



# Welcome to Class 1 at Griffydam Primary School!



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We are very much looking forward to welcoming you and your child into Class 1. This booklet contains information and photos about the classroom, school, and adults that will be working closely with your child. It would be lovely if you could share this book with your child so they can familiarise themselves with our school before they arrive.





**I am your Class Teacher, and I am here to help you!**



**Miss Blaydon  
Class Teacher**

**Hello everyone!**

I am so excited to welcome you to our school and be your teacher this year! I can't wait to meet you all and learn more about each of you. We have lots of fun activities planned, and I'm sure we're going to have an amazing time together.

I really enjoy being active and trying out different sports and activities, so we'll have plenty of chances to move, play, and explore in our new classroom and the fantastic outdoor areas around our school. There's so much to see and do, and I'm sure you'll love it as much as I do!

I can't wait to start this exciting adventure with you all. I look forward to seeing you very soon!





These are some of the topics we will be learning about!



## **Me and My Community!**

(People who help us, me myself and I, 5 senses, my family!)



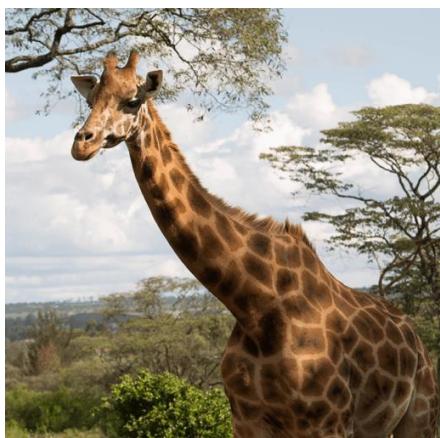
## **Sparkle and Shine!**

(Autumnal Changes, Festivals- Diwali, Bonfire night, Harvest and Christmas)



## **Dangerous Dinosaurs!**

(Dinosaurs, changes through history, weather and seasonal changes)



## **Animal Safari!**

(Pets, Safari animals, Summer and floating and sinking)

## **Creep, Crawl and wriggle!**

(Mini beasts, life cycles, sun safety, planting)

## Your New Classroom



In our school, there are plenty of areas where you can learn, play, and discover new things. Below, you'll find some photos of your new classroom and other areas of the school that you'll be able to enjoy. We can't wait for you to explore them all!

### Carpet Area

We will spend time here at various points throughout the day for stories, whole class inputs and circle time!







## Our Reading and Sensory Areas!

In Class one we are so lucky to have our woodland reading area to share stories with your friends.



## Our Role Play Area

Our role play area changes with each topic and the children's interests!







### Outdoor area

Each day the children will be able to explore and move between our indoor and outdoor spaces freely. We love to be outside and spend lots of time looking after our garden!



### Forest School

We are very lucky to have our very own Forest School at Griffydam. We love to get muddy, go on nature hunts and even toast marshmallows on fire.





