



Welcome to the New Reception Welcome Meeting



A very warm welcome back to
Bapchild and Tonge





Class of 2032!



Reception 2025



Year 6 2032



Meet the EY Team



Mrs Unsworth
Assistant
Headteacher/
Teacher
Monday - Tuesday



Miss
Hopkinson
Class Teacher
Wednesday -
Friday



Mrs
Freestone
EYFS TA



The Team

- Mrs Smedley (EYFS TA)
- Mr Smiley (Deputy Headteacher)
- Miss Sholl (Assistant Headteacher/SENCO)
- Mrs Long (Wellbeing Leader)
- Miss Lightfoot, Mrs Lingham, Mr Affonso, Mrs Hopkinson (Lunchtime Supervisors)
- Marie & Tina (Dinner Ladies)



School Visits

- Wednesday 11th June – 1.30 – 3.00pm*
- Wednesday 18th June – 1.30 – 3.00pm*
- Wednesday 25th June – Teddy Bears Picnic - 1.30 - 2.30pm.**

* Any Nursery children who are in Nursery on that day will be collected and taken over unless you wish to collect them.

** A separate letter will be sent out with an electronic form on to confirm attendance and dietary requirements.

Please assemble outside the Year R door (opposite main nursery entrance)



Welcome Pack

- Medical Information Form
- Parental Consent for Image
- Food Tasting – please re-complete if dietary changes
 - General permission for outings
 - Online Safety
 - Home School Agreement
 - Privacy
 - Attendance and Punctuality Letter
 - FSM
- **Handed out: 04/06/25. Due back 18/06/25***
- ***Please provide a copy of your child's birth certificate if it hasn't already been provided***



Uniform

Forster's School Outfitters



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Sittingbourne-Kent
ME10 4BQ
TEL: 01795 472947

School Uniform for Bapchild and Tonge C of E Primary School

Item	Price
Boys	
Sweet Shirts	Bottle Green with School Emblem from £10.99
Polo Shirts	White with School Emblem from 8.25
Trousers	Grey from 11.99
Shorts	Grey from 5.99
Socks	Grey (A pack of Three) from 6.99
Shoes	Black from 24.99
Girls	
Senior Book Bag	Bottle Green with School Emblem 8.99
Back Pack	Bottle Green with School Emblem from 17.99
Fleece	Bottle Green with School Emblem from 16.99
Reversible Fleece	Bottle Green with School Emblem from 23.99

We stock Slim Fit as well as Sturdy Fit Trousers

Item	Price
Boys	
Sweet Shirts	Bottle Green with School Emblem from 10.99
S/Short Cardigan	White with School Emblem from 12.99
Polo Shirts	White with School Emblem from 8.25
Shirts	Grey from 9.99
Pinafors	Grey from 17.25
Trousers	White (Three Pairs) from 6.99
Sock	White or Grey from 24.99
Tights	Black from 16.99
Shoes	Black from 23.99
Summer Dress	Green & White from 12.99
Girls	
Senior Book Bag	Bottle Green with School Emblem from 8.99
Junior Book Bag	Bottle Green with School Emblem from 7.99
Back Pack	Bottle Green with School Emblem from 17.99
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School Lane
Bapchild, Sittingbourne
ME9 9NL

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SCHOOLWEAR - For Girls and Boys

Item	Price
Shorts	Black from 6.99
Plain House Colours Polo's	Red, Emerald Sky and Yellow Gold from 5.99
P E Bag	Green with School Emblem (available from School) from 7.99
Pinneolls	Black from 6.80
Name Tape Iron On (36)	8.25
Name Tape Woven (72)	12.99

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School Dinner



Expect all of our Reception children to have a meal.
Nut Free School - No nuts in lunchboxes or school.



Attendance





Trips and Visits





Prospectus





Arrangements for September 2025

EYFS start

Wednesday 3rd September – Friday 5th September 2025

9:00 - Siblings

9:15 – All other children

Pick-up at 11:45



Arrangements for September (continued)

- Monday 8th – Friday 12th September 2025
 - 8.45 – Siblings
 - 9.00 – All other children
 - 11.45 pick up unless staying for lunch
 - Groups of children and parents will stay for lunch and until 1.15pm. One day per child and parent/s with a free lunch.
- Monday 15th September 2025
 - Full days
- During afternoons week Mrs Unsworth or Miss Hopkinson will arrange appointments to meet.



School Readiness

- Having strong social skills and resilience – enjoys playing!
- Are relatively independent in their own personal care; toileting, eating using cutlery, dressing, being responsible for personal belongings.
- Have all belongings clearly named...including shoes (Velcro).
- Have a curiosity about the world and a desire to learn.
- Please provide Wellies/Splash suit or Waterproofs
- Children will only be allowed **water** in their bottle. One main reason is for this is oral hygiene – drinking sugary squash through a bottle is damaging for teeth.



Learning Can Be Messy

Playing outside is so important. I run and jump and get lots of fresh air. Sometimes I might get grass or mud on my clothes.



Using a knife and fork at lunchtime is tricky! Sometimes I get food on my clothes!

I sometimes get pen and paint on my clothes! This is because I am developing creative skills and exploring lots of different ways of making amazing art!



Our mud kitchen is so much fun! I use all my senses, which is so important for my development. It also helps me use my imagination and practise playing with my friends nicely!

Exploring in the water tray is giving me lots of maths and scientific skills! I love pouring, filling and emptying! I usually wear an apron but sometimes my clothes get wet!



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Exploring with playdough and other messy play resources like foam or food, helps me to develop fine motor control and build up muscles and coordination in my hands and fingers. I will need these when I learn to write.



When I get messy, I have been showing curiosity, determination, persistence, imagination and confidence!



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Any questions?