




**Riverside Primary School**

**P1 Transition Programme 2026-27**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Details</b>
Week beginning <b>27th April 2026</b>	Transition Project	<p>A transition project will be emailed out to all nurseries. The context for this topic will be based around the book <b>“The Colour Monster”</b>.</p> <p>The project will be sent out to all of our nurseries and started in nursery.</p> <p>There will be follow up activities for parents/carers to do with their child/children over the summer holiday and it will be carried into the first weeks in Primary 1.</p> <p>The activity for parents to complete will be given to you by <b>your child’s nursery</b>.</p>
Week beginning <b>4th May 2026</b>	Primary 1 Hub: School Website	<p>Look out for our “P1 Transition Hub” appearing on our school website.</p> <p>This will be where we will share lots of the information that you will require for your child starting school.</p> <p>There will also be little videos from key staff members and current P1’s posted in the coming weeks so please check this regularly.</p> <p>We encourage all of our nurseries to access this with the children whilst they are in nursery, during the spring/summer term.</p> <p>Scan here for easy access</p> 

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<p>Thursday 7th May <b>10-10.30am or, 2-2.30pm</b></p>	<p>Meet the Buddies!</p>	<p>Children will have the opportunity to visit the school library and join with the P6 pupils, who will be the P1 'big buddies' after summer.</p> <p>They will be able to look at books and read stories together.</p> <p>Children from our outlying nurseries will need to be accompanied by an adult that they are familiar with.</p> <p>If your child does not attend Riverside Nursery please call Mrs Plewes, Depute Headteacher, on 01786 237933 to book a session for your child/children.</p>
<p><b>Tuesday 12th May 10am-11am</b></p> <p><b>Friday 29th May 2.30-3.30pm</b></p>	<p>Outlying nurseries 'stay and play'</p>	<p>If your child is currently at one of our outlying nurseries (nurseries other than Riverside Primary Nursery) you are welcome to contact Mrs Plewes, Depute Head Teacher, on 01786 237933 to arrange a visit for your child to come down and join our other pre-school children in our nursery for a 1 hour 'stay and play' session on either of the dates/times specified.</p> <p><b><i>Please note that your child will be required to have a familiar adult stay with them for this session.</i></b></p>
<p>Week beginning <b>1st June 2026</b></p>	<p>Special Delivery</p>	<p>Look out for a little delivery from the P6 children buddies this week.</p>
<p><b>Thursday 4th June 6.30pm-7.30pm</b></p>	<p>P1 Parent/Carer Induction Evening</p>	<p>We are delighted to invite you all into our school for our Induction Evening. Please come to the main entrance of the school ahead of 18:30 and a member of staff will be able to show you to our hall.</p> <p>This session will be led by a member of the Senior Leadership Team and the Primary 1 teachers.</p> <p>This is where we will give you all the information that you will need for your child starting school and you will have the opportunity to ask any questions and chat with other parents.</p>

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		<p>It is on this night that you will be told who your child's teacher for Primary 1 will be.</p> <p><b><i>Please note: this session is for parents and carers only.</i></b></p>
<p><b>Thursday 11th June 11am-12:30pm</b></p>	<p>Visit to the school and lunch hall</p>	<p>On this day both parents/carers and children are invited to visit their classroom, meet their teacher and share some lunch together in our lunch hall afterwards.</p> <p>More details of this will be sent out in the coming weeks.</p>
<p><b>Thursday 18th June 3.30-4.30pm</b></p>	<p>'Meet and Play': Nature Playground</p>	<p>We would love to invite our new parents/carers, and our new P1 children, along to our nature playground at the end of the school day for an informal 'meet and play'.</p> <p>We will put out some play equipment in the playground for the children and supply some tea and coffee for the adults.</p> <p>This is a further opportunity for the parents, carers and children to meet up with one another ahead of starting at Riverside Primary.</p> <p>On this day at 4.15pm children from outlying nurseries (those who do not attend Riverside nursery) will have an opportunity to have a short tour of the infant building and the ground floor of the main school building.</p> <p>Children who attend Riverside Nursery will have this opportunity as part of their transition within the nursery day.</p>