

Welcome to 1AB class/Owl class.



My name is Mrs. Born and the teaching assistant's name is Mrs. Hayat. Mrs. Honeyman will also be in year one to help across the year group with Mrs Bashiruddin as a one to one help. This class is called Owl Class because I believe that owls are very wise and curious for knowledge. They show resilience when trying new things and have the courage to take that first leap into the unknown.

I like reading, chocolate and marmite. I dislike drawing, football and baking. I have a pet dog called Sophie (she is not allowed to come to school as she has too much energy!) and three grown up children.

Things that are useful to know!

Year one is a bit different from reception and they might have to sit at the table and work together as a class, at the same time. There is no free flow between classes and although we have outdoor learning we do not have play equipment outside everyday. We do expect only water to be in their water bottles and for them to bring in a healthy snack for the morning break (Nothing with nuts in as this is a nut free school). PE kits are brought in at the start of term and sent home at the end. Homework is once a week and is normally a maths task to consolidate their learning. Reading is encouraged daily but we understand that is not always possible. Reading books and contact books are to be sent in every day (even if you have not managed to read) so that we can read with them in school too. Library books are on loan for a week and are to be returned the following week. In year one there is a national phonics check normally in the first week of June. I will give you a timetable at the start of the year¹

Staff in 1AB

Mrs. Born
Class Teacher



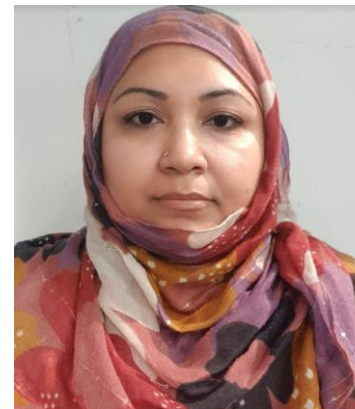
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Teaching Assistant



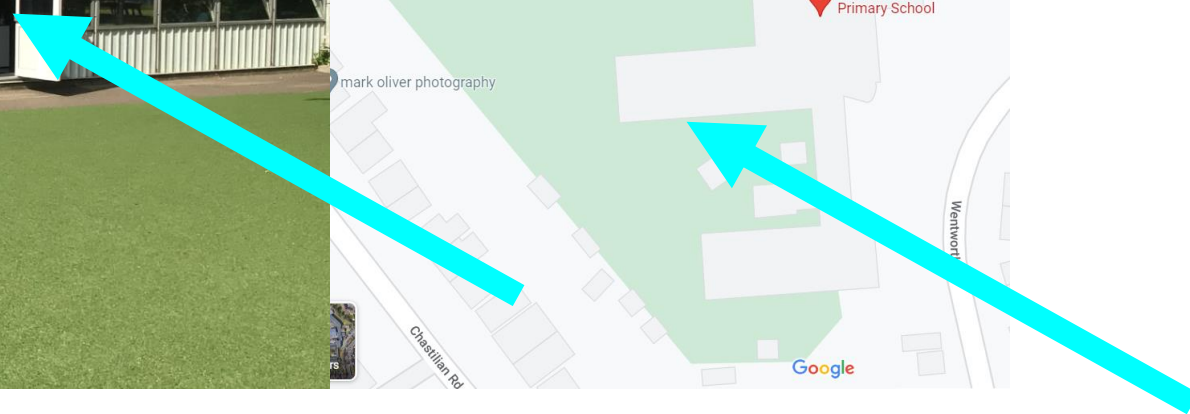
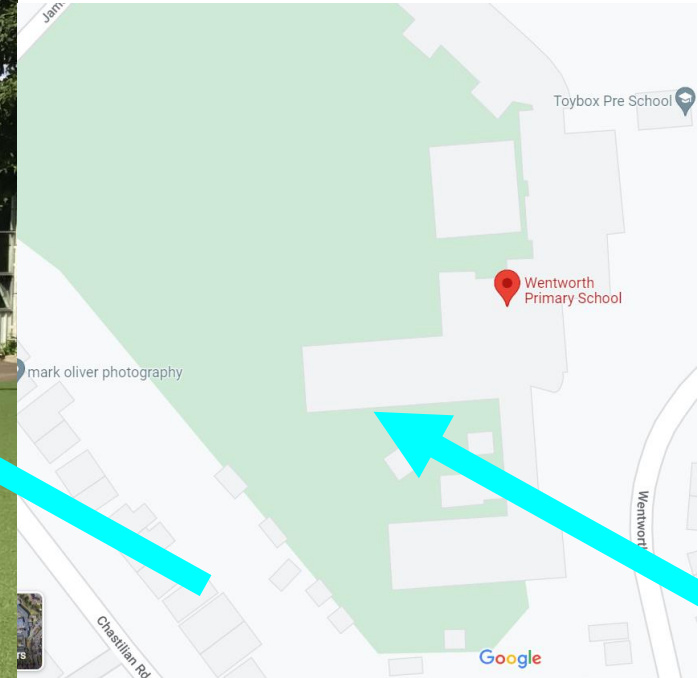
Mrs Honeyman
Higher Level Teaching Assistant