## Playgrounds and wider outdoor space

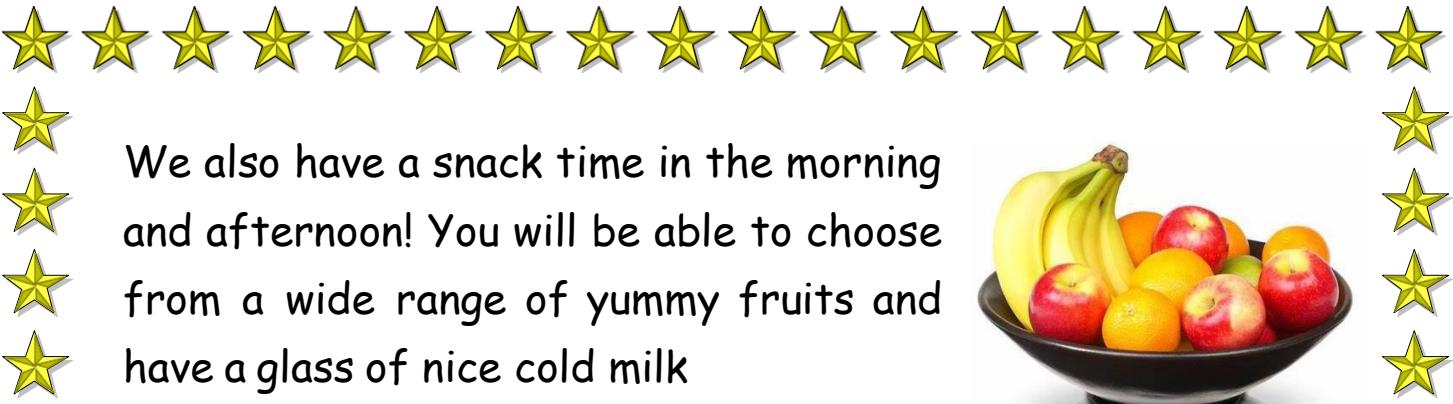
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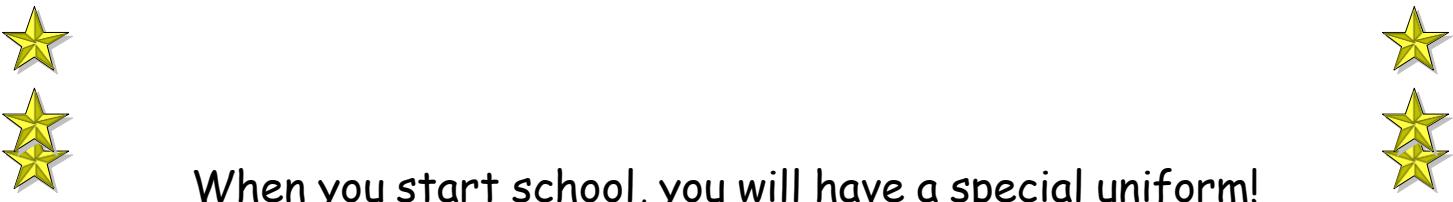
## Food at Griffydam!

At lunchtime you will be able to choose to have a yummy hot dinner or bring your own pack lunch.





We also have a snack time in the morning and afternoon! You will be able to choose from a wide range of yummy fruits and have a glass of nice cold milk



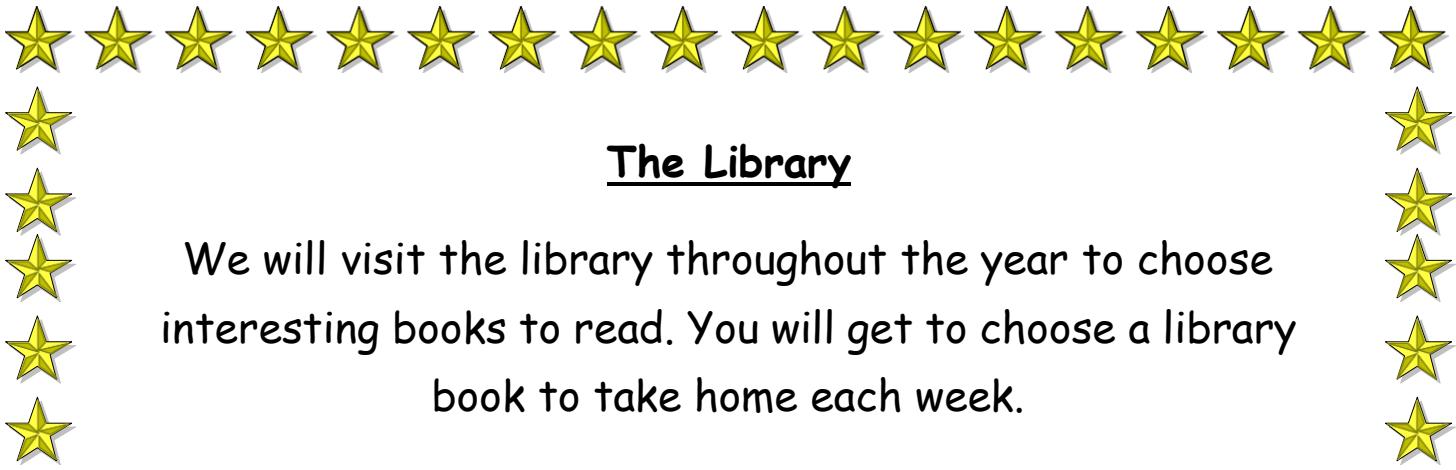
When you start school, you will have a special uniform!



