



Horn's Mill  
Primary School

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Denbigh Close  
Helsby  
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Dear Parents/Carers,

A very warm welcome from all of us in Team 3! We can't wait to teach and support your children as they make the step up into KS2. Miss Morris worked in Team 3 last year and is super excited to start children off on their KS2 journey again this year.

PPA time for Miss Morris will be on Thursdays and covered by Mrs Hulse.



**A little about us...**

The children will be familiar with Miss Morris from when she did her teacher training with them in reception and seeing her around school. In her spare time, she enjoys swimming, spending time with her family and walking her dogs. Mrs Hulse has been in our school a few years now and the children will be used to seeing her in the dining hall, in assemblies and at school events. When not at work, Mrs Hulse enjoys spending time with her family, dogs and friends. Mrs Lindsay and Mrs Lewis are thrilled to be working with the class in a job-sharing role. Mrs Lindsay loves nothing more than reading a book and spending time with her granddaughters, whilst Mrs Lewis loves spending time with her dog and two grown up children. Miss Blackmore likes to meet up with friends, read books and always tried to find time to travel.

Please feel free to come and ask any questions or share any concerns at any time.



Miss Morris  
Teacher



Mrs Lewis  
Teaching Assistant



Mrs Lindsay  
Teaching Assistant



Miss Blackmore  
Teaching Assistant

### A typical day in Team 3...

8.30-8.50am	Morning challenges and register	12.45pm	Register, happy breathing and class read
8.55am	Reading and Spelling or Ready Steady Read (dependent on learning needs)	1.10pm	Handwriting, DEAR time and topic learning- science, PE, French, music, computing, RE, Myhappymind, PSHE, circle time, history, geography, art, DT
9.50am	Snack	3.10pm	Tidy up
10.00am	English	3.15pm	Home time
10.50am	Break		
11.05am	Maths		
12.00pm	Lunch		



Our PE day will be a **Tuesday**. In a change from KS1, children will **come into school in their PE kit** each Tuesday. Children should wear black PE shorts/black jogging bottoms, a school PE top/plain white top and trainers. They can wear their school jumper/cardigan as normal.



### Expectations for home learning...

Reading has a huge impact on children's learning. Therefore, children are expected to **read for 10 minutes, 5 times a week at home** and to record this in their reading record at least once per week.

Your child will have a multiplication check at the end of Team 4. To prepare for this and better their mathematical skills, your child now has a TT Rockstar login that they can access for free at home.



**Reading records and colour coded books should be brought into school every day.** These will be changed regularly. Once your child has filled their reading record, we kindly ask that they bring a small notebook into school to use instead.

A link to home learning will be sent out every half-term and can also be found on our class page of the school's website. This includes some spelling and maths to complete as well as some suggestions for reading and practical activities.

### Exciting things ahead...

We have lots of exciting things planned for our curriculum this year including a fantastic enterprise project at Christmas in which we run our very own Christmas markets, trips back in time to experience life in the Stone Age, workshops about the amazing inventions of the Ancient Egyptians and much more. To find out more about our curriculum, please visit our class page on the school website.

Once again, please do feel free to get in touch. We are always here to help in whatever way we can. My email address is [megan.morris@hornsmill.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:megan.morris@hornsmill.cheshire.sch.uk).

We're looking forward to a brilliant year!

Kind Regards,

Miss Morris, Mrs Hulse, Mrs Lewis, Mrs Lindsay and Miss Blackmore.