



HAWKSWORTH WOOD
PRIMARY SCHOOL



Hawksworth Wood Primary School

Prospectus 2021





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All staff share leaders' ambition to provide the best education for pupils.

– Ofsted, 2020.

A Welcome from Our Headteacher



Welcome to Hawksworth Wood Primary School!

I am really proud to be the Headteacher here at Hawksworth Wood Primary. It's a truly welcoming school right in the heart of the community where everyone looks after each other.

Ofsted judged us to be a good school in March 2020 and we have some really exciting plans to make it an even better place for children to come and learn. These include new designs for the computer suite, the library and the playground.

We are a popular school and have recently grown in size to meet the need for school places in the local area. Even though we've expanded, we still know all of our pupils as individuals and make every effort to get to know all our families really well too.

Hopefully, you can find out much more about us on our school website, our social media, and in this prospectus. But if you'd like to know more, we'd be happy for you to ask any questions or we'd be delighted to invite you to come and see us in action.

We look forward to welcoming you to Hawksworth Wood.

Eleanore Pickard

School Vision



Respect, Aspiration, Independence, Resilience, Curiosity.

At Hawksworth Wood, our vision is to create a school community where children participate, succeed and are proud of their achievements.

We are committed to high quality, creative teaching that delivers an exciting curriculum designed to meet our pupils' needs.

Our children learn to explore their own **curiosity** as **independent** learners with high **aspirations**. Pupils learn to do this confidently as they develop their ability to be **resilient** when faced with learning or life challenges.

With our high expectations for achievement and behaviour, we are committed to providing a safe and happy learning environment where each and every child is nurtured and everyone matters.

Our school is a community where equality of opportunity for all is at the centre of everything we do. We teach our children to show **respect** to all, valuing the religious and cultural differences within our community.

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All teachers have high expectations of every pupil.

- Ofsted, 2020.

Pupils take on important roles in school with enthusiasm.

- Ofsted, 2020.



Our Curriculum



We have designed our very own curriculum for our pupils based on their interests and needs.

Our pupils' learning is based on a different theme each half term. We use high-quality books to provide children with opportunities to make links across subjects and develop a love of reading. One of the most important aspects of our curriculum is Personal and Social Education (PSE). PSE is a key part of each half-term's theme, including stories from around the world.

We have designed our curriculum to give pupils opportunities for collaborative, 'hands-on' learning, with lots of trips and visitors to help enhance classroom learning.

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Pupils' determination to succeed and enjoyment in learning are obvious.

- Ofsted, 2020.

Pupils describe how teachers bring learning to life and explain things clearly.

- Ofsted, 2020.



Behaviour Policy



Our Behaviour Policy is built around the five key values of Hawksworth Wood: respect, resilience, independence, curiosity, and aspiration. Ensuring good behaviour allows us to work towards these values and support your child's learning in a calm and safe environment. We expect all pupils to model safe, kind behaviours that allow everyone to learn. No matter where they are, children should follow our three golden rules:

Be kind. Be safe. Be ready to learn.

We aim to reassure, encourage, and inspire all our learners. We use a variety of approaches to motivate pupils, build self-esteem, and acknowledge effort and achievement. This includes individual rewards such as Star Certificates and Jewel Card points, as well as the chance to earn rewards as part of a group. We also encourage children to make the right choices about their behaviour by providing clear directions regarding consequences of various actions. These are displayed throughout the

school so that pupils fully understand our expectations and the various consequence systems in place to support these.

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Pupils' behaviour in all classes, in the hall and at breaktimes is calm and sensible. They are friendly, polite and well-mannered.

- Ofsted, 2020.

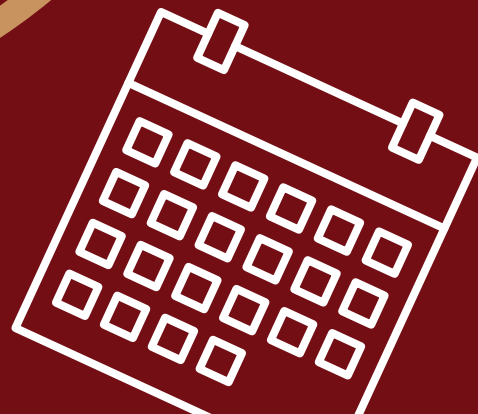


Attendance

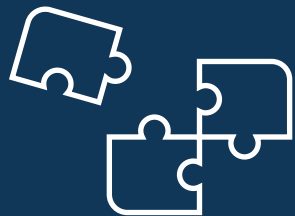
Regularly attending school is linked to raising children's achievement, as well as developing skills for life and work.

We believe that working together with parents is the best way to promote positive attendance. We ask that parents and carers ensure that their child attends school regularly and arrives ready to learn.

We also do our bit to promote good attendance by providing lots of rewards, certificates and prizes to recognise children who attend school on-time and regularly.



Pupil Wellbeing



Hawksworth Wood is a nurturing school, and our staff believe that our pupils learn better when they feel happy and safe.

We have a strong pastoral team to help all children and families with any additional challenges which may come their way. For example, the pastoral team can offer support with:



**Emotional
literacy**



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Behaviour



Attendance



**General
family support**

Opportunities for All



We recognise that every pupil is unique. Therefore, we work together to make sure the needs of all children are met on an individual basis.

Teachers plan carefully to cater for all abilities, ensuring that all pupils are provided with challenging learning activities, experience success, and make progress.

Early identification of children with Special Educational or Additional Needs allows us to offer those pupils support from the start of their school journey with us. We work with parents to make sure that support is maintained, monitored, and reviewed for as long as deemed necessary. This may include a place in our Orchard class, where children are taught in a small group following a personalised timetable and curriculum.



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Pupils who fall behind get extra support.

- Ofsted, 2020.

Pupils can list the many and varied after-school clubs they can attend. These include yoga, drama, dance, choir and gardening.

- Ofsted, 2020.



Breakfast Club

Here at Hawksworth Wood Primary School we are committed to ensuring that no child is too hungry to learn. For years, we have been working in partnership with Magic Breakfast to provide healthy breakfasts for our pupils, so they are settled and ready to learn.

We provide a variety of breakfasts in Breakfast Club from 8:00am, as well as toasted bagels to all pupils from 8:30am. Pupils at Hawksworth Wood are prepared for the day ahead, no matter what.



School Lunches

All of our school meals are cooked on-site in our new, state of the art kitchen. Our wonderful catering staff provide a wide variety of delicious meals for students to choose from on a daily basis.



Uniform Policy

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Teachers boost pupils' self-respect and self-esteem.

- Ofsted, 2020.



Everyday:



Navy jumper with logo



White shirt/blouse with collar



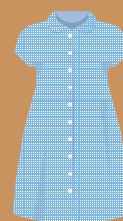
Grey pinafore school dress



Navy cardigan with logo



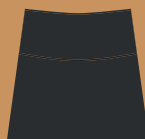
Grey smart trousers



Blue gingham summer dress



White polo shirt with logo



Grey school skirt



White, navy, black, or grey socks / tights

PE Kit:



White T-shirt



Blue sweatshirt / jumper



Navy blue shorts / joggers



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