

# Welcome to Perry Court Nursery Class....

## Meet the Teachers



Miss Walley

I love teaching particularly in Early Years and am very happy to have joined the Perry Court family. In my spare time I like to take my giant dog called Shadow out on long walks in the countryside, watch the Bristol Bears play rugby and dance.



Mrs Phillips

I love teaching and am very much looking forward to joining the early years team in September. In my spare time, I like to go on walks along the beach and visit new places. I have recently got married, so this year I am going to be known as Mrs Phillips.

## Meet the Support Staff

Mrs Sim > Mon – Wed  
Mrs Ishaq > Wed – Fri  
Mrs Avent > Mon – Fri

We understand that some of your little ones may still be on their journey to independent toileting and school readiness. Please speak to us about how we can help support & pop some spare clothes, wipes, nappies in their bag.

## Early Years Curriculum

In Nursery we follow the Early Years curriculum. We help to build the foundation blocks needed for pupils to attain the 'Early Learning Goals' at the end of Reception. Our curriculum is split into prime areas and specific areas. 😊

### Prime Areas:

- Personal, Social & Emotional Development.
- Physical Development.
- Communication & Language.

### Specific Areas:

- Maths.
- Literacy.
- Understanding the World.
- Expressive Arts & Design.

We use the guidance from 'Birth to 5 Matters' document to track development against age-related milestones. This can be found at: <https://birthto5matters.org.uk>

## Continuous Provision & Adult-Led Learning

In Nursery we learn in a variety of ways. We will take part in adult-led carpet-time sessions, small groups work and on an individual basis. In addition, to adult inputs both our indoor and outdoor environments are set up for us to learn through play across all areas of the curriculum.

Each term you will receive a knowledge organiser (KO). The KO will provide you with information on the upcoming topic and areas of learning we will be covering over the term.

## Transitions

This is our first year taking full-time pupils for 30 hours. We have also introduced AM and PM sessions for our 15 hour pupils. Timings of the day will be sent out to you in due course, along with a timetable for our transition and introduction to Nursery. Please be assured we will work with parents for pupils individual needs where settling-in sessions may need to be extended or part-time timetables are required.

We add termly observations to the children's learning diaries for all curriculum areas. To share children's learning regularly with parents we will be completing a fortnightly blog on the website with our topics, activities and any events we have taken part in.

