

Year 1 to 6 FAQ's

Q What curriculum will the children be following?

A A British-based curriculum which sets standards for the learning, development and care of children from the age of 3 years to 11 years.

Q What facilities will be available?

A The classrooms will be equipped with age-appropriate learning resources suitable for this type of curriculum which includes continuous provision and roleplay. Outdoor and indoor play areas will be available exclusively to EYFS students. Opportunities for music, dance and art provision will also be available.

Q What kind of teachers will be employed?

A All teachers will be approved with the correct qualifications suitable for this age group and curriculum.

Q What are the school timings?

A School will open at 7.00 am with lessons beginning at 7.05 am. School will finish at 1.30pm.

Q How old does my child need to be?

A Aged 5 as of 30th September 2018

Q How many children will be in each class?

A A maximum of 26 Students in each class.

Q How many adults will be supervising the class?

A 1 teacher, 1 Teacher Assistant from year 1 to year 2. From Year 3 to Year 6, one teacher only.

Q Do we use textbooks?

A Yes we do. Textbook is one of the range of resources we use in our classrooms in Spectra School.

Q Will my child's teacher change during the academic year?

A Yes they may. Teachers are subject to change depending on the subjects taught and on for changes in admissions which occur from time to time.



Q Will my child have homework?

A Yes. It will be listed in the curriculum guide every month. 1st month will be a reading based task. Reading will be the key focus for the whole year.

Q How can I help with homework?

A Bug Club passwords to enable supported reading at home will be issued in the first week. Other homework should be completed by your child with minimal supervision from others.

Q How will my child be assessed?

A Age appropriate assessments will take place. There will be a parent orientation meeting on assessment later in the first term.

Q Where will I find information on school uniform, the healthy eating policy and other school guidelines?

A Each person will be given a welcome pack. Information is also available on the school website.

