

Welcome to Nursery 25-26



St Oswald's Catholic Primary School

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Early Years Framework

Learning in the early years

RE

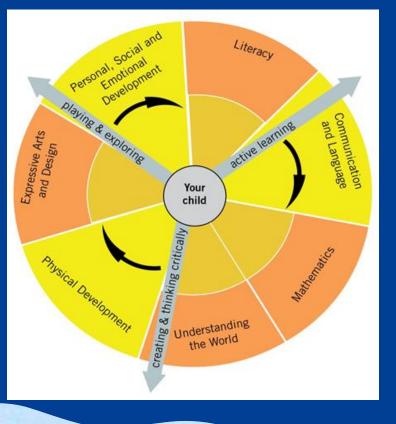
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The Early Years

Children will learn new skills, acquire new knowledge and demonstrate their understanding in the 7 areas of learning and development.







Personal, social and emotional development Communication and language Physical development

Specific areas Mathematics Literacy Understanding the WORLD EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND

Children mostly develop in 3 prime areas first, which then supports development in the 4 specific areas.

These 7 areas support and guide the teaching and learning of the EYFS.



Children in the EYFS learn by <u>playing</u> and <u>exploring</u>, being <u>active</u> and through <u>creative</u> and <u>critical thinking</u> which takes place both indoors and outdoors. This occurs in both free play







Play underpins the EYFS. It also underpins learning and all aspects of children's development. Through play, children develop language skills, their emotions and creativity, social and intellectual skills. For some children play is scaffolded to support their unique learning and development.

RE

As member of a Catholic Primary school your child will participate in regular RE lessons.

These are age appropriate and follow the diocesan materials.

Children will participate in daily prayers and in small group, class and key stage collective worship.









Home visits

- Home visits will be on <u>Tuesday 2nd September between 12:30-</u>
 3:30 and Wednesday 3rd September between 9:00am and 3:30 pm.
- Children will visit our setting with an adult on <u>Thursday 4th</u>
 September (9:30-10:30) (1:30-2:30)
- Children will visit our setting without an adult on <u>Friday 5th</u>
 <u>September (9:30-11:00) and (1:30-3:00)</u>
- All children will begin their full Nursery entitlement on <u>Monday</u>
 8th September

Special Educational Needs

Through our daily routine observations, children with SEN are identified at an early stage and strategies are developed between the teacher and the school's Special Educational needs Co-ordinator (SENCO) to address the concerns and to ensure that school can meet the needs of your child.

Please do inform the school of any specialists currently involved with your child. If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of the Early years team or our school SENCO Mr Smith.

The School Day

All Reception children will begin school on Tuesday 5th September 2023

	a.m session	p.m session	30 hours
School starts	8.45am	12.25	8.45
School ends	11.45	3.25	3.25
Lunchtime			11.30 am

Daily Routine

Greeting Time

Prayers

Adult led activities

Child initiated learning

Circle time

Story time

Home Time

Throughout the day child initiated activities will take place to ensure children are playing and exploring.

Adults will lead focused learning sessions and support children in their independent play.





Drinks and snacks:

Children are provided with one piece of fresh fruit each day and a carton of milk.

Please provide a water bottle for you child with their name clearly

marked.







School lunches:

All 30 hour children will enjoy a school dinner which is cooked on site.

Lunches £17.50 per week- to be paid via Arbor

Menu Available- Please circle choices!





Safeguarding







DSL - Mr Woodhouse, Mr Smith and Mrs Keith.

Useful information

Uniform

All children should have a full uniform consisting of a grey skirt, dress or trousers, a royal blue jumper or cardigan a white polo shirt and appropriate black school shoes. Please ensure all uniform is marked clearly with your child's name.

Medication:

It is your responsibility to make sure school is aware of any medication or medical condition your child might have. All medicines <u>MUST</u> carry a dispensing label with the child's name and dosage clearly shown.

Spare Clothes

Please ensure a complete change of clothes is left on your child's coat peg.

We will have a session with 'Little Movers' every Tuesday and 'Forest Friday' every Friday.

Helping your child



Putting on shoes



Zipping up coats



Getting dressed



Using cutlery

Finally

The school website and school Facebook page is a great way to keep up to date with what is happening in school. It is full of news and useful information about our school. Each class will upload pictures of the children working in school to celebrate success.

Do take a look!

www.stoswaldsrcsch.co.uk

Facebook - St Oswalds RC



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