Mrs Bashiruddin
Specialist Support Teaching Assistant



Where to drop off/collect your children



Photos of our classroom



Owl class door



The tables and chairs



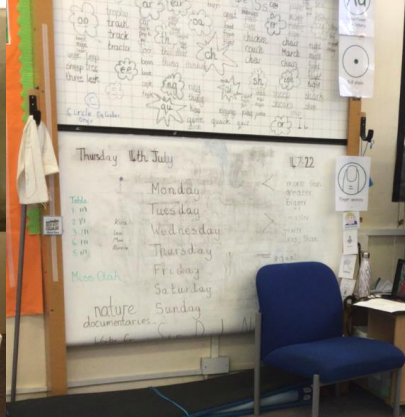
The snack trolley



The Role Play area



The book corner



The white board



The interactive whiteboard



The cloakroom



The carpet area



Drink bottles and fruit



The toilets



The trays

The playground



This year we will be learning many new things. In year one, we will have a daily lesson of phonics, English, reading and maths, in the mornings. In the afternoons our topic titles for the year will be: It's good to be me; Wonderful Winter; Under the Sea; Kings and Queens; Important People and Day Trips. Through these topics we will teach the subjects of: history; geography; music; R.E.; computers; science; design and technology; personal, social, health and economics; art. We have two lessons of physical education, one inside with aspects such as dance and gymnastics and outside with aspects of ball skills, skipping, team games and preparation for sports day activities. We will need an indoor and outdoor PE uniform.

In year one we continue using Monster Phonics. Here are a few useful resources. First 100 high frequency words.

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100 High Frequency Words

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The next 200 high frequency words

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| am | did | man | ran | dog | cat | sat | hot |
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| or | lots | let's | next | gran | fast | last | eggs |
| stop | still | must | much | best | fish | wish | across |
| wind | king | thing | things | think | miss | than | that's |
| duck | rabbit | long | along | plants | grandad | morning | |
| away | play | way | gave | may | say | again | |
| place | take | great | narrator | | | | |
| been | need | keep | feet | sleep | green | queen | tree |
| trees | three | eat | tea | each | sea | really | please |
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| floppy | every | any | only | many | suddenly | everyone | key |
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| find | giant | fly | why | cried | | | |

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| boat | know | window | snow | grow | | | |
| new | use | | | | | | |
| school | food | soon | room | who | two | through | |
| our | round | shouted | mouse | found | around | town | how |
| more | would | different | friends | live | lived | | |
| head | door | which | gone | horse | pulled | | |
| love | where | thought | couldn't | laughed | once | something | |
| good | want | dark | under | other | bear | birds | dragon |
| took | water | hard | never | mother | magic | work | animals |
| book | wanted | park | ever | coming | boy | small | there's |
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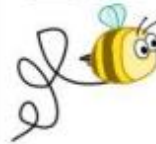
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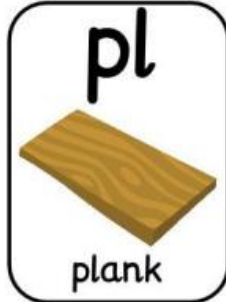
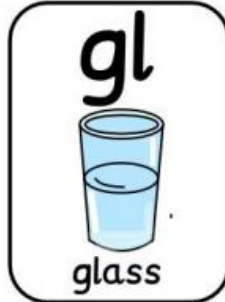
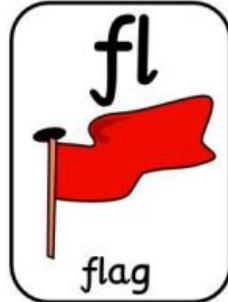
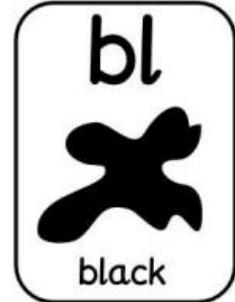
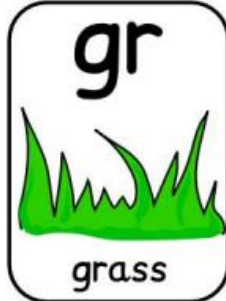
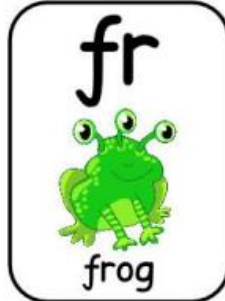
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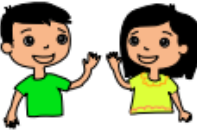
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