

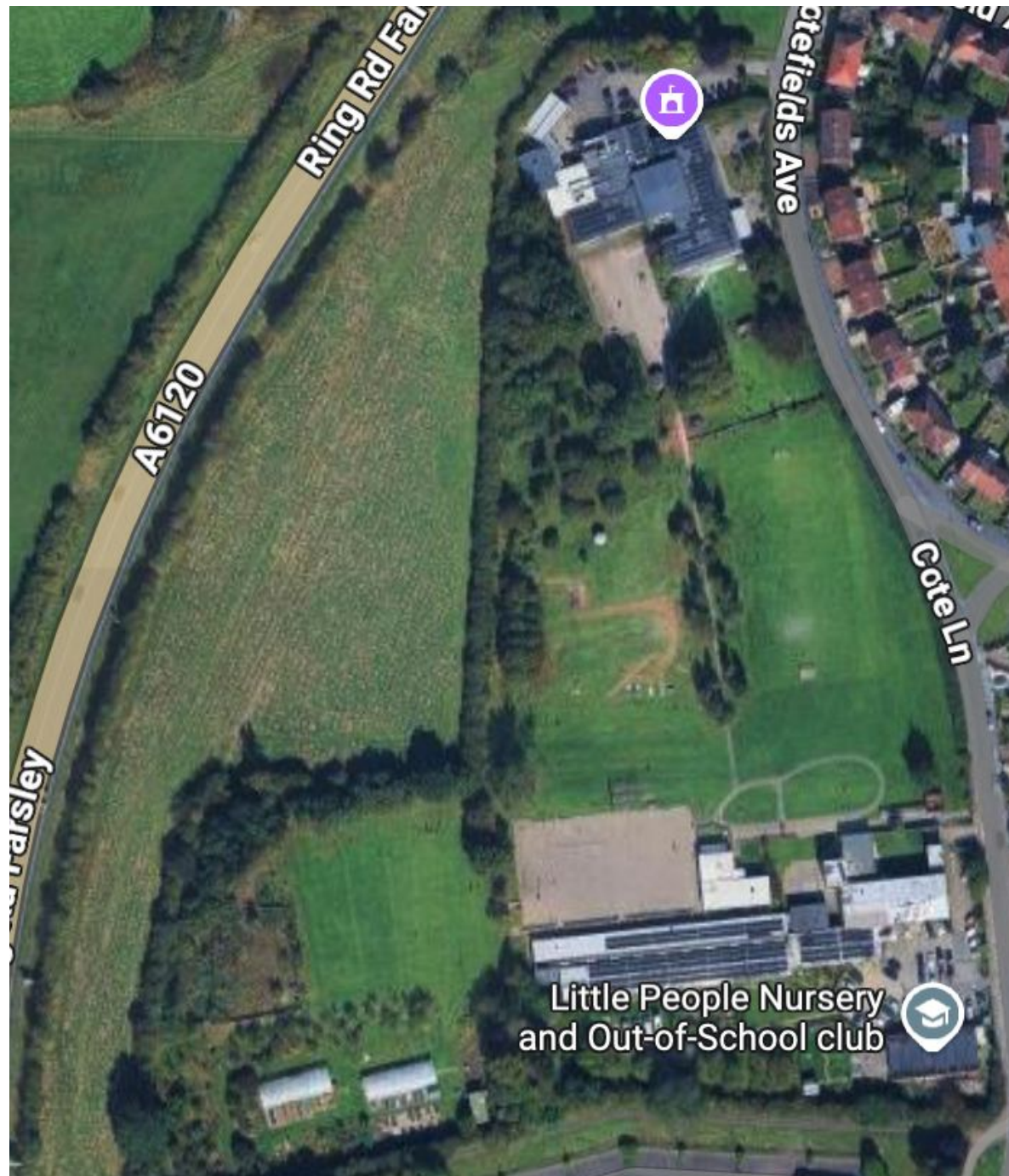
Welcome to Farsley Farfield Primary School

Peter Harris
Headteacher





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schools awards
2017

Winner

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Reception Teachers 2025-6



Miss Pinnock



Mrs Kumar



Mrs Andrea Tomlinson

There will be one general class teaching assistant in each class and potentially one or more TAs with SEND responsibilities too.

When Reception classes are covered for PPA or other release time, this will typically be delivered by Mrs Rebecca Myers (well known to many parents and children from her work in Nursery).



Class Organisation



The two Reception classes are adjacent to each other; this enables them to share space and resources. The children often have access to either room.

The children have a shared outside space, also used by Nursery.

The classes usually remain the same throughout their time at Farfield.



What your child needs:

School uniform (all clearly labelled)

PE kit (On Fridays, all clearly labelled)

Fruit snack (supplemented by milk in the morning; water and fruit are available all day)

Milk is subsidised, but parents are asked to contribute £12.00 per term. Non-dairy milk can be requested.



Never send nuts into school.

What your child needs:



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Whittaker's on Town Street, Asda. M&S, second hand...

