

## Courage to Flourish in the Love of God.

**Our Vision** 

## School Staff

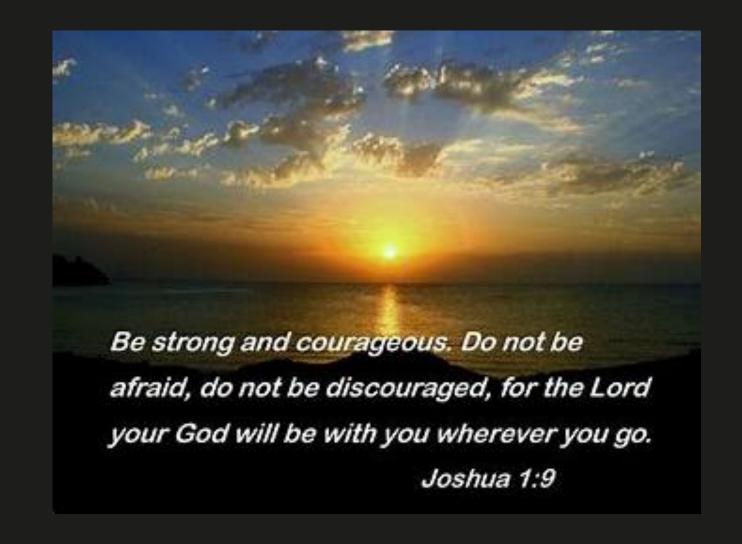
- Mrs Roberts Headteacher
- Mr Bhatti Deputy Headteacher
- Mr Immanuel Deputy Headteacher
- Ms Joyce Assistant Headteacher for Inclusion
- Mrs Bird Assistant Headteacher for Curriculum
- Miss Sturdy EYFS Lead





#### **Our Scripture**

# 'Be strong and courageous'





## Our Philosophy

Our vision of 'Courage to Flourish in the Love of God' and our values of courage, hope, love, forgiveness, trust, community and thankfulness are at the heart of our philosophy. We seek to provide challenging, life enriching, educational opportunities that raise aspirations, enabling all to flourish as responsible and respectful individuals ready to make a positive difference in our world.





#### St Michael's Church



As a church school, we have strong links to St Michael's Church and liaise closely with Reverend Ruth who visits us regularly. Reverend Ruth will visit Nursery throughout the year to read stories.



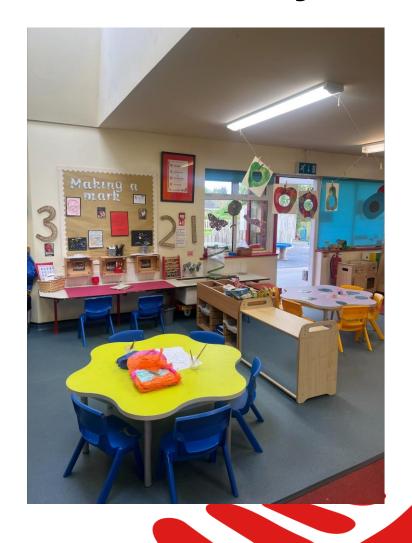
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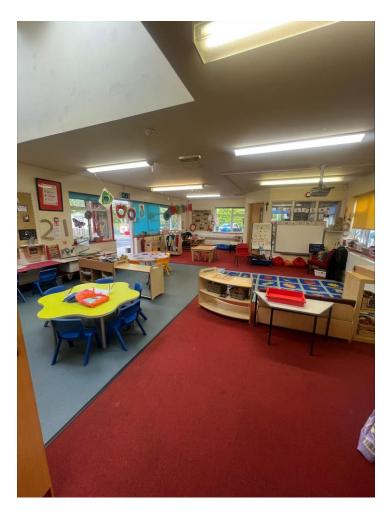






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## Areas of Learning

The new EYFS statutory framework forms the basis of learning in EYFS and is supported by Birth to Five guidance. The curriculum is delivered through the seven areas of learning. There are three prime areas and four specific areas.

Each area is carefully planned and delivered by staff to maximise learning and to provide a range of experiences.





#### Session Times

Nursery Times

Monday - 8.35-2.55pm

Tuesday – 8.35-2.55pm

Wednesday Am - 8.35-10.55am

Wednesday Pm - 12.35-2.55pm

Thursday - 8.35-2.55pm

Friday - 8.35-2.55pm

Wednesday Lunch provision 10.55am – 12.35pm (charged at £6.50)

Additional Sessions £12.50 per session.



## Nursery Staff

Our wonderful key workers are looking forward to working with your children. Your child will be assigned a key worker in Nursery, this member of staff will get to know your child's interests and work with them to achieve their next steps.







## Uniform

- White polo shirt (with/without logo).
- Red sweathshirt or casrdigan (with or without logo).
- Grey or black trousers, skirt or pinafore.
- Red and white check dresss (summer).
- Grey or black shorts (summer).
- Black shoes.









## Labelling

We understand how much a new uniform and school items cost and we try our best to ensure the children look after their clothing and bags. Please label your child's clothing, bags, lunch boxes, shoes and water bottles to help us return lost items to their owner.











#### Water and Snacks

You are asked to send in a water bottle each day and children are encouraged to drink throughout the day. The bottles are kept in a basket in the classroom. Please label your child's bottle to ensure they can find it.

They are offered water or milk and a piece of fruit. You can order your child toast for 25p per day.















#### Lunch

If you would like your child to have a hot meal on the days that they stay for lunch will need to order the school meal on Arbor.

The lunch cost currently is £2.65.

If you wish to provide your child with a packed lunch the lunch boxes should be nut free and kiwi free to ensure there are no issues with allergies. A non-fizzy drink should accompany the packed lunch

#### Spare Clothes

Nursery is fun but some of the activities can get messy so please can you ensure that your child has a bag of spare clothes with them which can be left on your child's peg. They can be everyday clothes or spare uniform.

We will encourage children to wear aprons and waterproofs but as we try to develop independence, we are sure you will have messy but happy children leaving school!







#### Getting ready for Nursery



You can prepare your child for Nursery by...

- Training your child to look after their toileting needs.
- Supporting your child to dress themselves, including putting on and taking off shoes.
- Playing games that involve turn taking.
- · Reading stories to your child and encouraging them to 'read' to you.
- Allowing them lots of opportunities to draw, colour and paint using large movements.



- Singing songs and moving to music.
- Encouraging your child to put their coat on independently.







### Next Steps

- Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> to Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September home visits
- From Monday 8th September children start Nursery
- You will receive a letter with the details and timings







Please feel free to contact us about any worries, concerns or queries by emailing Mr Bhatti

at

office@stmichaelsb32.bdmat.org.uk





## Paperwork



We are going to hand out the paperwork that will need to be completed before your child starts school. You can complete this today and we will support you if needed.



