



Welcome to
Barnham Broom
Primary School





Teachers

Mrs Edmonds
Monday - Thursday



Headteacher
Mrs Benson



Mrs Sivyer
Friday



Staff



Teaching Assistants



Mrs Jappy



Mrs L.B.



Mrs P.



Curriculum



The Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS)

Your child will have been taught through the EYFS in their pre-school or nursery setting.

The curriculum has recently been updated for September 2021

Your child will be taught under these 7 areas:

Prime areas

Communication and language

Personal, social and emotional development

Physical Development

Specific areas

Literacy

Mathematics

Understanding the world

Expressive arts and design



In the moment planning

Our curriculum is very play based. Your child will learn best when they are having fun !

We observe what the children do and assess their learning and interests, then through responding to and questioning the children (our planning), we teach 'in the moment' and move the children's learning on by addressing their next steps immediately.

Each week we concentrate in depth on 4 focus children - if your child is a focus child then we will send a sheet home for you to complete in advance, to help us to tailor their learning to their interests and activities.

Each child will be a focus child once each half term. We continue to teach, engage, question, explore and investigate with all children.

All children have focused teaching sessions, then access independent learning.

To begin with we will gather our own assessments on all children to gauge where they are and to inform our planning.





Assessment



Learning Journeys

We record your child's learning in a learning journey, which is a scrapbook of photos, notes, your child's work and comments that they have made.

We would like you to contribute to your child's learning journey. If your child achieves something new at home, then please let us know, fill out a wow slip and send it in.



Or you can email us or message us via Dojo – a class app



Developing Independence

Please support your child in becoming more independent before starting school

Independence



I am Independent!

I can...		Colour in the happy face when you can do this.
Fasten my shoes		
Fasten my coat		
Wash my hands before eating and after going to the toilet.		
Use a knife and fork		
Open my lunchbox		
Open my snack boxes		
Dress myself		
Undress myself		
Go to the toilet by myself		

Well Done!
Enjoy your time at school!



Classes



Our classes

We have 5 classes in school and 7 year groups, so during your child's time at school they will stay in two of their classes for two years.

When considering which class is best for your child teachers and school staff consider the whole child including: social and emotional needs, friendships as well as academic needs.

CLASS 1 – Reception and year 1

CLASS 2 – Year 1 and 2

CLASS 3 – Year 3 and 4

CLASS 4 – Year 4 and 5

CLASS 5 – Year 5 and 6



Welcome



Getting to Know us

Over the coming weeks we will be adding stories to the 'Starting school' section of our website. We hope that you enjoy meeting the different staff in class 1 and enjoy listening to their stories.

There is also a video about your classroom and the school. You might like to watch this before starting school.

We can't wait to meet you all in September. Have a lovely summer!

<http://www.barnhambroomprimaryschool.co.uk/parents/starting-school>