

## **Netherton Primary Transition**

## P1 Intake August 2020



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### Welcome To Netherton Primary School!

Our Vision and Values were curated in partnership with our pupils and parents. They are the things that we hold most important at Netherton primary:



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At Netherton, we pride ourselves on having a fantastic, staff who work closely together as a team. Our children are at the heart of all we do, and we look forward to welcoming you all into our Netherton Family.

We currently have a school roll of around 180 pupils, with those being split across 8 classes, it should be noted that the teachers are placed beside their current class for session 19/20. This is subject to change and may look different in session 20/21 when your child starts school. You will be informed of your child's class and teacher in due course.

Class	Teacher	Pupils
P1a	Mrs McCallum / Mrs Henderson	16
P1b	Mrs Carr	16
P2	Mrs Grant	26
Р3	Mrs Mckeown / Mrs McAlinden	24
P4	Mrs Bauer	20
P5	Mr MacNab / Mrs Kesley	24
P6	Mrs McGuire	26
P7	Miss Graham	28

Our Support staff are critical to the work we do here at Netherton, and work hard to develop relationships with all of our pupils.

Classroom Assistants	ASNA's
Mrs McKenna	Mrs Scott
Mrs Howard	Mrs Lindsay
	Mrs O'Hara



#### Meet the Team

Mrs Easton is our Head Teacher, Miss Yates is Principal Teacher, they are the Leadership Team at Netherton Primary.



# A message from everyone at Netherton Primary





#### What should I know?

Here are some things to practice before your child starts Primary 1. The items in **bold** type will be especially important to allow social distancing should this still be required. This will ensure the safety of your child as well as the staff caring for them.

- ✓ Your child should practise putting on shoes and zipping up jacket (velcro shoes are good!)
- ✓ Make sure your child can dress themselves (so they can change into shorts and tshirts for P.E. and then put uniform back on)
- ✓ Your child should practise going to the toilet, cleaning themselves and washing hands (*let us know if your child needs help with this*)
- ✓ Can pack own bag
- ✓ Put pencils etc into pencil case
- Tidy up, put away own toys
- ✓ Sing songs and rhymes, identify the rhyming words
- ✓ Play I Spy
- ✓ Practise sounds a, b, c ,d etc instead of A,B,C.D as this will help your child sound out words
- ✓ Read as much as possible: talk about the pictures etc, use things as clues, questions to help understanding: Who is ...., What are they doing..., What is happening.../what do you think is going to happen next, where.., why do you think...
- ✓ Talk about the beginning, middle and end of the story
- ✓ Counting songs
- ✓ Counting: Counting up, counting down
- ✓ Incidental learning: helping to set the table, how many spoons do we need etc, counting up and down the stairs, counting out money from the piggy bank; how many sausages are on the plate etc
- ✓ Use language: small, smaller, smallest, tall, taller, tallest etc
- ✓ Baking: measuring out ingredients.

For any other information or advice please follow us on twitter @Npstransition20 or look on our school blog <a href="https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/nl/netherton/">https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/nl/netherton/</a>

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