What your child needs:

- A level of independence: toileting, coats, shoes, knife and fork etc
- A positive attitude to play and to learning
- Support and challenge from home



What we will need from parents:

- Very good attendance and punctuality, including a reasonable and regular bed time
- Lots of talk at home and sharing of books
- Encouragement with any homework, **particularly reading and phonics**
- Home talk (including discussion of the 'Blog')
- High expectations and aspiration
- Support for school and PTA events



What parents can expect from the school:

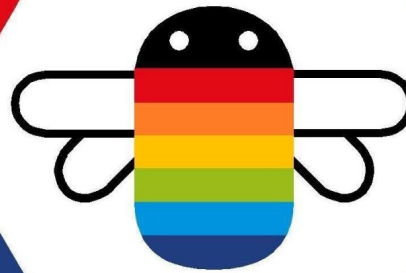
- High levels of care
- Personalised attention to your child's learning needs
- A commitment to partnership with parents, with regular two-way communication
- A rich and creative curriculum
- Prioritisation of early reading and number skills
- Promotion of positive and ethical social development



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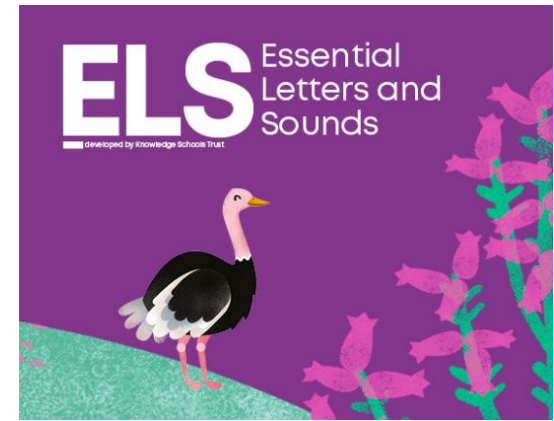
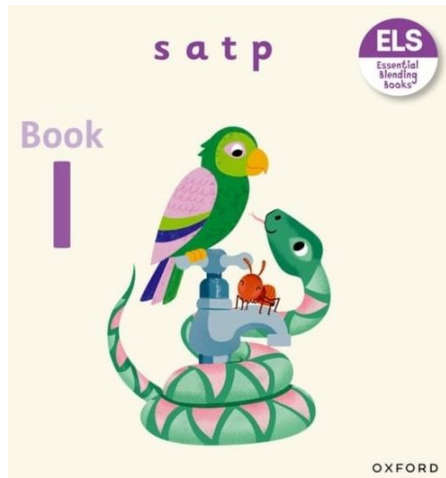
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- Sessions typically begin with a teacher-led introduction: phonics, writing, number, story
- Learning is largely through play, with small group directed activities
- Reception classrooms are organised into 'areas of provision' plus regular and extended opportunities to play and learn outside
- Skillful adult intervention extends thinking and learning



