



Oxbridge Lane Primary

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**Welcome to Reception**

# Welcome



## The Reception Team

Miss Parker

Mrs Payne



# School Uniform

Our uniform is important to us as it shows we are proud to be part of the Oxbridge family.

A green sweatshirt / cardigan  
White polo shirt  
Black or grey trousers/ skirt  
School shoes  
Book bag



## For summer

Green gingham dresses  
Black shorts



For safety reasons please keep all jewellery at home.

With 30 five year olds in one space, you will understand our reasons for asking you to **PLEASE LABEL** all clothing clearly. Uniform can be ordered from [Elizabeth Embroidery](#).

# What does the school day look like for your child?

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## School Hours

The gates will open at **8.45 am** and the children will come in to hang their coats up and come in to the classroom.

Lunch starts at **11.45** and afternoon sessions begin at **12.30 pm**.

The school day ends at **3.15pm**.

## Collecting Your Child

The door will be opened by staff at 8.45am and 3:15pm.

Please line up outside and staff will hand your child to you. Children are asked not to come until a member of staff call their names. All children **must be** collected by a responsible adult who is known to the staff.

# What does the school day look like for your child?

Reception Autumn Term	8.45am- 9.00am	9am- 9:15am	9:15-9:45am	10.15- 10:30 am	10:30-11:45	11:45 am- 12.30 pm	12.45pm- 1pm	1:00-2:00pm	2:00-3:00pm	3:00- 3:15
<b>Monday</b>	Handwriting	Phonics	Reading & Busy Time	<b>Snack</b>	Writing & Busy Time	<b>Lunchtime</b>	Phonics	PE & Busy Time	Maths & Busy Time	Story
<b>Tuesday</b>	Handwriting	Phonics	Reading & Busy Time		Writing & Busy Time		Phonics	Maths & Busy Time	Topic & Busy Time	Story
<b>Wednesday</b>	Handwriting	Phonics	Music & Busy Time		PE & Busy Time		Phonics	Maths & Busy Time	Topic & Busy Time	Story
<b>Thursday</b>	Handwriting	Phonics	Reading & Busy Time		Writing & Busy Time		Phonics	Maths & Busy Time	Topic & Busy Time	Story
<b>Friday</b>	Handwriting	(Assembly 9.00-9:30)	Reading & Busy Time		Writing & Busy Time		Phonics	Maths & Busy Time	Topic & Busy Time	Story

# PE days



This term our PE days are Monday and Wednesday.

Children should come into school in their PE kits including appropriate footwear.

# Homework



Homework will support work undertaken in class and as such, your child should be able to complete a task independently or with just a little support. Homework will be given out on Monday and will be due back on Friday

Homework will usually focus on reading and phonics.

# Reception Ready

Ready for Reception your child should be able to independently:

- ✓ Wash their hands
- ✓ Go to the toilet
- ✓ Put their own coat on and zip it up
- ✓ Put on their shoes and fasten their velcro
- ✓ Take turns and share with others
- ✓ Recognise their name



# What will we be learning?

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Within the Early Years curriculum there are 7 areas of development:

- Communication and Language
- Personal, Social and Emotional
- Physical Development
- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Understanding of the World
- Expressive Arts and Design

We try and make learning as exciting as possible giving children lots of time to explore our topics in the environment. We will send home notes of what we are learning in class.

# An Ideal Day

## Be Ready...

- Good bedtime
- Morning routine
- Healthy breakfast
- School uniform -all labelled!
- Velcro shoes named
- Calm start to the day

## Bring...

- A smile
  - Book bag - labelled
  - A water bottle - labelled
  - A bag of spare clothes
- (if you feel your child will need them)

# How can you help at home?

- Read to your child for 10 minutes everyday – children will choose a book from school for you to share with them.
- Once children are confident in blending they will bring home a reading book. Please read this with them every night.
- Play games with your child, encourage them to take turns, talk in sentences and how to deal with losing sometimes.
- Ensure children do not spend more than 1 hour a day on a screen.
- Go for walks and talk about what you can see and hear around them.
- Sing nursery rhymes and other songs.
- Complete their homework together – weekly.

## Are all your forms in?

- Medical information
- Contact information
- Dietary requirements
- Allergies
- Photo permissions
- Local visits permissions
- Permission to collect

## Keep in Touch

- Drop off & collection
- Social media
- Website
- Half termly newsletters
- **Contact: 01642 607421**  
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