## School lunches




In Year Two, your child will continue eating in the dining hall. Pouring their own drinks, using cutlery and eating with their friends. We are focusing on continuing to build a 'family' eating atmosphere at school.



Here is a picture of our fantastic outdoor area.

We play outside, and do lots of learning too.

## How to support your child's learning at home

There are many things you can do at home to support your child's learning. These include allowing your child to read their ReadWriteInc books to you every day, engaging with posts on Class Dojo, at home pouring glasses of water (for capacity), counting money, checking the time and giving children real life experiences for them to apply their knowledge, and so much more.

*Please make sure you are signed up to **Class Dojo**, it is free and helps you keep informed with your child's learning.

## Clubs

There will be the opportunity for you to sign your child up for after school clubs. Keep a look out for the sign up forms in the office. £1 per session.





Everyday your child will choose a new reading book to put in their book bags to take home. They will need their bookbags **daily** for RWI too.







# Moving Onto Chestnut class 2025 -2026





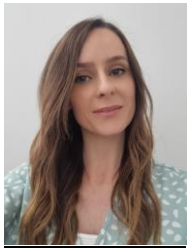

## Welcome to Chestnut Class!

We are so excited to have you join Year Two. There are so many lovely things planned for year two that we can't wait to share with you and your child.

## Year Two staff and the school day

Your child will continue in their same class into year 2. We have planned lots of games and activities to help settle all of the children following the Summer holidays. We understand the importance of easing the children back into the school routine.

**Below are the adults in Chestnut class 2025-2026**

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| **Miss Hillyard**<br>**Class Teacher** | **Miss Butcher**<br>Teaching Assistant | **New staff member**<br>Teaching Assistant |

Your child will also work with other adults including Miss Osei, Miss Howard and Miss Burrows throughout the week.




**Breakfast club** - if your child would like breakfast at school, this begins at 8.35am each morning in their classroom.

**Morning Learning** - during the morning the children will engage in english and maths learning every day, supported by adults.

**Read Write Inc** - children will take part in ReadWriteInc sessions every morning in small groups, like they did in year one. Please make sure they read their ReadWriteInc books at home and bring them each day, in their bookbag.

**Lunch** - in the dinner hall.

**Afternoon** - each afternoon will look slightly different. The children will explore subject learning including Science, History, Geography, Religious Education, Computing, Music, PE, Art, Design and Technology etc. They will also have further opportunity to learn through provision, both indoors and outside to both consolidate and challenge their learning, once jobs are complete.

**Home time -** Children will still be collected from their classroom door at 3.15pm.

**Here is a photo of part of our learning environment:**



*Here is a photo of the provision in Chestnut class.*

## What to bring to school every day

Everyday your child is expected to come to school in their school uniform. As well as your child's uniform, please bring to school:



- A named bag/ bookbag
- Named wellies (to keep in school)
- Named spare clothes including underwear (to keep in school unless used)
- Appropriate weather clothing (coat, jacket, sun hat, sun-cream and sunglasses etc) all clearly named please.
- A water bottle.

Please send your children to school in their PE kits on our P.E afternoon - this day TBC.

You will **need to send a water bottle** to school with your child please.

Your child will spend time each day learning outside as a part of their class learning. They may get a little muddy, whilst having lots of fun learning!

We will provide waterproofs for each of the children, to be used when weather appropriate.

We provide aprons to protect children when engaging in creative activities.