



# Khalsa Primary School

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**Waheguru Ji Ka Khalsa,  
Waheguru Ji Ki Fateh**

**Parents' meetings – Autumn 2016**

**Year 4**

**Teachers - Ms Kaur & Mrs Sidhu**

**Teaching Assistant – Miss Registe**

**PPA teacher – Mrs Grey**

**Punjabi & Sikh Studies Teachers – Mrs Brar &  
Miss Chahal**



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## Behaviour Policy

**Children are expected to behave well at all times.**

- We believe that our school should be a place where everybody's behaviour is **kind, considerate** and **respectful**.
- We believe that good behaviour shows that **we care about ourselves, each other** and the **environment**.
- We encourage children to **think about their behaviour** so that everyone can **work well in a comfortable & happy atmosphere**.
- We want our pupils to develop a **good understanding of positive behaviour & recognise that their behaviour has a consequence**.
- We want pupils to move towards **self-discipline**.
- We believe that it's essential for parents and staff to work in **partnership, to promote positive behaviour**.



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## Behaviour Policy

- To remember the three 'Golden Rules'
- To respect everyone
- To exhibit good manners at all times
- To be good listeners – to listen to each other and adults.
- To sit sensibly on the carpet and at tables
- To be patient
- To share resources with each other
- To remain quiet when walking around the school. To remain silent in the Darbar hall
- To help other children in class
- To develop self-discipline
- Please inform the class teacher FIRST if there is an issue with behaviour in school.



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## Behaviour Policy

### Rewards

- Praise
- Stickers
- Certificates
- Message to parents
- Sent to another class for praise



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## Behaviour Policy

Talking  
Swinging on chair  
Not focussing  
Shouting out  
Not listening

Distracting others  
Disturbing others  
Laughing at others  
Not listening  
Disrespectful  
Running in class  
Pushing in line  
Scribbling on work  
Not working

Defiance  
Being racist  
Hitting & Bullying  
Spitting & Swearing  
Damaging property  
Malicious lying  
Serious swearing  
Physical violence  
Answering back  
Threatening



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## Behaviour Policy

Sit on 'time out chair'  
Sit separately

Time out of class  
Miss playtime  
See deputy /  
Head teacher  
Sitting on a bench  
during playtimes  
Detention

Time out of class  
Internal exclusion  
See deputy / Head  
teacher  
External exclusion  
Call parents  
Miss an outing  
Sit in darbar  
hall to reflect  
Detention



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## Themes:

- Autumn 1 - New beginnings
- Autumn 2 - Getting on and falling out / saying no to bullying
- Spring 1 - Going for goals
- Spring 2 - Good to be me
- Summer 1 - Relationships
- Summer 2 - Changes





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## Themes:

Optimistic about life

High standards of learning

Spiritually aware

Socially aware

Self-respect

Self-discipline

Good social skills

Risk-takers

Resourceful, Reasoning, Resilient, Responsible & Reflective



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## English

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### Autumn Term:

- Stories with historical settings
- Poetry – Creating Images
- Stories which raise issues
- News Reports

### Spring Term:

- Information texts
- Stories set in imaginary worlds
- Poetry- Exploring form
- Explanation texts
- Plays

### Summer Term

- Persuasive texts
- Stories from other cultures
- Cartoon story book



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## Reading

- In KS2 we encourage the children to **choose their own books** to help them become more responsible for their own learning and develop a **real love for reading**.
- Please encourage your child to read at home and ask them questions.
- Children are allowed to bring in their own books or a library book to read at school. Please remind your child that it's their responsibility to look after it.



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## Maths

- Number – Number and Place Value
- Number – Addition and Subtraction
- Number – Multiplication and Division
- Number- Fractions (including decimals and percentages)
- Measurement – Metric units
- Geometry – properties of shapes and position and direction

Our approach to mathematics is based on practical activities and real life experiences



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## Topics

First Term topics:

History: Children in World War II

Science: Animals, including humans

RE: How Hindus Worship

D&T: Healthy Eating

ICT: Programming

Music: Mrs Fortey

Parents, please can you work with your children and perhaps discuss topics in further detail.



