-Story - Show & Tell - Home time
Thursday	- Name writing Self register -Weather chart -Movement  Change home reading books	Phonics	10:30 - Milk/snack		Literacy / Communication & Language		-Register  <b>Maths</b>	<b>PE</b>	-Story -Home time
Friday	- Name writing Self register -Weather chart -Movement	Phonics	<b>Group Reading</b> 10:25 - Assembly		<b>Handwriting</b>  Milk & Snack		-Register  <b>Maths</b>	-Understanding of the World -Expressive Art and Design -Personal, Social & Emotional Development	-Story -Home time



# Phonics and Reading



# Learning Journal



# Uniform

## Reception to Year 5

We have a uniform consisting of:

- Grey school trousers or skirt
- White polo-shirt, either plain **or** with the Kirklevington logo
- Bottle-green sweatshirt or cardigan, without a hood, either plain **or** with the Kirklevington logo
- School summer dresses and grey shorts can be worn in the summer term (usually April-July)
- Plain black shoes
- Coat or jacket is needed every day
- A book bag (not a back pack in Reception)

## Extreme Hairstyles

The school does not permit children to have hairstyles that could serve as a distraction to other children and are not in keeping with the ethos of the school. This includes shaved patterns, excessive use of hair products/dyes etc. The definition of an extreme hairstyle is at the discretion of the Head of School.



[Uniform can be ordered from Motif8 or Rawcliffes](#)

## PE

Children come to school wearing the PE kit on designated days. These days will be communicated to you by staff.

### Indoor P.E. Kit:

- Black school PE Shorts
- White T-Shirt, either plain **or** with the Kirklevington logo
- Trainers

### Outdoor P.E. Kit:

- Black jogging bottoms
- White T-Shirt
- Green school cardigan, sweatshirt or hoodie, either plain **or** with the Kirklevington logo
- Trainers

Children should **not** be wearing sports' logo clothing nor other colours of clothing.



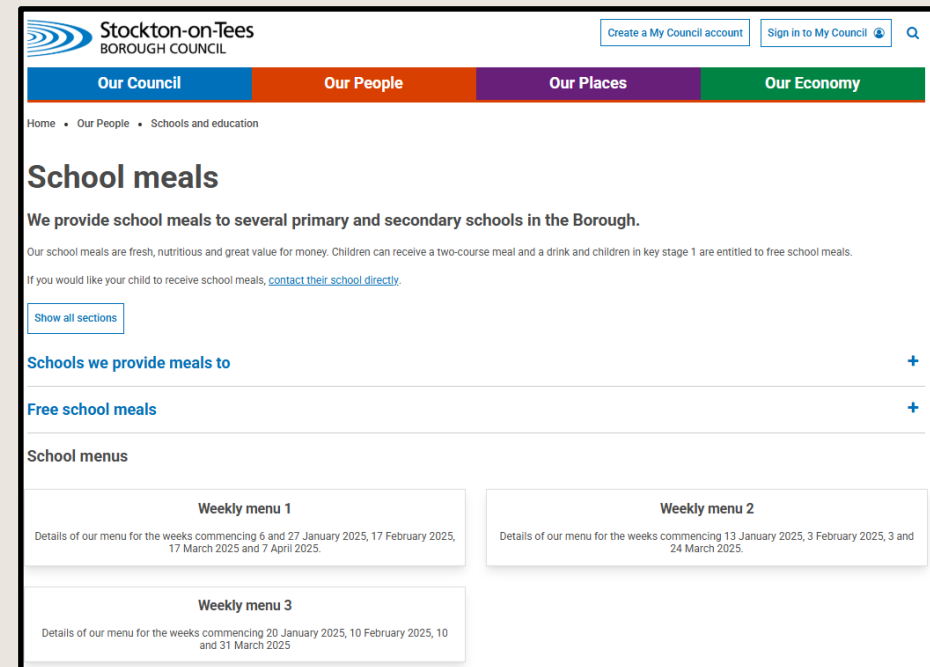
# Food and Drink

## 10:30 Snack Time

*All children receive a piece of fruit and a cup of cow's milk during snack time.*

## 12:00 – Lunch Time

<https://www.stockton.gov.uk/school-meals>



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### School meals

We provide school meals to several primary and secondary schools in the Borough.

Our school meals are fresh, nutritious and great value for money. Children can receive a two-course meal and a drink and children in key stage 1 are entitled to free school meals.

If you would like your child to receive school meals, [contact their school directly](#).

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Schools we provide meals to +

Free school meals +

#### School menus

Weekly menu 1	Weekly menu 2
Details of our menu for the weeks commencing 6 and 27 January 2025, 17 February 2025, 17 March 2025 and 7 April 2025.	Details of our menu for the weeks commencing 13 January 2025, 3 February 2025, 3 and 24 March 2025.
Weekly menu 3	
Details of our menu for the weeks commencing 20 January 2025, 10 February 2025, 10 and 31 March 2025	



# Reception Baseline Assessment



Standards  
& Testing  
Agency

Promotional material

## **Reception baseline assessment: information for parents**

Updated 2 June 2025

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/reception-baseline-assessment-information-for-parents/reception-baseline-assessment-information-for-parents>



# Any questions...?

