

# Welcome to Maple Class

My name is Mrs Wignell and I am the class teacher . Mrs Clayton is the super teaching assistant, who works in Maple class every day . We are also joined by the wonderful Mrs Vaughan, who takes us on our Forest school adventure and supports our PE .

In Maple class, we have areas within the classroom that help to promote and support all areas of development. They build independence, decision making and allow for shared and group thinking. Our areas include; make & do, home corner, construction, number area, writing area and reading corner. I wonder where you will go and learn first. We have our own outdoor area full of exciting activities such as, the mud kitchen, large tyres and crates, water and sand play and scooters to race on. Inside Maple, we also have two very friendly gerbils who are excited to meet you and to see your smiles.

We believe that children learn best when they are happy, engaged, feel safe and secure. The grown-ups in Maple class work together to provide opportunities for every child in our care to reach their full potential through creative and inspiring learning opportunities that are exciting, interesting and sometimes challenging and capture each and every learner's interests, ensuring different teaching styles are used to suit all. We have lots of wonderful ideas and activities to share with you and hope you can share your ideas too!

A little bit about us. We like to dance, sing and play games together. I enjoy swimming and baking lots of nice yummy treats. I have 2 rabbits called Luna & Pretzel. My favourite colour is purple and I also love yellow! Mrs Clayton likes to grow flowers in her garden. She has a gorgeous dog called Woody. Mrs Vaughan likes to go on long walks and spend time in her garden. She has lots and lots of chickens.

**We can't wait to find out more about you and your wonderful family!**