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## Physical Education

- Children are required to have a FULL P.E. kit at school. Children also need to have tracksuit bottoms in their PE kits and a pair of shorts. Shirts need to be plain white and unbranded, or the school's P.E kit. Items of clothing need to be labelled with the child's name and class/year group
- Trainers must not have studs unless its for Sports Club.
- P.E. bags will be kept in school for 2 or 3 weeks. They can then be taken home for washing.
- If your child attends a sports club, please ensure that they bring in their P.E. kit on the following day.
- Kara's need to be covered with a sweatband.



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## Swimming

- Swimming will take place every Wednesday afternoon
- ALL clothing MUST be labelled.
- Girls need to bring a swimming costume (no bikinis), swimming hat, a towel and goggles if they need them.
- Boys need to bring swimming shorts, swimming hat, a towel and goggles if they need them.
- Children need to wear sweatbands over their Kara
- Ensure that girls are not wearing any earrings.
- If possible, children to wear their swimming costume under their school uniform before they come to school.
- Please teach your child to dress themselves properly.



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## Home Learning

- 'Home learning' will include Maths, English, spellings and daily reading.
- Please ensure that you regularly check your child's 'home learning' books to ensure that the homework has been completed.
- It is essential that children read on a daily basis. Please ensure that you support your child. Please sign your child's reading record.
- Homework will be given out on Thursday and is expected to come back on Monday.
- It is a national expectation to know all times tables and division facts up to 12x12 by the end of year 4.





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## Reading Journals

- During the week children will be set reading journals tasks.
- Reading Journals will be given on a Monday and should be returned by Thursday.
- The work set is essential for your child's learning so please make sure the work is completed and handed in on time.
  
- If homework or reading journal tasks are handed in late they will NOT be marked.



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## Water Bottles and Fruit

- Please ensure lunches are healthy and sufficient.
- Children are required to bring a **labelled** water bottle to school which will be kept in the classroom.
- Children in KS2 do not receive 'free fruit'. If you would like your child to have fruit during playtime, please provide them with a small amount of fruit in a small box.
- Please ensure that you label water bottles & fruit boxes
- If your child brings in a packed lunch, then please make sure that they bring in a separate water bottle & fruit box
- Children in KS2 do not receive 'free milk'. Parents can contact 'Cool Milk' if they would like their child to have milk at school.



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## Attendance

- Please ensure your child arrives on time. Gates open at 8.30am
- Registers close at 8.40am
- If your child is absent, please call on the first day of sickness and follow up with a written letter when your child returns
- We work an Education Welfare Officer if absences and lateness is too high.



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## Home Time

- Please collect children from their specified location
- Year 4 children are to be collected from the hall. They will remain in a line until the class teacher sees the parent and will then send out the children.
- Please be patient and do not crowd the doors.



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## Useful Links

### Literacy

- [www.bbc.co.uk/schools/ks2bitesize/literacy/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/ks2bitesize/literacy/)
- [www.bbc.co.uk/ks2bitesize/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/ks2bitesize/)
- [www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/interactive/literacy.html](http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/interactive/literacy.html)
- [www.ictgames.com](http://www.ictgames.com)
- [www.amblecote.dudley.gov.uk/.../Infant\\_English\\_Resources.htm](http://www.amblecote.dudley.gov.uk/.../Infant_English_Resources.htm)

### Numeracy

- [www.bbc.co.uk/ks2bitesize/numeracy](http://www.bbc.co.uk/ks2bitesize/numeracy)
- [www.ictgames.com/resources.html](http://www.ictgames.com/resources.html)
- [www.comberps.newtownards.ni.sch.uk/maths\\_games\\_for\\_ks2.htm](http://www.comberps.newtownards.ni.sch.uk/maths_games_for_ks2.htm)
- [www.mad4maths.com](http://www.mad4maths.com)
- [www.mathszone.co.uk](http://www.mathszone.co.uk)

*Children will also be getting there LGFL (London Grid for Learning) Log In details, which they can use at home to access learning resources*



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**Thank you**

**Any questions?**