

★ Wester Cleddens ★

Primary



1st Day of School

★ Information ★



Welcome to Wester Cleddens Primary!

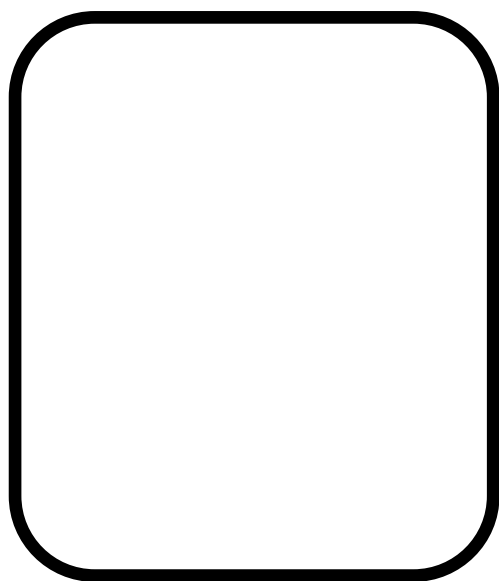
We know how exciting and nervous your child's first day at school can be, so we have put together this little guide to help ensure a smooth transition.

First Day of Primary 1: Wednesday 15th August 2018

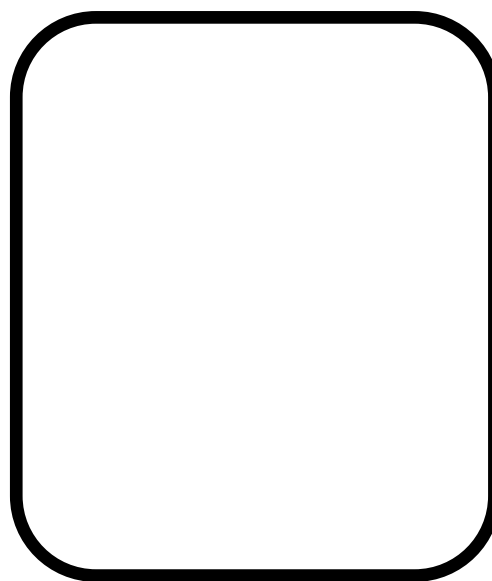
Time School Starts: 9.15am *(for Primary 1 pupils only)*

Time School Finishes: 12.15pm *(for Primary 1 pupils only)*

Primary 1 Class Teachers



Miss Hamilton

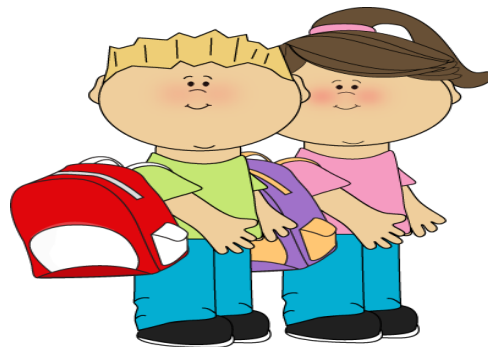


Miss Miller

This session there will be two Primary 1 Classes. Your child will either be in Miss Hamilton or Miss Miller's class, you will be given this information prior to your child starting school. Please do not worry, if you forget or are not sure who your class teacher is on the first day, staff will be there to ensure that everything runs smoothly.

Where do I bring my child on the first day?

- On the first day of school, please bring your child to the Main Entrance at 9.15am. You will be invited into our Dining Hall to wait with your child.



What happens next?

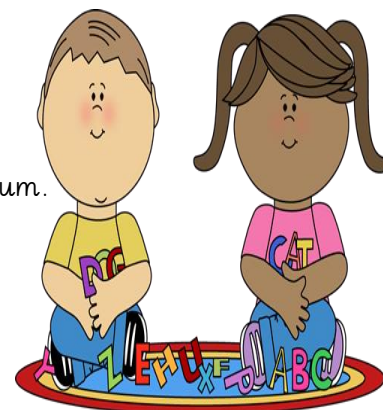
- Once you and your child are in the Dining Hall, the Senior Leadership Team (Mrs MacKenzie (HT) and Mrs Kynigos (DHT)) and Support Staff, will take small groups of children along to their new class. Parents/Carers are invited to come with their child to their classroom to help their child take their coats off etc. and to get that all important first day of school photo!

How long can I stay with my child?

- To allow your child to settle into Primary 1 quickly and confidently, we kindly ask that parents/carers only stay for a few minutes maximum.

How many family members can come on the First Day?

- We kindly ask that only 2 adults maximum attend on the first day.



What happens if my child is anxious or upset on the First Day?

- Please try not to worry if your child appears anxious on the first few days of school, this is not unusual. We will help support your child to settle into Primary 1 and we will phone Parents/Carers if we have any concerns.

When and Where do I pick my child up from School on the First Day?

- Your child will finish at 12.15pm on the first day.
- As there are currently changes to the school building taking place, we will inform you before your child starts or on the first day, of where your child will be dismissed from school.



What happens on the Second Day of School?

- Your child will start at 9am after the first day and finish at 12.15pm.
- You will be informed where your child will line up and enter the school from, nearer the time.



What Should My Child Bring to School?



Below is a list of what items your child should bring on the first day of school.

First Day Checklist	
Indoor Shoes	
Homework Pack	
School Bag	
Change of Clothes – (check with Kirsty)	
Pencil Case <i>(with a pencil, rubber, sharpener and ruler)</i>	
Water Bottle <i>(this can be kept in class and can be refilled throughout the school day)</i>	
Snack for Break Time	

Please ensure all your child's clothing and items are labelled.

