



Badbury Park Primary

Nursery Welcome Information

Welcome to Badbury Park Nursery



We would like to welcome you to Badbury Park Primary School and Nursery

We are looking forward to welcoming you into our school community. Our school is a vibrant, friendly place where the children are at the heart of everything we do. We believe in teaching skills, sharing knowledge and building special memories that children will take with them through the rest of their lives.

At Badbury Park, our Curriculum is centred on meeting the needs and interests of our children. There is a focus on wellbeing, encouraging children to form supportive relationships. Providing opportunities for children to explore their own interests and ideas shapes children who view themselves as confident, resilient learners.

The environment allows children to be adventurous and curious through open-ended exploration and discovery. This ties in with our school values – Be Adventurous, Be Ambitious, Be Curious, Be Kind.



Be Adventurous



Be Ambitious



Be Curious



Be Kind



Our Nursery Day

Our nursery day starts with a warm welcome as children arrive at school. Children are dropped at the nursery gate and staff will help them put away their belongings on their peg.

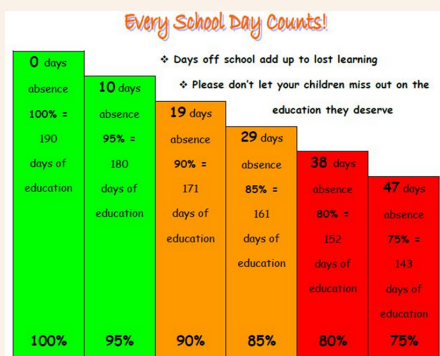
Please make sure that you arrive on time so that our sessions can begin promptly. Lateness can effect children's ability to settle in a new setting.

- 8.30am - Session arrival, songs, and registration
- 8.40am - Circle time or phonics activity
- 8.45am - Explore and learn time.
- 9.30am - Freeflow snack with an adult
- 11.00am - Tidy, whole class activity such as squiggle wiggle or dough disco
- 11.15am - Story, songs and
- 11.30am - End of session - morning children go home

Lunch for 30 hour children

- 12.15pm - Session arrival, songs, and registration
- 12.25pm - Circle time or phonics activity
- 12.30pm - Explore and learn time.
- 1.15pm - Freeflow snack with an adult
- 2.45pm - Tidy, whole class activity such as squiggle wiggle or dough disco
- 3.00pm - Story, songs and
- 3.15pm - Home time

Explore and learn time: During this time, the children can freeflow inside and outside, following their own learning. Adults observe, support and extend children's learning in the moment.



Uniform

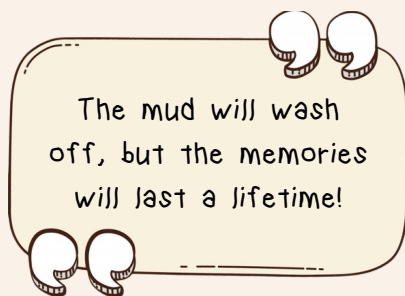


At Badbury Park, all the children wear a grey jumper with our school logo on, to show that we belong together.

The children also wear a white polo shirt, grey jogging bottoms and comfortable black shoes that they can take on and off. Uniform is available from www.dressmyschool.co.uk

No jewellery is allowed except for small, plain studs if children have pierced ears.

Children will need a waterproof coat and water bottle. We also ask for a named bag with spare clothes that can be kept in school so that children can change if needed.



We are lucky to spend lots of time outside at nursery, whatever the weather! The children have freeflow access to outdoor learning and will be having fun in the sand and water. We also go on regular welly walks on the field, even through winter.

To support our outdoor learning, we ask that all children are provided with waterproof, weather suitable clothing to keep in school. This should include waterproof trousers/all in one as well as wellies. For summer, please provide a sunhat.

Please label all your items!

Snack and lunch

There is a £15.00 charge per year to cover a fruit snack. This can be paid bi termly at £5.00.

Lunch Club

30 hour children are able to stay for lunch. Lunch club costs £4 per hour. You will be invoiced monthly and can pay via My Child at School.

If you would prefer to give your child lunch at home, you are able to pick them up at 11.30 and drop them back for the afternoon session at 12.15pm.

We do accept child care vouchers.

If you choose for your child to have lunch in school, parents can book a hot dinner for an additional £2.30 per day. Hot meals must be pre-booked and paid for via the My Child at School app. Alternatively, children may bring a healthy packed lunch from home.

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A Guide to Building...

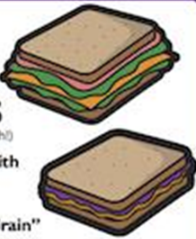

Healthy Snacks & Lunchbox

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Bring **WATER** everyday!

Putting tap water in a reusable bottle is FREE and will help keep your child hydrated all day!



<p>Whole Grains (Great for Snack or Lunch)</p> <p>Make sandwiches with whole grain bread. Look for labels that say "100% Whole Grain"</p>	 <p>Fruit (Great for Snack or Lunch)</p> <p>Pack fresh fruit each day for snack and lunch. These are easy, convenient ways to add fruits to your day</p>
<p>Pack healthy snacks each day. Add a healthy sweet or savory treat. Try whole grain crackers and pretzels for savory snacks or dried fruits for sweet treats.</p> <p>Snacks</p>	 <p>Add veggies in your child's lunch. They add a healthy crunch instead of chips.</p> <p>Veggies (Great for Snack or Lunch)</p>

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Being Independent

Three year olds love to be independent and we want to encourage them to do as much as possible for themselves.

Developing independence helps build self-esteem and decrease frustration. Helping children to understand that they may not do it right first time helps build resilience and fantastic learners!

How to build independence ready for nursery:

- Encourage children to find the right clothes for the weather.
- Encourage them to dress and undress themselves.
- Let them put on their own shoes and socks.
- Ditch the buggy and encourage them to walk. There is a direct correlation between gross motor and writing skills.
- Get moving - under 5s should have three hours of movements per day.
- Encourage them to ask for help if they need it
- Encourage them to tidy their toys when they are finished.
- Follow two part instructions (e.g. put the red car in the blue basket).



How to put on your coat

Toileting:

- By three, most children should be dry during the day. It is common for children to have accidents, particularly in a new environment. We will ask you to give permission for changing and send spare clothes in so that we can assist children in changing themselves.
- We have toilets freely available in nursery, children are free to take themselves and we will help wherever necessary.
- If you have not started toilet training, summer is the perfect time!
- Make toileting and washing hands part of your every day routine - encourage your child to have a try and lots of positive praise!
- Encourage your child to sit on the toilet shortly after they eat or drink.
- Put them in clothes that are easy to take on/off such as joggers.
- Try not to worry if they have an accident, consistency is key.
- There is lots of information on the NHS website. www.eric.org.uk also has lots of tips.
- We are happy to support with toilet training, please just ask.

Ambitious Learners



Connected

We are:

Authors

Collaborators



Scientists



Writers

Apple Tree are ambitious and adventurers. We love discovering new things together.

Sometimes we show 'super sitting' together on the carpet or work with our friends. We are learning to be kind, share with others and always try our best.

We can't wait to welcome you.