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Phonics



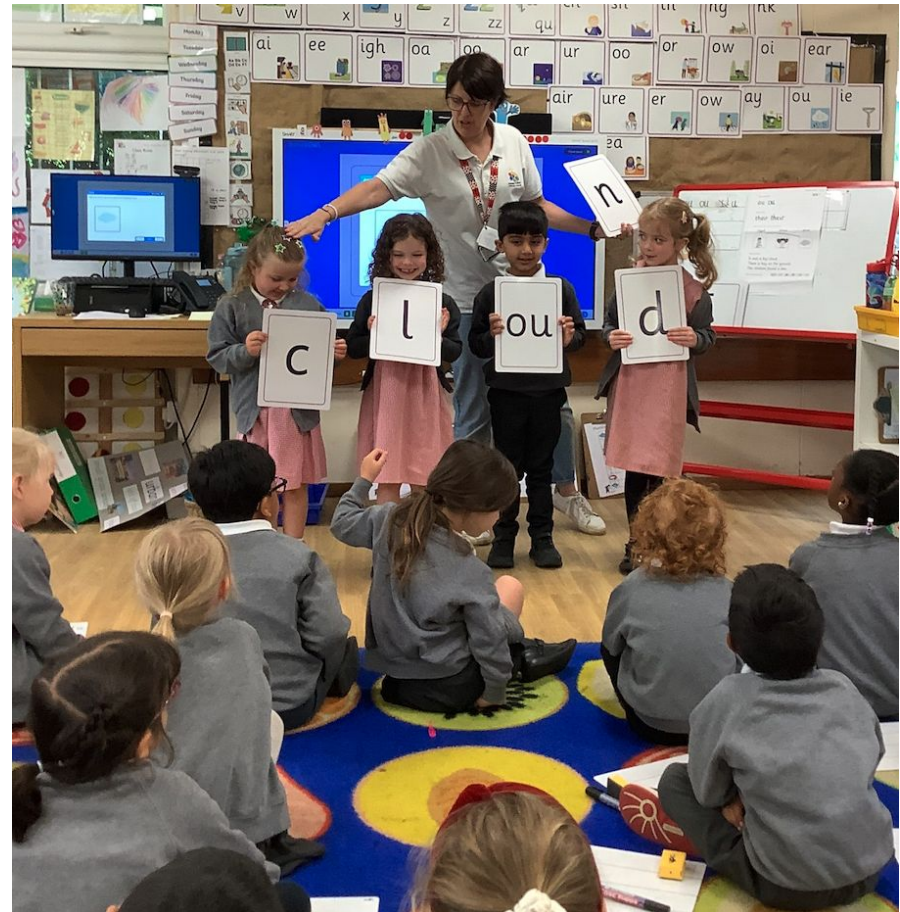
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