

Tudor Grange Primary Academy Haselor



Prospectus
2019-20

A Positive and Caring
Learning Community

Welcome to Tudor Grange Primary Academy Haselor

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Tudor Grange Primary Academy Haselor, part of the Tudor Grange Academies Trust. Within a safe, caring and happy environment we strive every day to lay the strong foundations that will enable all children to flourish and shape their future lives, achieving more than they believe possible from whatever their starting point.

Our commitment to outstanding teaching and learning, underpinned with our TUDOR values of Tolerance, Unity, Democracy, Opportunity and Respect, means that we are a community where everybody contributes to make a positive difference.

We warmly invite prospective parents to visit the academy and look forward to welcoming you into our school.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs G Duxbury

Head of School





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The Curriculum

A high priority is placed on teaching the core elements of the curriculum - English, Mathematics, and Science. Curriculum entitlement in the foundation curriculum is designed to provide a breadth of experience within each subject area. Pupils experience a stimulating and enjoyable curriculum enhanced by trips and visits. The partnership with Tudor Grange Academies Trust enables specialists to deliver specific elements of the curriculum as well as taking the lead in other foundation subjects such as computing.

The Early Years Foundation Stage curriculum enables children to learn skills, acquire new knowledge and demonstrate their understanding through 7 areas of learning and development – all of which are inter-dependent. The Statutory Framework identifies three ‘prime’ areas that are particularly essential for ‘igniting children’s curiosity and enthusiasm for learning’ and ‘for building their capacity to learn, form relationships and thrive’; they are: Communication and Language Development, Physical Development, and Personal, Social and Emotional Development. These prime areas are those most essential for your child’s continued healthy development and future learning. As children grow, the prime areas will help them to develop skills in the other four ‘specific’ areas of learning and development. These are: Literacy, Mathematics, Understanding the World, Expressive Arts and Design. Children in the EYFS learn by playing and exploring, being active, and through creative and critical thinking which takes place both indoors and outside.

Enrichment Activities

There are a wide range of enrichment activities for all pupils to participate in. A programme of events is published on a termly basis and includes French, cheerleading and dance class and seasonal sports clubs.





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The Academy Day

It is important that your child is prompt for the start of the school day. Class doors open at 8.45am and school begins at 8.55am.

7.30	Breakfast Club is available
8.55	Registration
9.00	Starter lesson and guided reading/phonics
9.20	Assembly
9:40	First morning session
10.30	Break
10.45	Second morning session
11.45	EYFS and KS1 Lunch
12.00	KS2 Lunch
12.45	EYFS and KS1 afternoon sessions
1.00	KS2 afternoon sessions
2.00	KS1 afternoon break
3.15	End of school day
3.20	After school club starts

Wrap Around provision

Provision is available for all children from 7.30am to 5.30pm Monday – Thursday and 7.30am – 4.30pm on Fridays. Separate information is available if you are interested in the provision and all bookings are overseen by the school office.

The Local Community

The accessibility of the Academy allows the pupils the opportunity to explore their local community. Easter and Christmas services are celebrated at Haselor Church. Other visits to Stratford, Warwick and Birmingham support a hands on approach to learning.



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Healthy School

We encourage pupils to appreciate the benefits of exercise and a healthy lifestyle. The pupils enjoy a balanced programme of sporting activities including rugby, football, cricket, athletics, gymnastics, dance and swimming. All pupils take part in Marathon Kids, a national program that promotes regular fitness habits.

All pupils have the opportunity to participate in outdoor learning in the dedicated nature area and develop key skills such as independence, team building and problem solving.

Freshly cooked meals are prepared and delivered on site daily from Tudor Grange Academy Redditch. The Executive Catering Manager organises and oversees the quality of meals, ensuring that children are offered a balanced and healthy diet and a half termly menu is posted to all parents.

Home School Communication

It is important that your child is happy at school. If you have any concerns you can contact the school at any time during the school day. Parents are asked to contact their child's class teacher in the first instance. Appointments with the Head of School can be made via the school office.

The Academy provides parents with general information through a weekly newsletter, parental letters and through published information on the school website and Twitter feed.

The website can be found at www.haselor.tgacademy.org.uk





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Attendance

Pupils are expected to be punctual and regular in attendance. All children must be at school by 8.55am. Children are welcomed into school from 8.45am in the morning to enable them to settle well. The school day finishes at 3.15pm.

Absence

If your child is absent, please notify the school as soon as possible on the first day of absence. This will need to be followed up by a letter when your child returns to enable the school to authorise the absence.

If your child needs to attend a medical appointment or requires a leave of absence please request this in writing, in advance.

Taking holidays during term time is not permitted and will not be authorised.

Admissions

Admissions to the Academy are managed by Warwickshire Local Authority. Please contact the Schools admissions department if you are interested in a place at Tudor Grange Primary Academy Haselor. If you have any further questions about our school, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

We look forward to welcoming you to our Academy soon.

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