



Welcome to Year 3

The Greville Primary School
25th June 2026

Meet the team



Head of Year – Mrs Milner



Miss Earl



Miss Joyce



Mrs Saul-Flower

How we arrange the classes

- Thorough hand over with the schools where everything is discussed.
- Visit to both Barnett Wood and St Giles to get to know the children.
- Classes are sorted primarily by academic and SEND needs so that we get as even classes as possible.
- Friendships and recommended groupings are taken into consideration.
- Sorted by individual classes to make sure we get an even mix from each class.
- Everything is checked several times with both Barnett Wood and St Giles. They are fully involved in the discussions and we don't move ahead unless they fully approve.
- Classes may change as we move through the school.



A Typical School Day

8:45am – Children come into school – morning task

8:55am – Register and daily timetable

9:00am – Spellings/Handwriting

9:30am - English

10:30am – Playtime

10.45am – Maths

12:00pm – Lunch Time

1:00pm – Guided Reading

1.30pm – History (or other foundation subject)

2.30pm – Computing (or other foundation subject)

3.25pm – Home time



Extra Curricular Days



We have a variety of extra curricular activities or days that we run throughout the year. These range from sports and music to team building and wellbeing activities.



Year 3 Trips and Events

Butser Ancient Farm. Linked to our history topics

Year 3 annual sleep over. We hold a series of activities over two days and sleep in the classrooms overnight.

Roman Day A day of workshops based on our history learning.



Clubs

We have a wide range of clubs at The Greville, staff run clubs are free. Clubs take place before school, at lunch and after school.

The clubs list changes every term

Some clubs have a waiting list due to the high number of children that want to take part.

A full list of clubs is available on the website.

Example of clubs available to year 3 are:

- Colouring and craft
- Cross Country
- Recorder
- Multi sports
- Ukulele
- Taekwondo (paid)
- Roll With It (paid)



Homework

- Homework is sent home **twice** a week in Year 3.
- Children should be working on their homework independently and it should take no longer than 15 minutes.
- Homework will be based on something we have learnt that week- it is consolidation of their learning rather than something new.
- More information will be shared in our 'Meet the teacher' sessions in September.



First few weeks of school

Big focus on transition to their new school/year group and supporting children with this.

We will have a wellbeing and 'settling in' focus and have plenty of opportunities for the children to get to know their new classmates and teachers.

First two days of school in September will include:

- Tours of the school
- Getting to know each other games
- Team building tasks
- Art activities including self-portraits
- Reading with an adult and choosing reading books to take home



Important Dates and Transition

- **25th June:** Welcome evening for parents and class lists shared.
- **30th June:** Move up Morning. Children arrive at 9.30am. Barnett Wood children will be picked up by their school and St Giles will be picked up by their parents at 11.30am.
- **2nd September:** Drop in session for children to see their new classroom and meet their teacher (2-3pm).
- **3rd September:** Children return to school
- Initially a focus on settling in/ wellbeing & friendship
- **10th September:** Meet the teacher afternoon at school. (Date TBC)

Keeping Up To Date

We have a few ways to keep in touch with parents.

You can follow us on Instagram to see what is happening at the school



You can find lots of information on our website. Each Year group has their own page.

Half termly detailed newsletters

Weekly brief updates from the Year 3 team

Weekly brief updates from the school office