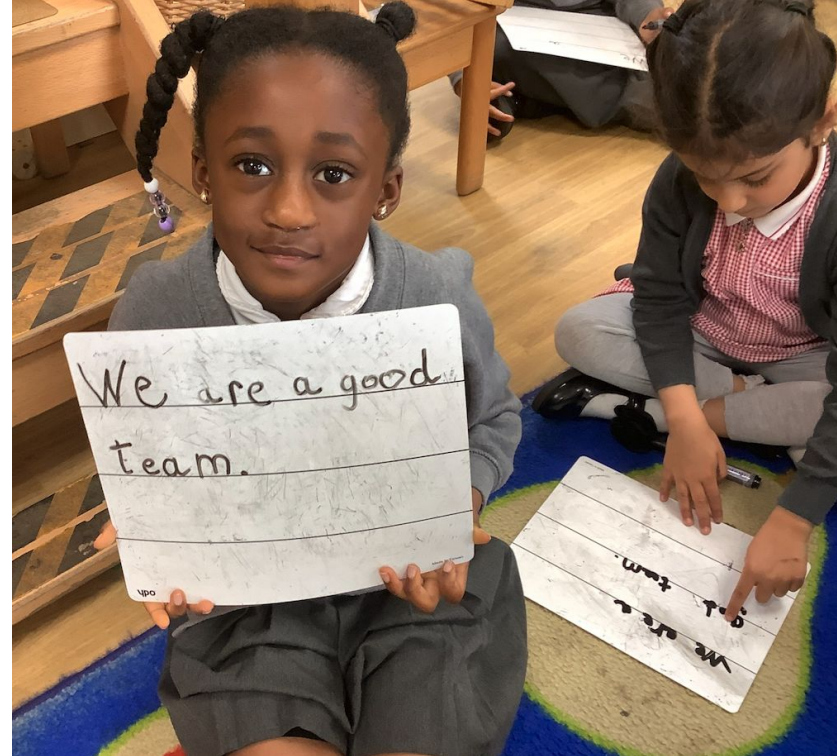
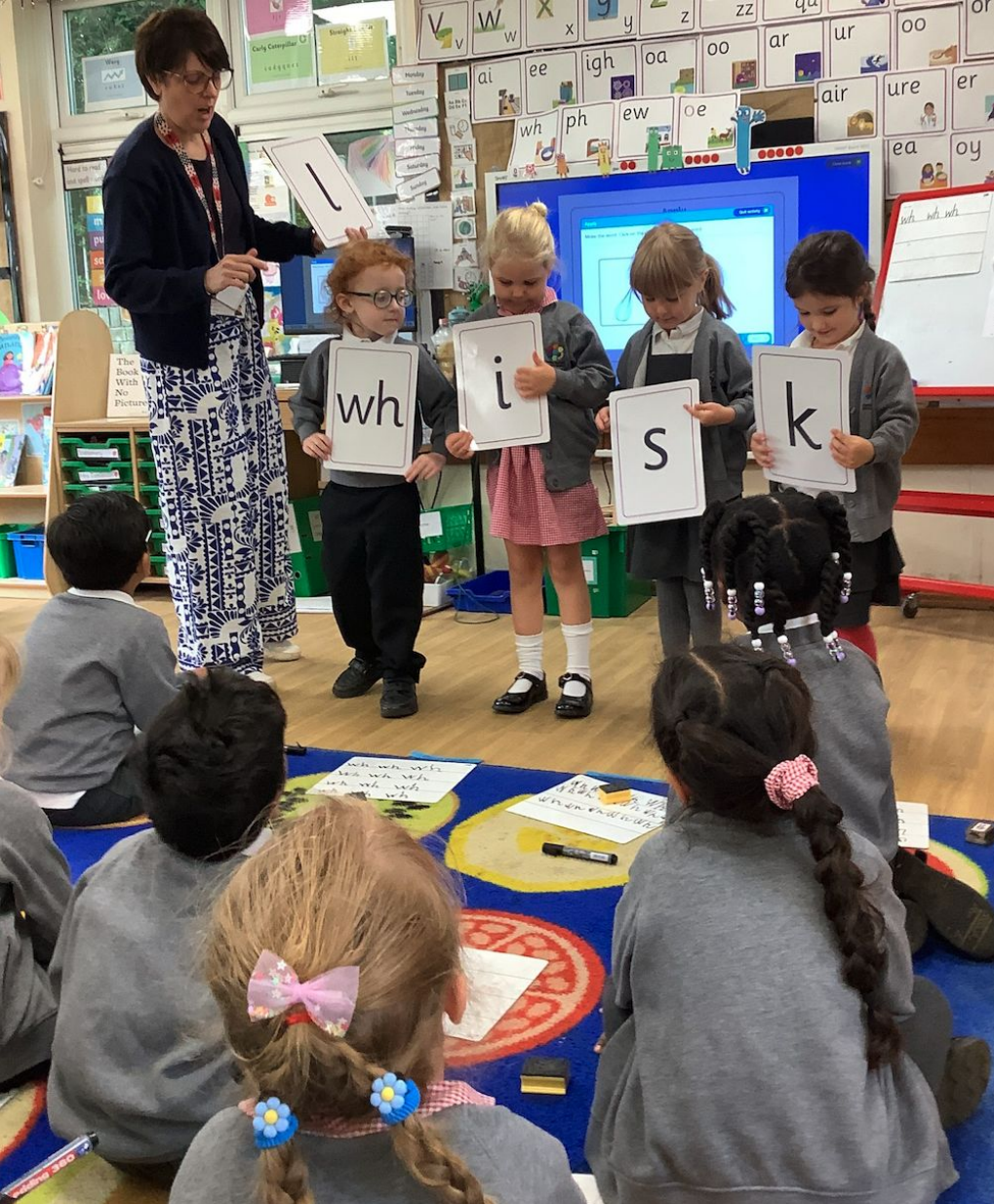
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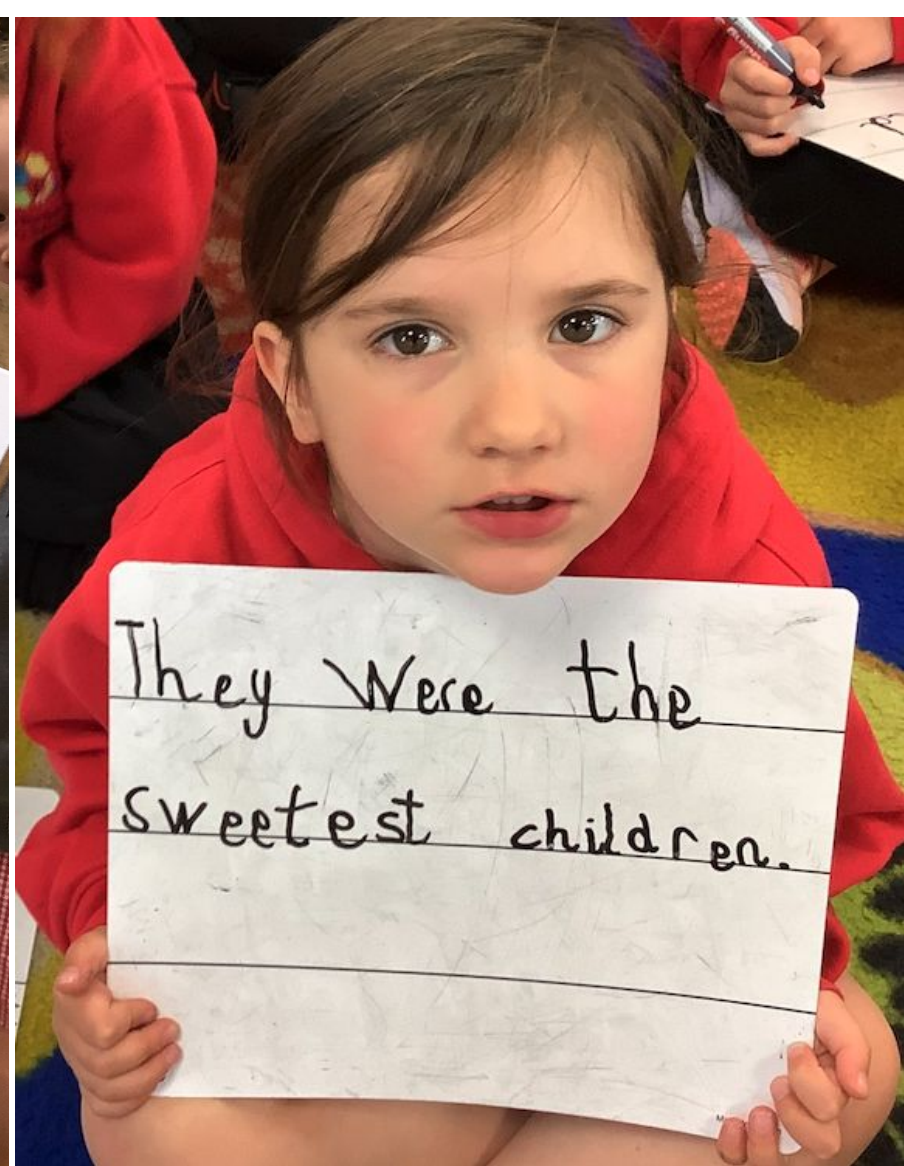
