



Welcome To Rowan

Miss Sophie Shields

General rules and Routines

- Morning routine — I am happy to answer any brief questions but it may be better to make an appointment if you want to discuss something in detail.
- Messages for teacher — please come and see me at the end of the day or send a message through the office.
 - Collection at the end of the day — changes to arrangements must be communicated through the office.
- Letters and spares — will be kept on a display at the front of the classroom so children can easily retrieve them

After school meetings

- Please note that we are only available from 3.20-3.40 on a Wednesday afternoon if you have anything you would like to discuss.
- Appointments — I will generally be available after school most days so please do come and speak to me. Or alternatively, please make an appointment through the office.

Timetable

- P.E is on Monday and Friday
- Music is on Thursday
- Library slot is on Thursday
- Golden time is on a Friday

Trips and events

● York – 22nd – 24th June & 29th June –
1st July

● Bikeability 16th – 20th September

● York information assembly – Tuesday 24th
September

● Parents evening 22nd & 24th October

Homework

- Spellings are given on a Monday and due on a Friday
- Planners will be collected on Thursday
- Learning logs and SumDog will be assigned alternating Thursdays and will be due in the following Thursday (1 week)
- Library books come back on Thursday
- Children can ask any member of staff for help with homework (homework club is Monday and Tuesday)
- I will help children with incomplete homework during golden time

Spelling

- Children need to use 8 words in different sentences
- All the words should be spelt correctly and the usual high standards of presentation should be maintained
- Feel free to help your children by pointing out sentences with errors
- I am happy to help with the checking

Planners

- At least 3 entries a week
- Reflective comments — front pages of planners will help with questions to answer.
- Reluctant writers can be helped with the writing as long as they discuss the reading with an adult

Behaviour

- As in the rest of the school we expect all children to follow the behaviour code
- We aim to create a positive learning environment where certificates and house points may be given
- In addition golden time is given weekly to reward positive behaviour



The Grove Junior School School Behaviours



The 3 Rs

Respect - Respect ourselves, each other and our environment.

Responsibility – taking responsibility for our actions.

Resilience – to learn from our mistakes and always try our best, even when we find things difficult.

Uniform

- Please ensure that your child wears the correct uniform in school
- Please ensure that P.E. kit is available at all times, with appropriate footwear as children may go outside other than when they are in PE. (PE lessons are Wednesday and Thursday)

Thank you for coming