Welcome to our lovely school!

Reception

2025 - 2026

Open me to have a look around your new classroom!







We come into our classroom via our special Reception classroom door each morning.





This is where we put our snacks and drinks when we come into school. Our book bags go inside our special trays.



Each morning we check in using the zones of regulation. We will learn all about this in September!



We have so many exciting things to play with. This is our water tray. We have lots of water toys to explore.



We have small world areas inside and outside. Can you spot any sea creatures?





We have big creative areas inside and outside. You can design your own pictures and models here!



We have lots of pens, pencils and paper too! We even have clipboards and special paper. You can make marks and practise your writing here!



We have lots of number toys too. We have numicon, counting bears, cubes, an abacas and lots of other exciting objects to count!



We have a lovely cosy book corner with lots of different books. What is your favourite book?





Here is our role play area and home corner. We have our lovely home corner all year round! Each half term our role play area changes to match our topic. Our first topic is Me and My Community.



We have lots of construction toys inside and outside!



We have a very big outdoor area where you can build models and play with your new friends.



We have an amazing outdoor mud kitchen where you can get messy! We have waterproofs and wellies for when it is wet.



We have an amazing sandpit! We spend hours here, exploring, investigating, digging and creating!



We eat our lunch in our lovely dining hall. We get special coloured cups and trays. The food is yummy! Even the teachers eat school dinners sometimes!



In the afternoon, we get a piece of fruit to eat as a tasty snack. We have something different each day. It could be oranges, apples, bananas, raisins, carrots, tomatoes, sugar snap peas or pears!



At the end of the day, it is home time. We always have a story before collecting our belongings ready to go home.



This is Miss Rhodes.
Miss Rhodes will be your Reception class teacher. Miss Rhodes has experience teaching children in Early Years and Key Stage 1.
She can't wait to meet you all soon!



This is Mrs Hepburn.
Mrs Hepburn is a higher level teaching assistant (HLTA). She is part of the Reception team and will be on hand to help you with anything you need.

We sometimes have other adults supporting us in the classroom. There are lots of lovely teachers and teaching assistants at Deighton Gates who will always help you!

We can't wait to see you soon.
Welcome to your exciting new adventure!

The Reception Team ☺