

VIRTUAL TOUR OF SHATTERLOCKS INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Welcome to our School

To all prospective parents looking for a School for September 2021

I know many of you have accessed our new prospectus and read our most recent Ofsted report both of which are available on our new website.

However, we appreciate that you don't really get a feel for a School until you look around it. Usually, of course we welcome visitors and parents with open arms; we are extremely proud of our provision and our wonderful staff and children. We like new parents to see the School in action on a 'normal' day as we pride ourselves on our positive and purposeful learning climate, where every child is nurtured, challenged and valued as an individual.

Unfortunately for obvious reasons we are unable to welcome you in this way at the moment. For this reason, we have produced a virtual tour of the School, to show you all the rooms and classrooms, displays, facilities and outside areas. Whilst this will not be the same as being here while the children are learning, I hope it gives you a flavour of our friendly, calm and welcoming environment and a glimpse of the wonderful work produced by the children. Please Ctrl and click to open links below.

Mrs. Nicky Biddle Headteacher of Shatterlocks Infant and Nursery School.

NURSERY CLASSROOM AND OUTSIDE AREA

We have a Nursery that offers places for children from the term after their third birthday. The Nursery allows for flexibility of provision including half days and whole days. The team is highly experienced and led by teacher Mrs Dan Hesselworth. The nursery has a large vibrant playroom, an outdoor classroom and access to an outside environment for physical play. Our Nursery is currently full for this year, but please contact the Nursery Office if you are interested in a place for 2021/2022.

Welcome to our Nursery

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The Nursery Playroom

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The Nursery outdoor Classroom

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RECEPTION CLASSES AND OUTSIDE AREA

Each year we have a new Reception intake of 60 children. Many of those come up from our own Nursery but this is not automatic entry, you must still apply for a place in the normal way through Admissions. We also take many children who have attended other Nurseries.

All our classes throughout the School have a teacher and a full-time experienced Teaching Assistant. We are also lucky to have several additional adults and specialist TAs working across the School on Speech and language and other interventions for pupils who may need additional support.

Provision for Reception children is in two large, well equipped classrooms. The children also have immediate access to large outdoor classrooms and an outside area in the garden for physical play. The children enjoy lots of gardening, messy play, construction and role play activities here too.

The day has a clear routine and structure which includes teacher led lessons, teacher- initiated activities and child led learning. Every child is unique and we are keen to build on their individual interests and strengths as well as support their learning across the whole curriculum. This year we are an early Adopter School for the new Early Years Foundation Stage Curriculum.

ORANGE CLASSROOM

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YELLOW CLASSROOM

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RECEPTION OUTDOOR CLASSROOMS AND GARDEN

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KEY STAGE ONE CLASSES AND OUTSIDE AREA

The year One and Year Two classrooms are also bright and inviting and of a good size with room for role play areas and book corners. At the moment the layout of Key Stage One Classrooms is more structured than usual because of restrictions and guidelines due to Covid. Desks are separate and front facing. We have developed outside classrooms for this year and the children have enjoyed using this new facility. We also have two large playgrounds and a new special enclosed garden for our regular 'outdoor learning days.'

GREEN CLASSROOM

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BLUE CLASSROOM

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INDIGO CLASSROOM

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VIOLET CLASSROOM

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OUTSIDE SPACES

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OTHER AREAS OF THE SCHOOL

We have two rooms that are used for specific individual or group work, a Rainbow room for speech and Language interventions and a Thrive room for creative nurture groups. We also have a school counsellor who provides play therapy with our therapy dog Juno every Thursday for certain children.

Our hall is a wonderful space for lunch time, PE and usually class assemblies and special events. Our lunches are free for all children and cooked on site with a good amount of choice every day. We also run a very successful Breakfast Club and After School Club.

We have a strong pastoral team and relationships with parents are positive and supportive. Mrs Swaffer is our Pupil and Parent Support manager and she is always on hand to help families with any problems. Mrs Buckingham -Dudley is the School SENCO and can offer advice on all matters relating to SEN.

RAINBOW ROOM

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HALL

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