



Parent Welcome
October 2021



My family

Orla – 8

Gracie – 4

Callum - 1



My first headship

MAPS

DRET

2014 - 2017



My second headship

King's College Alicante
2018 - 2021



My third headship

Earls Barton Primary School
2021 - ?!



STAYING THE SAME





Staffing

- Deputy Head: Mrs Clarke
- Inclusion Lead: Mrs McManus
- Phase Leaders for EYFS/Y1: Mrs Sturman
- For Y2/3/4: Mr Stockham For Y5/6: Mrs Scott
- Teachers





Staffing

- Teaching assistants
- HLTAs – cover class 1 afternoon per week
- Family Support Worker: Mrs Brennan
- Behaviour Support Worker: Mrs Goldup
- ELSA (new)
- Office staff
- Lunch staff
- Cleaners





Curriculum

- Phonics
- Reading as a priority
- Talk for Writing
- White Rose Maths
- High quality science
- All other subjects taught discretely





School Values

- Self-belief
- Honesty
- Respect
- Excellence
- Kindness





Excellence

- Celebrating it
- Sharing it
- Role-modelling it
- PRIDE in presentation: self and learning
- In learning and working environments





Rewards

- GTBG rewards
- Certificates: Wow Wednesday, times tables
- Hot Chocolate Fridays
- Social Media sharing
- Communication with parents (phone call / postcard for positives)
- Bartonian Awards termly





Mental Health & Well-Being

- ELSA role remains (new member of staff)
- TAMHS Bronze – working for Silver
- Support for children
- Support for staff
- PSHE and mindfulness





Traditions

- Remembrance
- Maypole
- June fayre
- Village festivals
- Sports days
- PTA links





IMPROVEMENTS





Premises

- Enhancing EYFS areas
- Improving IT provision
- Improving impression of outside of school
- Extension?!
- Parking and road safety





Services available

- Wraparound care off-site
- More variety of school clubs
- Improving school lunches
- Cashless school
- Streamlined communication
- No “first come, first served” replies





Enhanced curriculum

- More WOWs
- Purposeful, engaging learning opportunities
- More trips and visitors
- Ensuring real-life learning
- More outdoor learning





Community Links

- School at the heart of the community
- Soap Box derby linked to DT
- Library
- Church
- Businesses
- Nurseries
- Secondary schools





Higher Focus

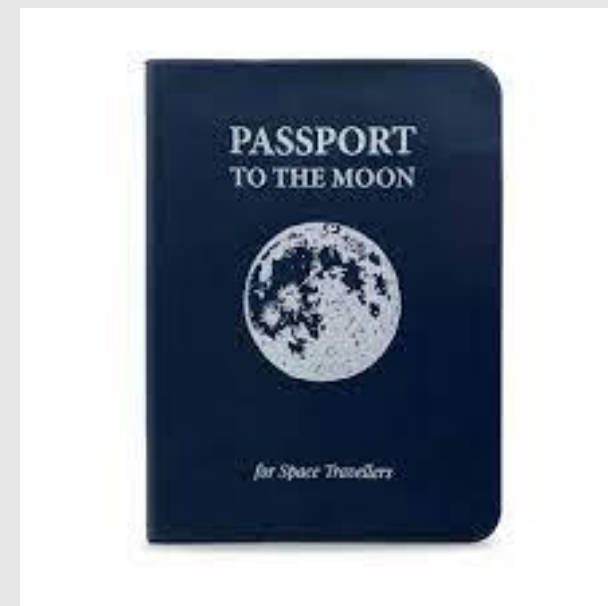
- PSHE and well-being
- PE: raise profile and engagement
- Art: Skills progression
- DT: Skills and projects
- Foreign languages
- School Council and pupil voice





New Ideas

- Eco-Council of children
- Passport initiative
- App for interacting with parents and sharing photos and learning
- Reports to parents x 3 yearly
- Building on digital skills





THE FUTURE?



In Years to come...

- Expansion of the school?
- Council investment in buildings?
- Teaching School/ centre of excellence?
- Academisation?
- Attached nursery?



ANY QUESTIONS /
COMMENTS?