# The Hall

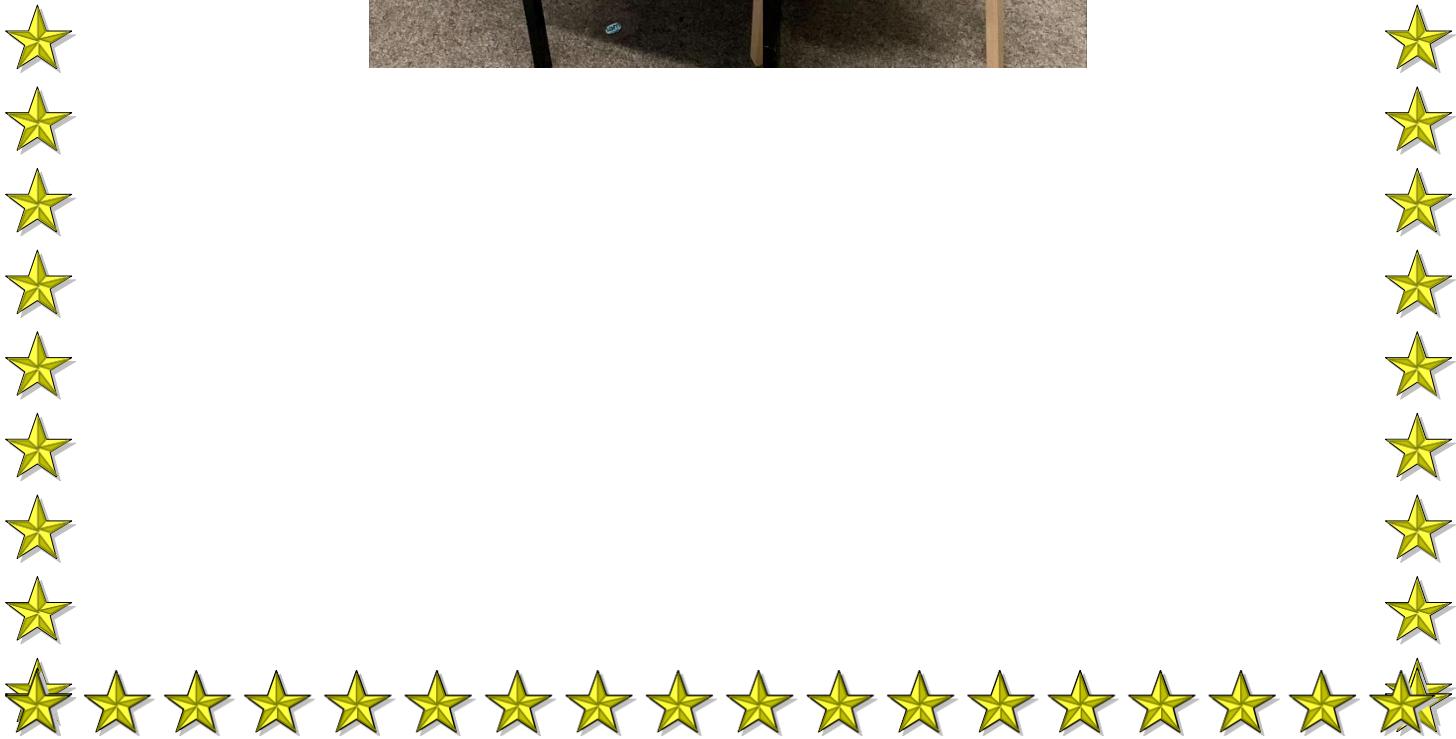
This is where we gather for daily assemblies. We also eat our lunch here





## The Library

We will visit the library throughout the year to choose interesting books to read. You will get to choose a library book to take home each week.



We are always busy learning and exploring in Class 1.  
Here are some photos of the fun things we get up to.



We are looking forward to seeing you soon! We are going to have so much fun learning and growing together!

