

Welcome to
Magherafelt Integrated
Nursery School



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Exploring, Learning and Celebrating Together



This is a picture of your school. We'll have lots of fun here every day together - there is so much to do in the classroom and outside in our garden.

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Your Principal

This is Mrs Whiteside. She is the Principal of the school, and she will also be teaching you. If you have any worries about anything, you can ask her, or ask your grown-ups to talk to her. She wants you to be happy and safe in school!

Your teacher



This is Mrs Campbell. She teaches the children in the Full Time class. Her job is to look after all the girls and boys in the class, and to make sure everyone has lots of fun while they are learning! Mrs Campbell loves to sing and is great at making story time fun.

Your Assistants



Mrs McCreesh is a Nursery Assistant in the Full Time Class. Mrs McCreesh loves to chat to all the girls and boys in her class and she loves a good joke!

Sometimes you'll see Mrs Young in the room. Mrs Young helps us with lots of things like bringing our daily snack, and joining in with our activities. She also helps out at dinner time and at the Morning Club.

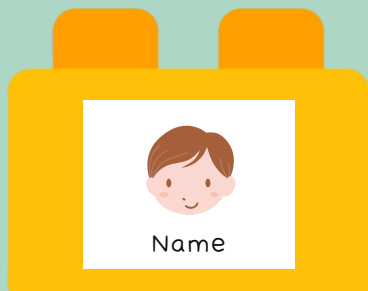


Mrs McCullagh is a Nursery Assistant who works across the school. She makes sure that the activities are ready for each day and she loves to support boys and girls who just need a little extra help. She loves arts and crafts too.

Our Daily Routine

REGISTRATION:

When you arrive in the morning you should hang your coat on the peg. If you have brought a lunch box, put it on the shelf then find your photo card and stick it on the dinner / lunch board.



YOUR BLOCK:

Next, find the block with your photo and put it on the shelf inside the classroom. Now everyone knows you're here!

Our Daily Routine



We have lots of different things to play with in our classroom. You can play quietly by yourself, but joining in with friends is fun too.

You can build with all sorts of blocks, paint, craft, read, play at the water tray, use iPads, play with trains or cars, do jigsaws or even try out some role play (where we pretend to be vets, shopkeepers or customers!) ... what is your favourite thing to do?

SNACK TIME:

After we've played for a while, it's time for snack. It's a great chance to talk to our friends and find out what everyone has been doing. We have bread, crackers, wraps or rolls; cheese, apples, bananas and grapes! Sometimes we make our own snack, like wheaten bread or fruit kebabs.



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Our Daily Routine

STORY TIME, MUSIC AND SONGS:

Our teachers love to read us stories. We wake up our 'story senses' so that we can all listen to the teacher. Sometimes the stories have bits where we can all join in - it's really good fun! We also sing songs and play percussion instruments!



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Our Daily Routine



Next we spend some time together. We usually go outside. Our garden is brilliant! We have climbing frames, slides, sand play, a mud station, woods to explore, and gardening to do.

If it's too wet outside, we stay indoors and do Music and Movement in the hall. This is when we move our bodies to fun songs. Some of them are really silly!

Sometimes in the hall we build using big wooden blocks. We can make anything in our imaginations - planes, rocketships or cars.

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DINNER TIME:

After story we wash our hands again because we're about to eat our lunch. Some people bring a packed lunch and some people have a hot dinner instead.

We eat our food together in the classroom, and chat to each other about all sorts of things - what food we like, something that we saw on TV, what we did at the weekend. If you just want to sit quietly that's okay too.



Our Daily Routine

OUTSIDE AGAIN:

After dinner time we get to go outside again!



BACK INSIDE:

It's nearly time to go home, so we come back into our room and help make sure it's tidy. We play quietly until it's time to go home. Our teacher and parent might have a chat about the day; we put on our coat, check our baskets for paintings to take home, and then it's time to go.

Bye bye!!

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special visitors

We love having special visitors in the school.



Ronán comes to see us on Fridays to do exercising and messy play!

Relax Kids helps us feel good and have fun while listening and moving to music.



Mr Hullabaloo brings his puppet theatre.

Sometimes parents with interesting jobs come to talk to us about them, or bring farm animals to see us, or even show us around a fire engine or tractor!



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A very
special place

Magherafelt Integrated
Nursery School is a 'very
special place'. We want all our
children to be happy at school
so that they can explore and
learn lots while they are here!



If you are unhappy at all, ask a
grown-up for some help. If there is
something that you love to play with,
let us know! We want you to enjoy
your time at nursery school.



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