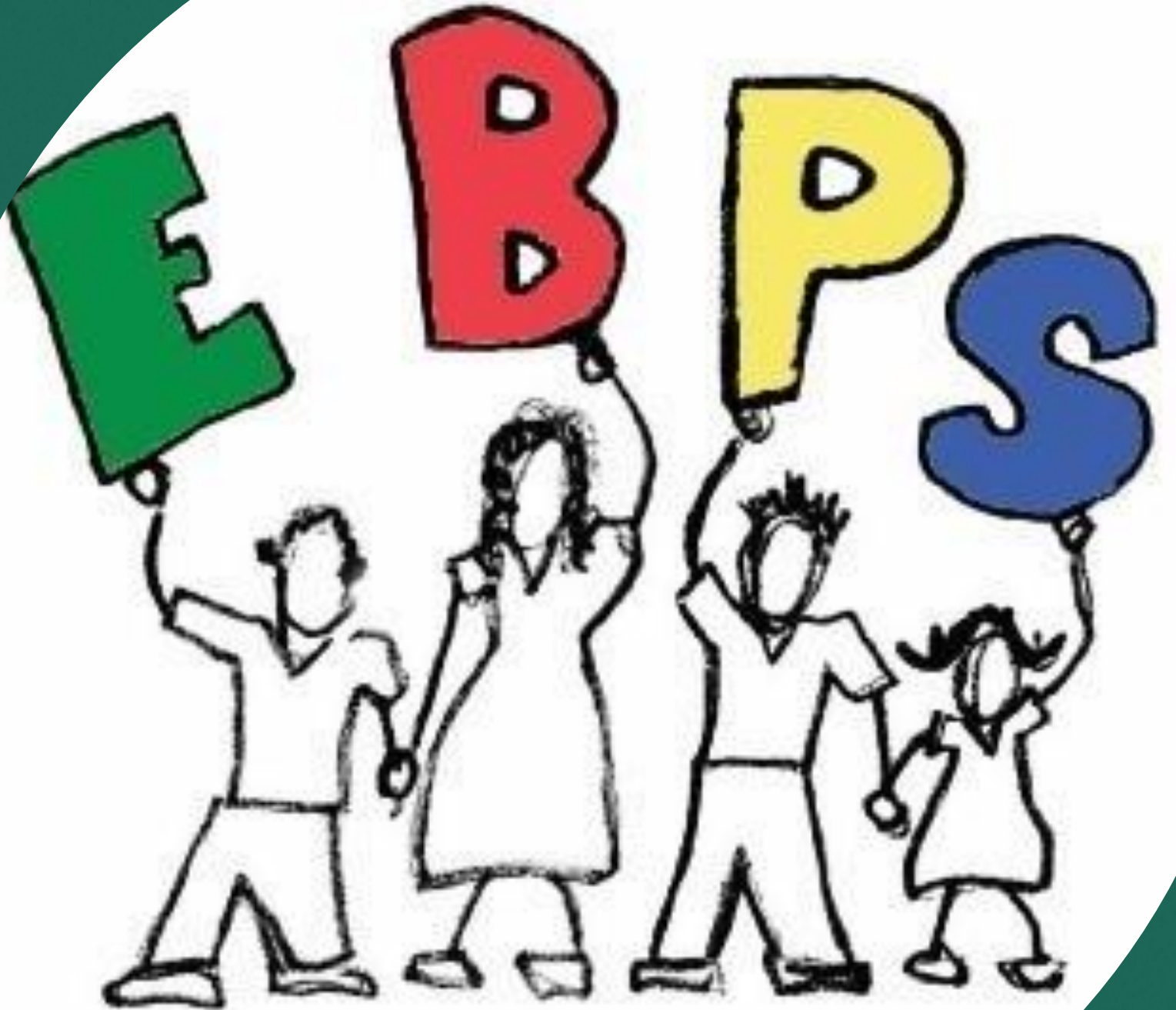


2023-2024

Welcome to Reception



The Classes in Reception are:

Daisy

Buttercup

Clover

Mrs Bryan



Miss Luca



Miss
Dangerfield



The other teachers who will work in Reception on a Tuesday morning are:

- Mrs Bromilow
- Miss Mantle
- Miss Malone

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Reception Teaching assistants

left to right:

Mrs Dunkley (Daisy class Tues & Weds)

Miss Mantle (Daisy class all week)

Miss Darlington (Clover class)

Miss Hooton (Buttercup)



Early Years Leader

Mrs Bryan is the Early Years phase lead, overseeing all three Reception classes

If you have any worries, questions or comments that you wish to share, which your child's class teacher is unable to help with, Mrs Bryan is your next port of call.

Please ring and leave a message or email to the office and Mrs Bryan will get back to you as soon as she can or alternatively, she can usually be found on the Daisy class door in the mornings and afternoons.





