



PARK HILL JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Find us on...





Children come to our school to be happy and successful.

We strive to develop courageous, enthusiastic, honest young people who love to learn, to contribute and to achieve.

We ENRICH lives through our school values which are celebrated and rewarded through weekly celebration assemblies and, at the every half term, through the awarding of a special badge.

VISION & VALUES

Enthusiasm
Nurturing
Responsibility
Integrity
Compassion
Heroism



ADMISSIONS

Park Hill admits up to 66 children into two classes, whilst most of our children come from Thorns Infant school, we welcome children from a range of different schools.

An information evening for new parents is held in the summer term .

Children are invited to spend a transition day in school during the summer term and their new teachers also visit them at Thorns. Children also meet their "buddy" a child who will be in Year 6 and will help them feel settled in school.

For in year admissions, please contact the school office to arrange a visit.





CURRICULUM

Children receive daily teaching in English, Maths and Maths Fluency whilst also participating in three Guided Reading sessions per week.

Children take part in two PE lessons each week covering movement skills and traditional sports as well as dance and gymnastics and also have a weekly RE lesson. We also teach weekly PSHE lessons which cover a range of life topics.

The foundation curriculum is structured in half termly topics which are driven by key subjects such as history, geography or science. Topics are supported by a range of trips and visitors.

CURRICULUM

Subjects are well planned and sequenced to ensure that learning is secured and built upon in subsequent years. A new subject of French is introduced in Year 3.

You can find more information about each year groups topic on our website.

Outside of the national curriculum, children participate in building Learning Skills. These skills are fundamental to education, work and life and include working with others, digital citizenship and metacognition. Oracy skills are developed through Philosophy for children sessions.





RESIDENTIALS

We offer two residentials for children whilst they are at Park Hill. When children are in Year 5, they have the opportunity to visit Chase Water for a three day trip to take part in outdoor and adventurous activities. Then, in Year 6, children make a week long visit to PGL in Devon where they take part in a range of water-based sports, yet more adventurous activities and day trips that support the Year 6 curriculum.

We believe the two trips give children the chance to slowly build their independence and confidence so that they can approach secondary school

PARENT PARTNERSHIP

We seek the support of parents in helping us to maintain the high standards of work and behaviour we expect of our children.

We will send home knowledge organisers for each topic for parents to use at home and run parent partnership meetings to give parents more information about different aspects of school life.

WRAPAROUND

We are able to offer before and after school child care at The Hub.

<https://parkhilljuniorschool.ovw9.devweb.site.co.uk/parents/wraparound>

Children can still access holiday provision from Brambles.

www.brambles-kenilworth.com
tel: 01926 854486





EXTRA CURRICULAR

We aim to offer a range of after-school clubs to children covering everything from sports, music, arts and crafts to the ever popular Ricky's dance club.

We take part in lots of sporting competitions and try to offer every child the chance to represent their house or the school in sporting events.

We are also really keen to give children the opportunity to learn musical instruments. Every child in Year 3 learns to play an instrument (currently the ukelele) and for older children we offer keyboard, guitar, violin, brass, woodwind, singing and drumming lessons.

We seek to encourage leadership opportunities for our children through our school council, eco council, digital heroes, librarians and house captains!

LINKS WITH SAFE AND ACTIVE

We work closely with Warwickshire Safe & Active Schools to teach our children about road safety.

Our Year 5 children take part in Bikeability where children learn how to ride their bikes on the main road, bike checks and how to wear their helmet.

The school has two bike shelters to encourage children to cycle and scoot to school and we are hosting a week of active travel to school in May.

You can follow Warwickshire Safe & Active Schools on Facebook @WCCSafeActiveTravel or X @WCCSafe_Active





PTA

Park Hill is supported by a fantastic PTA.

Over the last few years the PTA has work tirelessly to raise much needed funds to support the school.

Some notable donations have helped to fund our new trim trail, astro turf pitch, I pads and computer equipment, playground toys and our playground mural.

The PTA also run discos, bingo competitions and film nights for children; summer and Christmas fairs and parent quiz nights.



**SUCCESSFUL,
CONFIDENT
LEARNERS.**

**RESPONSIBLE
COMPASSIONATE
INDIVIDUALS.**



ENTHUSIASM

NURTURING

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HEROISM