

Useful Websites/ Apps

Numberblocks

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b08bzfnh/numberblocks>



Hungry Little Minds

<https://www.nhs.uk/start-for-life/toddler/learning-to-talk/learning-to-talk-3-to-5-years/>



Numbots

<https://numbots.com/>



Phonics App

<https://sounds-write.co.uk/ipad-app/>



Bedtime Stories

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/bedtime-stories>



Contact with Staff

We have a tiered approach to contacting staff regarding any queries or concerns you may have. In the first instance, you should contact your child's class teacher (after 3.30pm). If your child's class teacher is unavailable, you have the option of speaking to an Assistant Head Teacher (by making contact through Main Reception):

Your child's allocated Assistant Head is:-

Early Years – Miss Hammond



Please note Assistant Heads are classroom-based on a full-time basis

If the concern requires immediate attention, then please contact main reception who will arrange an appointment with either **Mr Houghton (Deputy Head Teacher)** or **Mrs Sheridan (Head Teacher)**



Contact Information

Head Teacher/ Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mrs A Sheridan

Deputy Head Teacher: Mr S Houghton

Assistant Headteacher for SEND/ Inclusion: Mrs D Richardson

Email: P3517.admin@durhamlearning.net

Telephone: 0191 517 5900

Or message us via Class Dojo



Welcome to Nursery


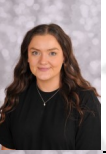


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Introduction to Nursery

Hello everyone and welcome to Nursery!

Please meet below the adults that make up our Nursery team. We have:

Team Member	Role
	Mrs S Cartwright is the lead teacher for Nursery, and supports the Fox Family
	Miss A Hope is the Teaching & Learning Partner supporting the Squirrel Family
	Miss A Ord is the Teaching & Learning Partner supporting the Deer Family
	Miss D Peverley is the supporting Classroom Assistant in Nursery

For specific daily updates, please keep up-to-date with our Class Dojo 'Class Stories'

Should you need any further information regarding provision in Nursery, please do not hesitate to contact a member of the team through Class Dojo.
Best Wishes,

The Nursery Team

What Parents Need to Know

Drop Off

Please ensure you bring your child through Gate 2, where you will be directed around the Nursery garden one-way system. You will queue to drop your child off at the Nursery doors.

Collection

Gates will open at 11:30/ 3:30 for parents/carers to collect children from the Nursery doors. Please ensure you follow the one-way system to queue.

Spare Clothes

In case of any accidents, we ask that each day your child brings with them at least one change of clothes in their bag, to ensure staff are able to change the clothing when/if required.

Labelling Uniform

Please ensure all uniforms are clearly labelled with your child's name. This will support us to return any lost items. The lost property is located at Main Reception, in between the automatic doors, to the left.

Home Readers

Children will receive a reading for pleasure book each Friday. We ask that you read this book with your child at least 3 times. These books must be returned to school on Wednesday to be changed.

Muddy Mondays

On Monday's our learning will be based outside, in all weathers. Please ensure your child comes to school in weather appropriate clothing (including spares and wellies).

Water Bottles

We ask each child to come to school with a water bottle to ensure they are fully hydrated throughout the school day. We advise only water or juice. Water bottles can be refilled at any point throughout the school day.