



### Our Three School Rules

#### 1. Be Safe

Make choices that keep yourself, others, and our environment safe at all times.

#### 2. Be Respectful

Treat everyone kindly and fairly — be honest, inclusive, and nurture others and the world around you.

#### 3. Be Ready

Come to school prepared to learn — work hard, apply your best effort, show resilience, achieve highly and take care of our school and planet.

### Our Vision

At Newlands Primary Academy, we are unwavering in our commitment to ensuring every child achieves highly. We believe that with the right support and high expectations, every child can thrive in our nurturing and ambitious environment. Our dedicated staff team works tirelessly to unlock each child's capacity, providing the challenge, encouragement, and care needed for them to succeed in all they do. Through this, we aim to nurture not only academic excellence, but also strong character, confidence, and compassion, enabling our pupils to make a meaningful contribution to their community and the wider world.

We 'SHINE' at Newlands by living our values every day.

### Values:

- Safety — Make choices that keep yourself, others, and our environment safe.
- Honesty — Be truthful and trustworthy in all you do.
- Inclusion — Welcome and respect everyone and the world around us.
- Nurture — Support each other to grow and care for our planet.
- Effort — Work hard, show resilience, achieve highly, and take responsibility for our shared future.



We look forward to you and your child joining us soon!



## SCHOOL READINESS

Here at Newlands Primary Academy, we understand the importance of transitioning into school. In partnership with you, we would like to work together to ensure that your child is as prepared as they can be before joining us in September.

We are so excited for you and your child to join us for their educational journey so we have some top tips and dates which will be useful.

Don't worry if your child does not have these skills yet - they can develop them over time. The list is just some ways you can help them prepare during the summer before school starts.

## TOP TEN TIPS FOR SCHOOL READINESS

### 1 - Independence

I am independent: I can put on my coat, go to the toilet, wash my hands and blow my nose all on my own. I can eat my packed lunch by myself, even undo the wrappers.

### 2 - Movement

I can run, jump, climb, stop and move around confidently

### 3 - Communication

I can confidently communicate and make my needs known.

### 4 - Activities

I can join in with activities and sing rhymes and songs

### 5 - Listening

I can listen and take turns in a conversation

### 6 - Sharing

I can share books and talk about the pictures and storylines.

### 7 - Mark Making

I can draw and make marks with pencils, crayons and pens and use scissors safely

### 8 - Focus

I can concentrate on something that interests me and carry out an activity

### 9 - People around us

I can take turns and share with other people

### 10 - Attitude

I am excited, curious and enthusiastic about learning in my new school

## Get in Touch



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