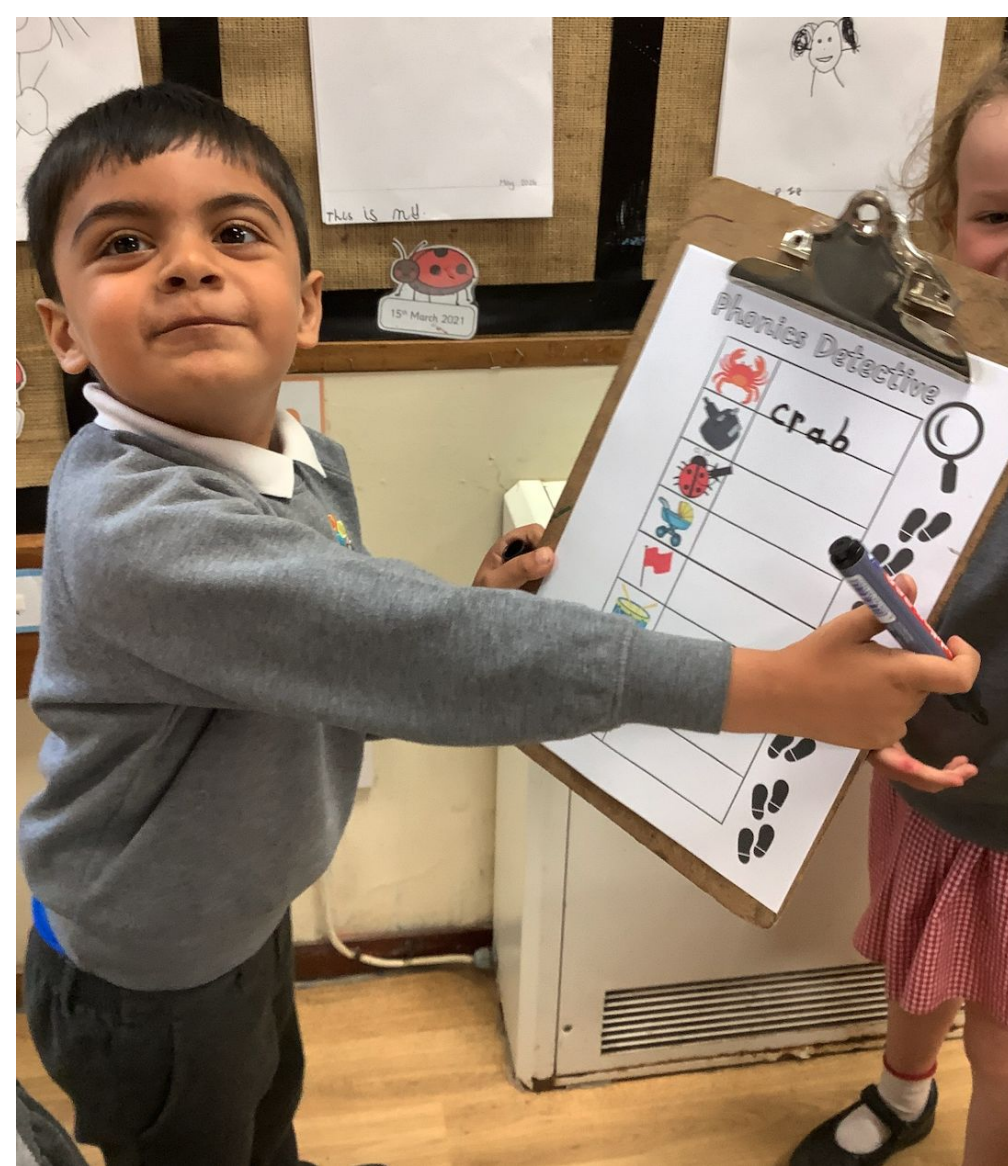
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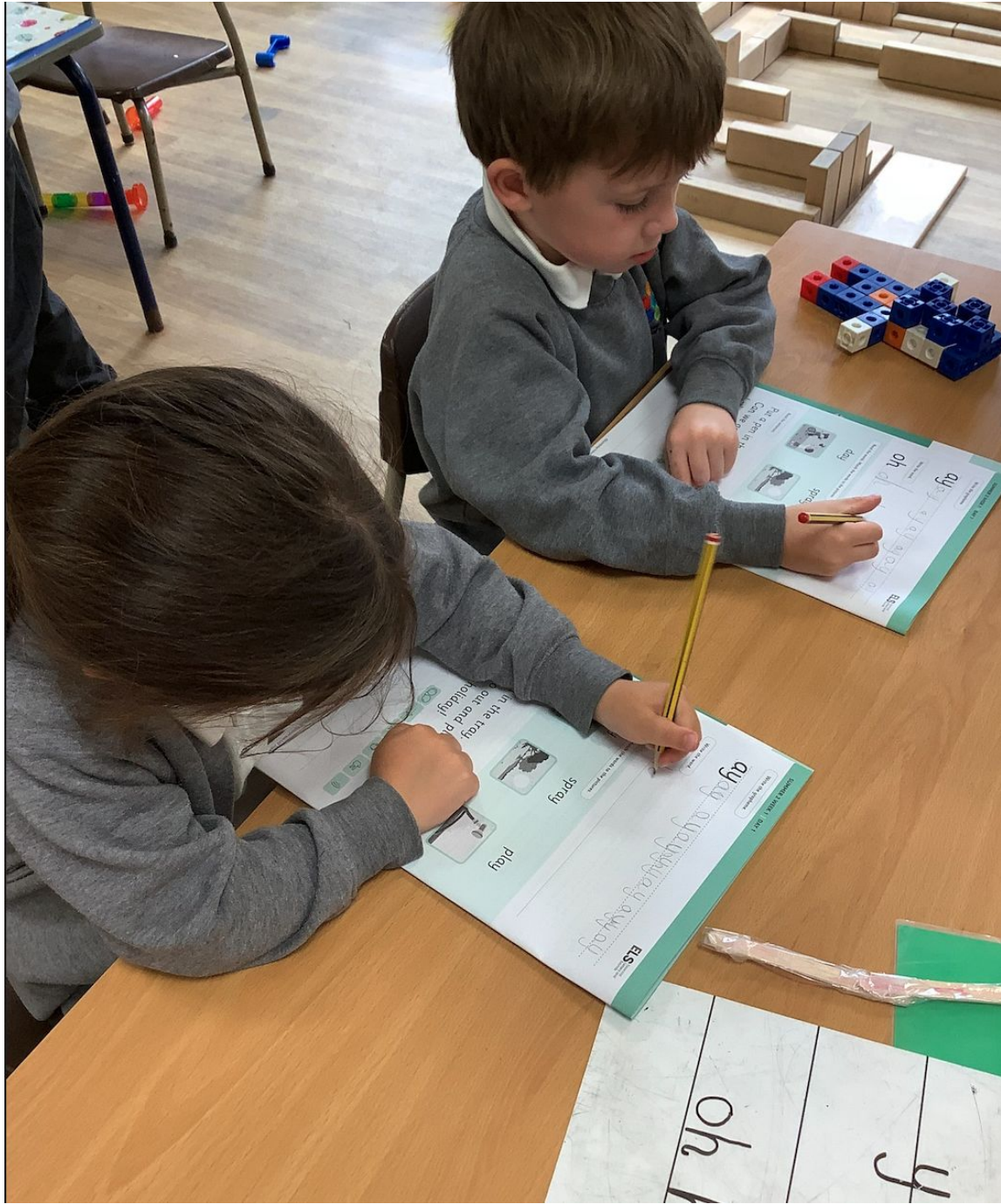


