Our Learning Agreement

Children, parents, governors and staff created this in partnership. It is on our website and you will sign a copy at your Parent Teacher meeting at the beginning.

Friends of Heathbrook (PTA)

All parents and carers are automatically members of our PTA.

We encourage your involvement in the life of the school as part of our partnership with parents and carers.

The Friends of Heathbrook provide opportunities to celebrate being part of our community, whilst also raising funds to support our children’s learning.

Look out for a range of social activities throughout the year.

Attendance & Punctuality

Regular school attendance is important to ensure children get maximum benefit from the opportunities for learning which are available to them. The responsibility for ensuring children attend school regularly and punctually rests with parents and carers.

Every child is expected to have an attendance of 96.5% and you will be contacted if it drops below this. Being late by just 10 minutes every day is the equivalent of missing 7 days of school in a year.

Our School Uniform

We take pride in creating an environment where every opportunity is offered to inspire children to learn. We believe that, by having a uniform, children arrive ready for their learning as equals. Once in school, each child’s individuality is nurtured.

Ensuring that our uniform is worn consistently is the shared responsibility of children, parents and staff.

Please look after personal property by ensuring that all clothing is marked with your child’s name.
Nursery
Weekly Timetable

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Dates for Your Diary

Thurs 5th Mar - PTA Coffee Morning
Thurs 5th Mar - World Book Day
Sat 14th Mar (9.30 to 12.30) - PTA Gardening Together
Fri 20th Mar (6.30 to 8.30pm) - PTA Social & Film Night
Fri 27th Mar - PTA Coffee Morning
Fri 27th Mar - PTA Secondhand Uniform Sale
Mon 30th Mar - Spring Bonnet Parade
Wed 1st Apr - Curriculum Information Session (8am, 3.20pm and 5.30pm)

Nursery
This Half Term’s Learning

We will be building on our established routines. The children are all very settled now. We will continue to learn through play, both inside and outside, singing and small group work.

This half term we will be reading the story Chicken Licken, a real favourite! We will learning about the season of spring, new beginnings as well as lots of planting and growing. We will be teaching the children about the story of Easter.

Please read the Nursery Year Group Updates on our website every week to find out what we are learning about currently and see photos of things we have done. (You will also find this leaflet there too.)

Home Learning

We provide home learning to develop children’s independence and confidence, consolidating what is being taught in school and preparing them for future learning. We recognise that children and their families have differing circumstances and we aim to make our home learning appropriate and accessible for all pupils.

Daily reading with your child: 5 to 10 minutes per day. Counting forwards and backwards. Look for numbers in the environment eg. house numbers. Practise writing their name. Keep up with lots of practical activities together e.g. baking, setting the table, shopping, tidying up.