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# High View Primary Learning Centre



# Transition Booklet

# Class 11C

Class Teacher: Mrs Simpson/Mrs Clow

Teaching Assistants: Mrs Dawes, Mrs Randerson and Mrs Johnson

# My New Class

When I come back I will be in: Year 1

My classroom is: 1IC

The doors I use will be: Outside the classroom, next to the playground.

My teacher is: Mrs Simpson in Autumn Term then Mrs Clow in the Spring and Summer terms.

My teaching assistants are: Mrs Johnson, Mrs Randerson and Mrs Dawes.

One day each week Mrs Timmington will teach me and in January Mrs Clow will be my teacher when she returns from her maternity leave.

Mrs Simpkins will be teaching next door in 1JS.

You will need to enter school through the door in the middle of the Year 1 classrooms on the playground, just below the parent shelter. This door leads you in to our cloakroom.



Our cloakroom is shared between both classes—1IC and 1JS. You will find your name label above one of the coat pegs on the right hand side of the cloakroom. Here you will hang your PE bag, coat and wellies, if you bring them. We always work hard to keep our cloakroom really tidy and keep things on our own peg.

The cloakroom is also where the toilets are. There is a boys toilet and a girls toilet.



Our classroom is through the door to your right. There will be a box clearly labelled for you to put your book bag in, and a work top where you will put your water bottle. There is a wet area where you can fill your water bottle up each morning, if you haven't already done so at home.

## All About Mrs Simpson

Hello Everyone, so this is just a little bit about me!



I have been a teacher at High View for 14 years and I am now the Deputy Headteacher and the Key Stage 1 Leader. I love teaching, it is something I wanted to do from being a little girl. I really enjoy stories both reading and writing and my favourite story is a book called Dogger! I will read it to you one day and you will hopefully like it just as much as I do.

At home I live with my husband and our teenage son along with 2 very old but lively dogs. We have two older daughters who now have their own houses. My eldest daughter lives in Gloucester which is a long way from Wombwell so I don't get to see her as much as I would like. Our other daughter lives much closer and we get together a few times each week. When I am not at work I like to meet up with family and friends, go out walking the dogs and watching our son play football. I am really looking forward to finding out lots about you and what you like doing. We will have lots of fun in Year 1 but we will also do lots of hard work too. Mrs Johnson, Mrs Timmington, Mrs Randerson and Mrs Dawes are also looking forward to working with you.

## All About Mrs Mrs Timmington

Hello everyone! I'm Mrs Timmington and you will remember me (I hope!) from when I used to teach you when you were in Mrs Banks' or Mrs Marshall's class. Here's a little bit about me...

I have worked at High View for many years and have taught lots of classes, which is very nice for me as I get to work with lots of lovely children.

I am married to Mr Timmington and we have 2 grown-up daughters called Lisa and Melanie, who sadly don't live with us any more as they have their own houses.

When I am not at school I love reading, crosswords and trying out new and different recipes. I also love shopping!

## Teaching Assistants



Our teaching assistants in Year 1 are Mrs Dawes, Mrs Randerson and Mrs Johnson. They will work across both classes to help and support your learning.



Hello my name is Mrs Dawes and I worked with you sometimes last year, so you will know all about me and what I like to do. I am so pleased to be working with you again this year!



Hello my name is Mrs Randerson. I have been a teaching assistant for 18 years and although I have not been at High View very long I feel like an extremely valued member of staff and really enjoy working here. I have 2 grown-up sons and when I'm relaxing at home I enjoy watching quiz programmes on TV and also listening to music.

## Our Curriculum

Our exciting curriculum is divided in to six topics throughout the terms in the year:

### **Autumn Term: Wonderful Weather (Science Focus) and The Train Ride... Choo Choo! (Geography and History Focus)**

In the Autumn term, we will be comparing the weather and the environment in different local areas, including Wombwell, Barnsley and England.

### **Spring Term: Sticks and Stone and Funny Homes (Science/DT Focus) and Memory Box/ Whatever Next? (History and Science Focus)**

In the Spring Term, we will be learning about traditional tales and the materials of different buildings. Then we will go back in time to compare life in the past with life now.

### **Summer Term: The Wonders of Here and There (Geography Focus) and Paws, Claws and Whiskers (Science Focus)**

In the Summer Term, we learn all about different animal classifications and plants and we will compare the environment of our country to that of a non-European country.

### Timetable and brief outline of the day;

#### **AM:**

Morning workshop

Register

Read Write Inc Phonics

Assembly

#### **Playtime/Snack**

Maths

#### **Lunch.time**

#### **PM:**

Register

Story time

Topic—which covers all of the curriculum subjects throughout the week, including a 15 minute playtime each day.

#### **Home time**

### General information

- Please bring PE kits on **Monday** and leave them in school through the week then take them home on Friday for washing.
- Classroom doors open at **9am** in the morning. Workshop finishes at 9.10am.
- **No jewellery** should be worn for PE. Please try to avoid jewellery for schools but watches are helpful for learning about time.
- Please remember to **label all uniform** to prevent it from getting lost.
- School Dinners: Indicate which lunch option your child will have daily or for the week on the board in class.

Over the holidays I might feel some worries or have some questions. My grown up can contact Mrs Simpkins or the school office if they feel it is urgent but I can also write them down on this table to see how they can be resolved.

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On the first day back my questions can be answered.

My Worries	How I / others can help

## Year 1 Checklist:

To help me in a morning, I have a checklist of things I might need to remember. This will stop me worrying that I may have forgotten something.

RWI book bag	
Spellings or reading words	
Water bottle	
Reading Record (5 reads a week)	
PE kit	
Personal reading book to change	
Topic homework	

# All about me!

## Things I Like in School:

Here I can write / draw about the things I like in school and things I am looking forward to next year. This will help me feel positive about my return to school in September.