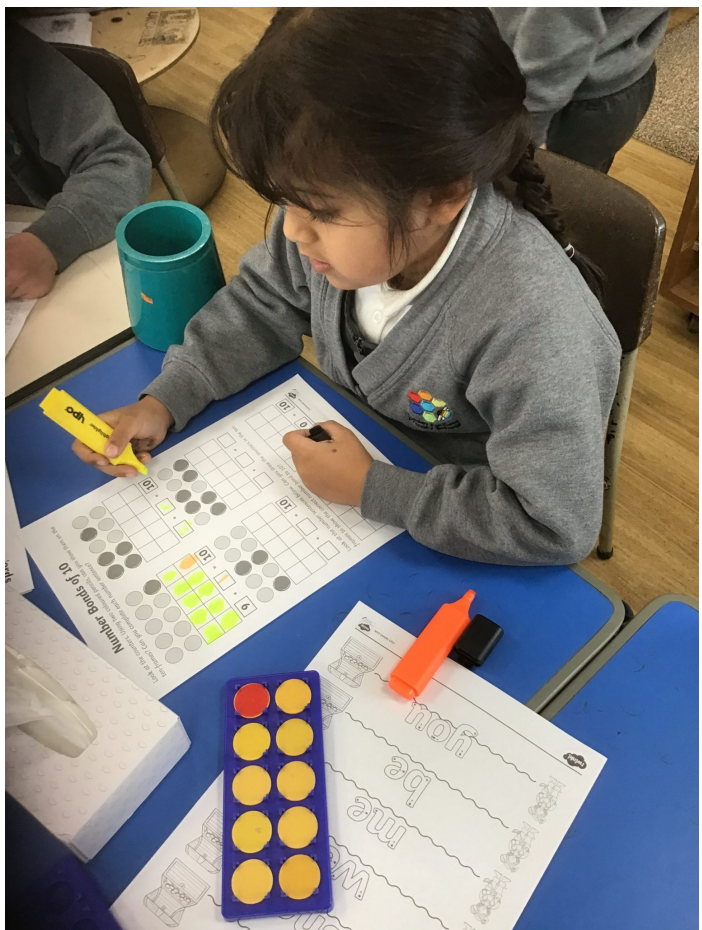
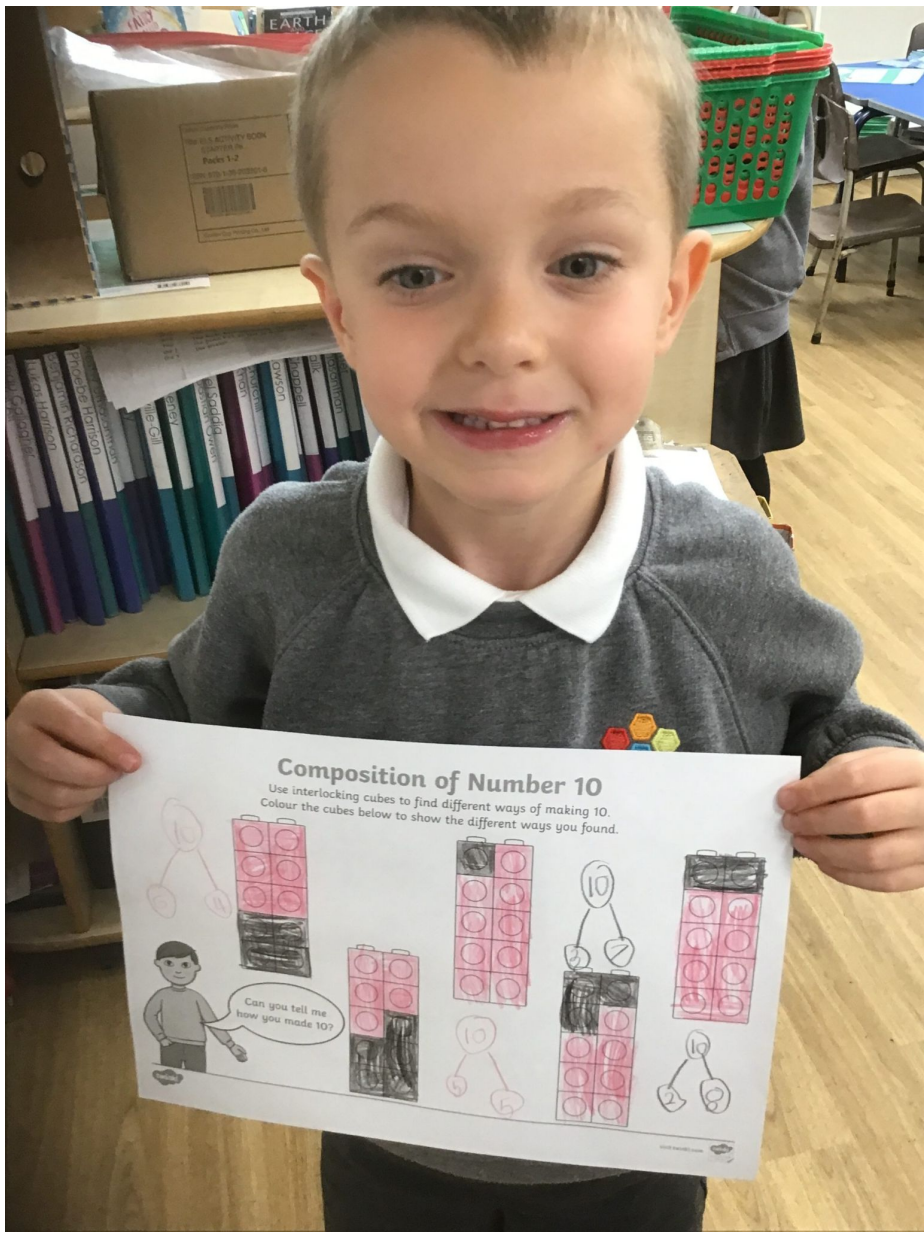
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- s ... s ... sandcastle







