

Meet the Teacher – Mr Alliston

Monday 9th September 2024



About me

5th year of teaching - 1st at S&B

I'm passionate about seeing children develop in their confidence both in and outside of the classroom.

I love sport, art and music.



Daily Timetable

8:30 - 8:50 = Soft Start

8:50 - 9:00 = Registration & Welcome

9:00 - 10:00 = Phonics (Read Write Inc)

10:00 - 10:10 = Snack

10:10 - 10:50 = Maths

10:50 - 11:10 = Break

11:10 - 12:00 = English

12:00 - 12:15 = Mastering Number

12:15 - 13:15 = Lunch

13:15 - 15:00 = Extra Curriculum Subjects

15:00 - 15:20 = Assembly



Play will look a little bit different in KS1

Children will still get to play, but play will be more structured – apart from on a Friday, where they will get some free play.



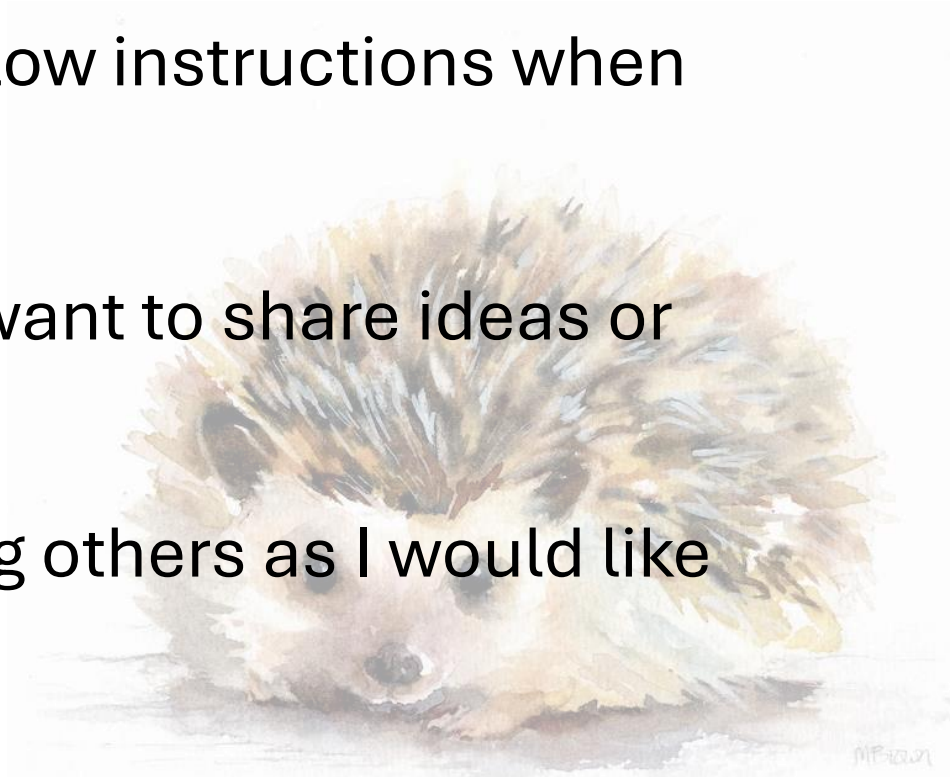
Behaviour Expectations

One Voice: If someone is talking, I will let the other person finish before I start talking.

Listening Ears: I will listen to others and follow instructions when they are given.

Raising Hands: I will raise my hand when I want to share ideas or ask question during lessons.

Caring Hearts: I will use kind words, treating others as I would like to be treated.



Uniform

- Grey trousers/shorts or pleated school tartan skirt
- Red gingham checked summer dress (no white panels)
- White school shirt
- Red and black striped school tie * (elasticated for KS1)
- Red V neck knitted sweater or red knitted cardigan with school logo.
- Black or grey socks
- Black tights (winter) or white socks (summer)
- Black leather style school shoes (no trainers or boots)
- Warm coat

Please ensure all items brought into school are clearly labelled with your child's name.



PE & Forest School

PE will be on Thursday afternoons.

Black shorts

Red polo shirt with school logo

Red crew neck PE sweatshirt with school logo

Short white socks

Black plimsolls/Trainers

Plain black tracksuit bottoms (winter)

Forest School will be Wednesday mornings.



Whole Class Teaching and Group Work

Children will still get daily English and Maths lessons.

There will be some whole class teaching, but I will also work with small groups to complete a focus task. This allows every child to make progress.

The aim is that every child will succeed, and every child will be challenged.



Lexia

The children will be shown how to use Lexia in the next couple of weeks. It is a computer programme that helps with their language skills.



Reading Books

Children will take home reading books that belong to the RWI scheme.

Once they have graduated from our phonics scheme, they will then move on to Accelerated Reader, where they will be able to read other books and do online quizzes to earn points.

Of course, we encourage you to read other books with your children and if you would like to borrow some books from the library, please let the office know.



At home

Reading every night.

If you would like additional phonics cards to practise with your child, please let me know and I will sort that out for you.



Questions?

Remember you can always come and find me at the end of the day if you have any questions!

