

On behalf of all the children, staff and governors, we welcome you to Wellington Primary School and Nursery. We are a vibrant and inclusive school, rooted in our local community which celebrates all our pupils' diverse backgrounds and talents.

We are a rural small school and have a strong and caring whole school community ethos. Our thoughtful and supportive staff and governors ensure our children are at the centre of everything we do. We firmly believe a happy child is a successful one, and intend that all children should enjoy their learning, achieve their potential and become independent life-long learners.

Our Victorian building boasts modern extensions to support our cultural growth. Wellington Primary School and Nursery offers character, large classrooms and we are also fortunate enough to have extensive grounds with many outdoor learning opportunities. These include: two large playgrounds, a sensory garden, forest schools in our woodland area, extensive sports grounds and facilities, a newly built adventure playground and early years outdoor learning spaces to support pupils in creative play.

At the heart of the school day is our exciting and engaging Learning Challenge Curriculum that is enriched by regular trips and visitors, as well as new technology.

We offer wrap around care which includes a breakfast club from 7:50am and an after- school club, finishing at 5:15pm.

We hope that our website gives you an insight into the educational opportunities offered to our pupils and answers some of the questions that you may have as a parent or carer about your child's life at school. We know that choosing a school for your child is one of the most important decisions you make as a parent / carer and would strongly encourage you to come and visit us and see things for yourself. We would be happy to show you around, so please do contact the school to arrange your visit.



**Acting Head of School**  
**Mrs J Keeble**



**Executive Heads**  
**Mrs H Rees and Mrs H Lynch**

### **Our Vision**

Wellington Primary School has high expectations of both learning and progress and ensures that children are taught to the highest possible standard. We are committed to children's well being, providing all of them with the opportunities to reach their full potential.

Wellington Primary School and Nursery inspires, challenges and nurtures the individuality of the next generation. We aim to prepare pupils for all stages of their education, as well as equip them with high aspirations for their future lifelong learning.

Wellington Primary School and Nursery provides high quality education in an inclusive environment, building a foundation for life. We ensure that all of our children believe in themselves and their abilities, aspire to be the best they can be and most importantly, want to learn, so that they can continue on their journey to achieve their dreams and goals.

### Working together to succeed

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Within our vision statement we aim to:

- Provide a supportive, friendly and nurturing environment with a welcoming atmosphere, enabling all children to feel safe and secure, and know that they are always listened to.
- Ensure that all children, regardless of ability are able to access all areas of our curriculum and any extra-curricular activities held, enabling them to feel a real sense that they share, own and can make the fullest possible use of every opportunity provided.
- Help our pupils develop a love for learning, encouraging them to try new and exciting things, develop lively enquiring minds and give them a solid foundation to build on
- Promote the values of respect, helpfulness, generosity and cooperation in all aspects of school life, enabling each child to thrive in our school environment and in the wider world as future citizens
- Challenge and lead each pupil to discover their special individual talents and develop an understanding that the talents we all have, are essential for successful learning.
- Work together, school, parents and carers to support each child's learning, through teamwork, tolerance and cooperation

Come along and visit our family to see what you think!

### Golden rules and Values

Our golden rules and school values define our community and enable every member of our school to prepare themselves for learning and life. Understanding each other and the remarkable talents we all have is essential to successful learning. Our golden rules and values are summed up in the following way:

Our golden rules provide a framework for the creation of a happy, secure environment in which children can learn and develop as caring and responsible people. The Golden Rules are a set of agreements that guide our behaviour towards others. They teach children moral values and, importantly, for children to believe in them.

Our golden rules are:

1. We are gentle
2. We are kind and helpful
3. We listen
4. We are honest
5. We work hard
6. We look after property.

The Golden Rules support a moral which says treat others as you would like them to treat you. It is called the 'golden' rule because there is value in having this kind of respect and caring attitude for one another.

School values can help pupils understand right from wrong and they can also help to shape the mindsets and behaviour of future adults. At Wellington Primary School and Nursery our values are: Co-operation, integrity, responsibility, enthusiasm, respect, kindness, appreciation, patience, grace, commitment, friendship and confidence. The children study each value, where they are revisited often to re-enforce the importance of understanding and applying the actions they have learnt in daily life. In addition to these key school values we also adopt the Government recommended British values to prepare children for life in Modern Britain. We strive to instil all of these values into our pupils and within our whole school community.