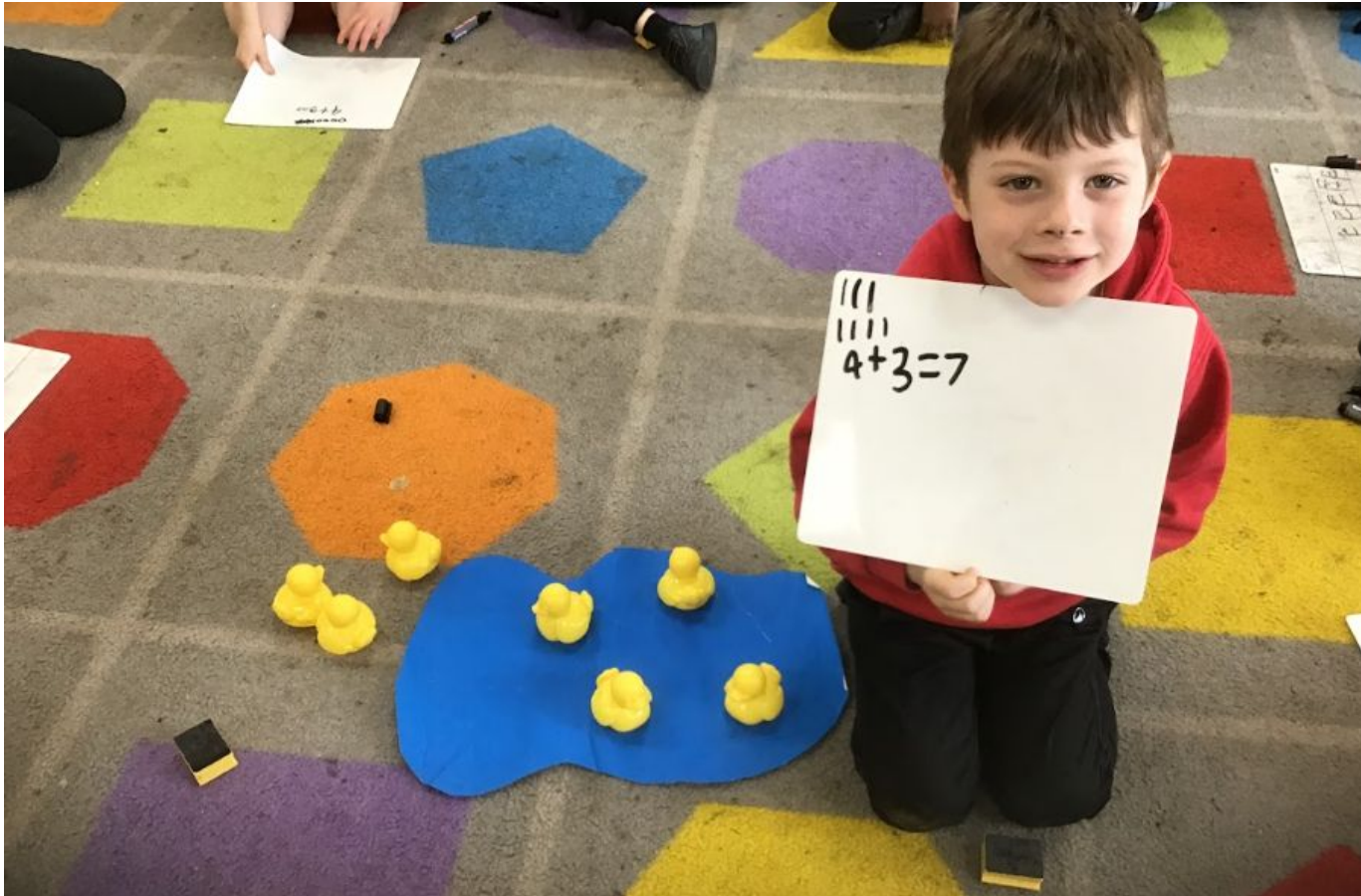




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Secret Readers



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Individual Profiles

- Each child has their own profile; this contains some of their work, adult observations and assessments.
- You can look at their profile whenever you like.
- These observations and assessments inform planning and provision.
- We will no longer have online assessments/portfolio



School Meals

- Free for all children R-Y2!
- Very high take-up
- Highly recommended
- Family service, set meal
- Nutritional standards
- Allergies catered for: please discuss in advance and on admission form
- Vegetarian and halal available every day
- At least one meat-free meal for all every week
- Three week rota always available on website



School Meals

Week 1

w/c 20th April, 11th May, 8th June, 29th June

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breaded fish with new potatoes	Lamb spaghetti bolognese	Pork sausage with mashed potato	Tomato and basil chicken with rice	Pizza with diced potatoes
Veggie fingers with new potatoes	Vegetarian spaghetti bolognese	Vegetarian sausage with mashed potato	Tomato and basil Quorn with rice	Pizza with diced potatoes
Breaded fish with new potatoes	Halal beef spaghetti bolognese	Vegetarian sausage with mashed potato	Tomato and basil halal chicken with rice	Pizza with diced potatoes
Homemade fruit crumble with custard	Homemade fruity flapjack	Ice cream	Homemade iced sponge	Fruity Friday



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Week 2

w/c 27th April, 18th May, 15th June, 6th July

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Fish fingers with new potatoes	Jacket potato	Chicken casserole with mashed potato	Chilli and rice	Macaroni cheese
Veggie nuggets with new potatoes	Jacket potato	Vegetarian casserole with mashed potato	Vegetarian chilli and rice	Macaroni cheese
Fish fingers with new potatoes	Jacket potato	Halal chicken casserole with mashed potato	Halal chilli and rice	Macaroni cheese
Homemade fruit crumble and custard	Homemade sponge and custard	Ice cream and fruit	Homemade oat and raisin cookie	Fruity Friday

School Meals

Week 3

w/c 4th May, 1st June, 22nd June, 13th July

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Salmon fingers with new potatoes	Mediterranean pasta bake	Pork sausage and mashed potato	Keema curry and rice	Chicken casserole with roast potatoes
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Regular diet

Vegetarian diet

Halal diet

Desert



Parent Pay

Sometimes we will need to ask parents for money. Sometimes this will be for things that must be paid for, e.g. meals or milk (if not FSM), whereas for some other things it will be a 'voluntary contribution'. We minimise the cost of most trips by using our own minibuses.