Only if Stage 2 of the formal complaints procedure has been completed
can any complaint be referred to the Department for Education / Ofsted

Communication with school

Governors

Headteacher

Deputy
Headteacher

Phase leader

Inclusion leader

Class teacher

(first point of call - always)



Telephone calls will
usually be returned
within 24 hours



Emails will be
acknowledged within
2 working days. Full
and detailed replies
may take up to 1 week



Complaints will be
acknowledged within
3 days and formally
responded to within
10 days

EBPS Formal complaints
policy

Majority of concerns and queries

Senior Leadership Team

Miss Lally – Headteacher



Mr Morris - Deputy head



Pastoral Support

- Mrs Cath McManus (top photo) is our Inclusion Leader for the whole school
- You can contact Mrs McManus if you are concerned about your child in any way and she will do her best to help you.
- Please contact her via the School Office in the first instance.



- Mrs Rosie Brennan is our Family Support Worker
- Rosie is on the gate every morning and is available for parenting support, advice, financial worries – any worry you have really!
- You can speak to Rosie in-person or call via the office
- She welcomes parents and families into the Butterfly Room for confidential discussions



PE days in Reception is:

- **Friday** indoor PE for all classes (starting week commencing 25th September)
- PE kit should be worn to school on these days.
- **NO JEWELLERY ALLOWED** for PE



The gates / door you should use to come into school are:

- The wrought iron gates on Broad Street have steps straight into the Reception outdoor area.
- If you need step-free access, come through the main double gates and go around the building.
- All three Reception classes use either of the two Reception doors; into the cloakroom or straight into the classrooms.



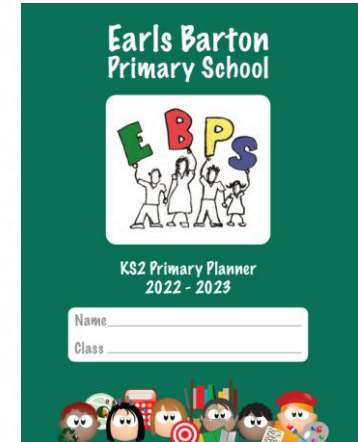
Library days will be:

- **Friday** for all Reception classes
- Children should bring their library book back for exchanging every Friday
- Their book bag should be in every day ready for when phonic books start to come home.



Home-School communication

- We will be using the SeeSaw app to share learning between home and school. Further details available in September with your log-ins and how to use.
- We will also have a new home-school planner for every child with term dates, key school information, advice on how to help your child read and more! Each week is dated and we ask that a parent /carer signs to confirm a child has read at home every day (Monday – Friday).
- These planners will be checked weekly to award house points for reading and homework.



School day

- The classroom doors will open at 8:45am
- Children should be in school by 8:55am daily for registration
- After 8:55am, they are marked as late and should go via the office to sign-in
- After 9:00am children are classed as not attending the morning session as the register has closed. This will be an unauthorised half day absence.



Uniform

- White or bottle green polo shirt with school badge
- Polo shirt in plain white or bottle green (no logos or stripes), or plain white shirt/blouse. ☒
- Trousers/tailored shorts/skirts/pinafore dresses in plain black or grey (no logos or stripes). Skirts and dresses should sit just above the knee and shorts should be no higher than mid-thigh.
- Summer dresses/skirts may be worn - either green/white striped or green/white checked. Skirts and dresses should sit just above the knee.
- Socks may be knee high or ankle length. Socks or tights should be white, bottle green, grey or black.
- All logo'd items are **OPTIONAL** and can be purchased from Stevensons on Abington Square, Northampton.
- **BLACK SCHOOL SHOES** (or plain black trainers) should be worn on all non-PE days



PE kit

- PE kit consists of white T-shirt with logo and green shorts or plain white T-shirt
- bottle green/black shorts (cycle shorts are permitted)—plain black plimsolls or trainers (of any colour).
- Black or bottle green tracksuit bottoms and a plain black or bottle green sweatshirt may also be worn during winter months.
- Fleece jackets in bottle green with logo (optional)
- Sensible well-fitting watches (not bangle type or smart watches) can be worn to help children tell the time. The school takes no responsibility for these items if they are lost, damaged or broken. Watches must be removed for PE.
- Trainers (of any colour) can be worn on PE days
- NO earrings can be worn for PE – they must be removed (taping over them is not acceptable)



Wraparound care

- We are delighted to have partnered with Happy Hols to provide before and after school wraparound care at EBPS
- This is open for children from Reception – Year 6 and will be in the KS2 hall daily
- Please email: info@happyhols-playscheme.co.uk



Before & after school clubs

- All school sports clubs will be in the Infants hall or outside.
- The offering from September 2023 will be:

	Extra curricular Clubs 2023				
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
KS1 hall					
am	Dodgeball (Ryan / All Stars)	8:15 - 8:45am Junior Choir (Y1 - Y3) Mrs Levell	Football (Ryan / All Stars) KS1 playground	Gymnastics (Debbie Jackson)	8:15 - 8:45am Senior Choir (Y4 - Y6) Mrs Levell
pm	Gymnastics (Debbie Jackson)	Dance club (Miss Luca) from term 2)	Football (Ryan / All Stars)	Athletics (Ryan)	EYFS club with Ryan from term 2

See you on Wednesday 6th September at 8:45am

- Have a wonderful and safe summer break.
- Every classroom will be open on Wednesday 6th September 3:30 – 4pm for an informal “meet the teacher” session
- Remember to keep sharing lots of books!
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