



Queen Victoria Primary School
Reaching & Believing

Welcome to Year 6



Information for Parents/Carers
2022

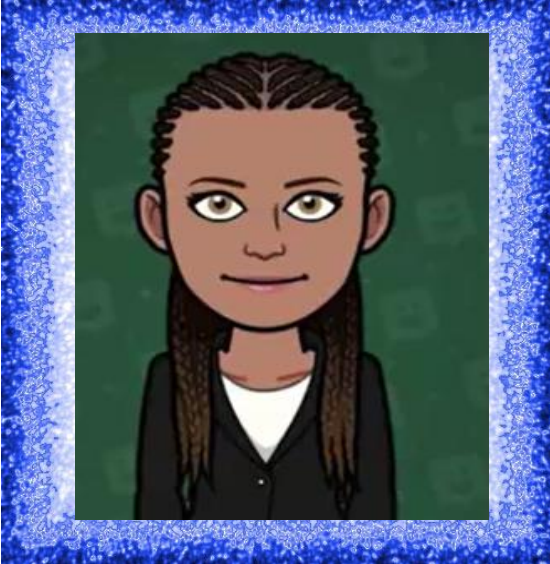
Our School Vision:

"All are welcome at Queen Vic as they develop into pioneers of their own learning, whilst reaching beyond their horizons to become valued citizens of the future."



This booklet aims to provide you with the information you need to support your child going into Year 6 and how we can work together to make this as smooth as possible.

Meet THE TEAM



Mrs Harper 6A

Miss Shackell 6H
Phase Leader for 5 and 6



Mrs Clews 6M

The School day and Curriculum

Our aim is to ensure that every child has access and entitlement to a broad, balanced, differentiated, and relevant curriculum. We strive to create an exciting environment which will stimulate children and make them want to learn and develop good, long term attitudes to school and to learning.

We believe that children learn most effectively from first-hand experiences and we endeavour to provide them wherever possible. The children engage in many practical activities and visits.



School Day	
8.30	School opens
8.50	Registration
9.00	Lessons begin
10.20 – 10.35	Break Time
10.35 – 12.45	Lessons
12.45 – 1.30	Lunch Time
1.30	Registration
1.45 – 3.20	Lessons
3.20	End of the day

Over a week, the sequence of lessons may vary on a daily or weekly basis to meet the needs of the children, but will include:

- English
- Reading Practice
- Science
- Art
- PE
- Jigsaw PSHE
- RE
- Maths
- Geography
- History
- D&T
- Computing
- French
- Music

Homework

- Daily reading to an adult – Reading to and with your child for at least ten minutes a day can make a dramatic difference to your child's achievement within school.
- homework will include English and Maths and 2 other activities will be given out bi-weekly on a . Homework should be returned to school 12 days after it has been set.

Attendance

The school doors are open from 8.30 and your child needs to be in school ready to start the school day at 8.50 am. School education lays the vital foundations of a child's life. Research clearly demonstrates the link between regular attendance and educational progress and attainment. It is therefore important that your child attends school for the whole of each term.

School Uniform

Please ensure that all items are named. Children are not allowed to wear trainers to school.

Winter Wear

- White shirt or blouse or school yellow polo shirt
- Grey trousers or skirt
- Green cardigan, jumper or school sweatshirt
- School tie.

Summer Wear

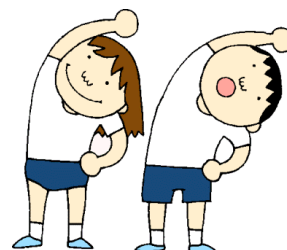
- School yellow polo shirt with grey trousers, shorts or skirt.
 - Green/white checked dress with/without green jumper or cardigan.
- Sensible flat heeled black shoes should be worn as part of the uniform.

Indoor PE Kit

- White T-Shirt
- Blue or black shorts (or leotard)
- White socks and black pumps

Outdoor Games PE Kit

- Warm long sleeved tops/track suit. These must be blue or black and plain
- For safety reasons, training shoes are not allowed for indoor activities but may be worn for outdoor games activities.



Children are to come to school in their PE kits on their PE day.

Break Time:

Healthy snacks for children are available in the Upper School Hall during morning break-times.

Crumpets – 25p

Muffins – 25p

Toast – 25p

Milk – 20p

Alternatively, children can bring in a healthy snack of fruit. Crisps and chocolate are not allowed for breaktime snacks.



Lunch Time:

School Dinners – Dinner money must be paid via ParentPay in advance of meals being taken. Milk and water is available on dining tables. Cost of school dinners: £11.00 per week (full amount to be paid by Monday morning) or £2.30 per day.

Packed Lunches – Please send in a suitable container with your child's name written on it. Canned and fizzy drinks are not permitted. A drink is always available in school.

Children can bring in plain, still water in a suitable plastic bottle for lesson times.



Supporting your Child

You will receive a Curriculum Newsletter every half term informing you about the topics the children will be covering. You can help them at home by talking about these topics, sharing books from the library or looking on the internet, and perhaps visiting related places of interest.

Other Useful Information

Most letters from school will be sent to you electronically via ParentPay, they can also be found on our school website. Forthcoming events can also be found on the school website, and this is updated each week. Website: <https://www.queenvictoriaprimary.com/>



Miss Shackell as 5/6 Phase Leader and Mrs Walker – Deputy head linked to 5/6 are both available for any queries or questions you may have and can be contacted via:

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We hope that this booklet has answered many of your questions. Please feel free to ask any questions you feel have not been covered.