We strongly recommend that parents sign up for Parent Pay: we don't really want cash or cheques. Parent Pay is usually more convenient for families and for school.

You will receive information about signing up for Parent Pay in September (you can't easily be set up prior to having your child on roll). Please sign up to, and activate, Parent Pay asap in September.



www.farsleyfarfield.org.uk

- Regular blog postings of news and work covered
- Photo galleries plus video
- Important events
- Email alerts
- Share with extended family?
- E-Safety
- Comments and 'thumbs up'
- New website coming soon



Communication

Please email absences to attendance@farsleyfarfield.org.uk or leave a message on 0113 2058130 option 1.

You are welcome to email teachers directly but please respect working hours and don't expect a quick response, especially outside of usual working hours.

If you set up a parent Whats App, please don't use that forum for any negative comments about individual children or staff.

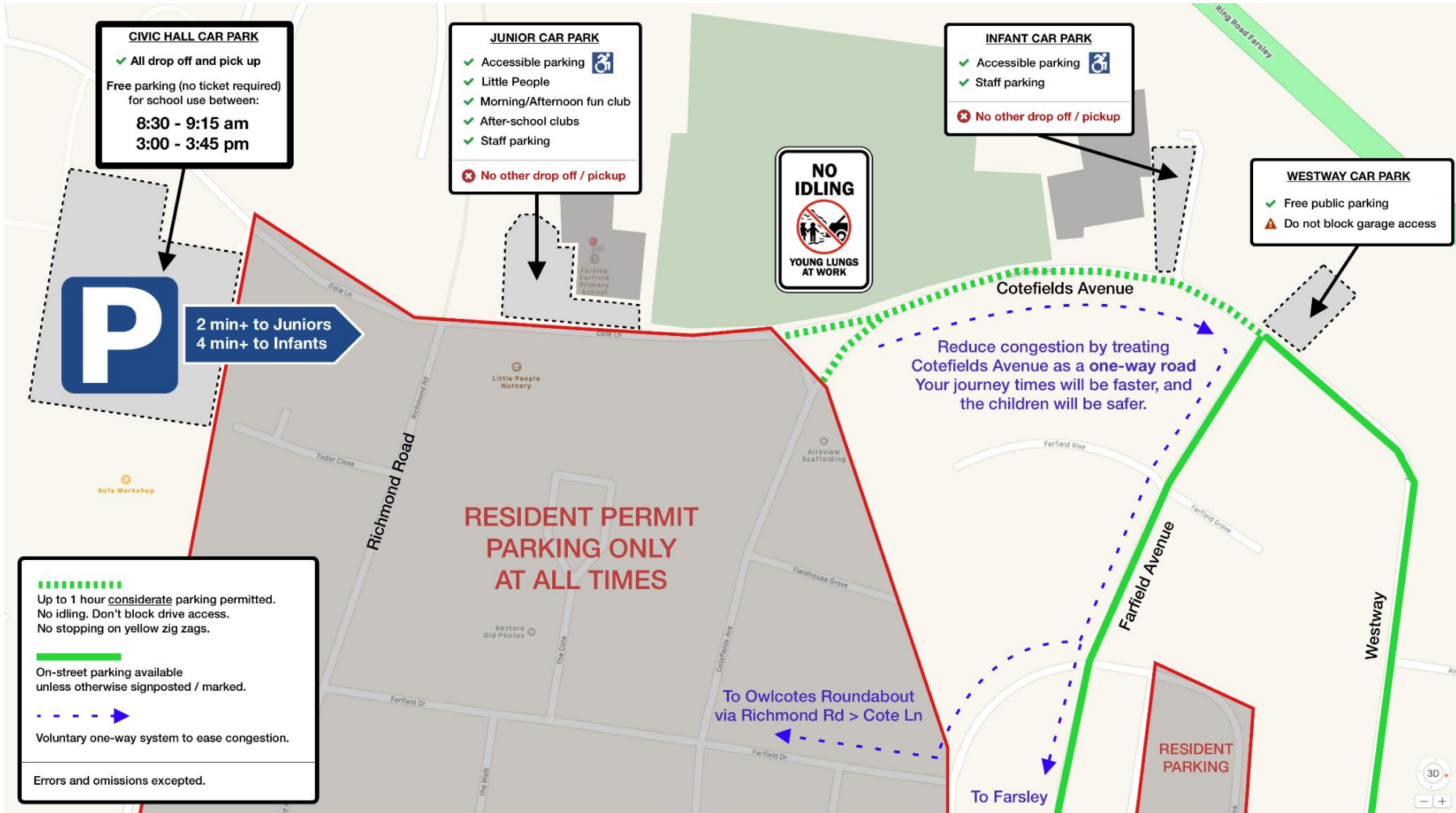
Teacher Training Days (5 per year)

Tuesday 1st September

Others TBC

We aim to give at least 3 months'
notice of TTDs.

Parking



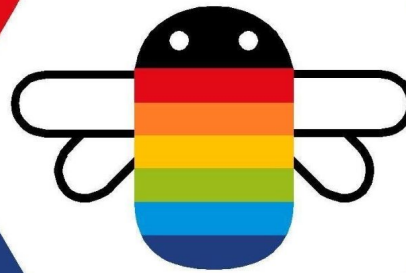
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