



HARRODIAN

PRE-PREPARATORY  
CURRICULUM HANDBOOK  
2018 - 2019

## WELCOME TO THE HARRODIAN SCHOOL PRE-PREP DEPARTMENT

A very warm welcome to you and your child from everybody in the Pre-Prep Department.

The Pre-Prep is a place where children grow up in an atmosphere which is informal, stimulating and friendly. We want your child to enjoy coming to school and to make every day a joyful, positive and creative experience.

The Harrodian Pre-Prep is a place where everyone learns and works in surroundings where there is light, space and colour. Pupils take pride in their school and in what they do, and this is a spur to greater effort and concentration when they know that others appreciate the results of their hard work.

Children succeed in the Pre-Prep in an atmosphere of warmth, happiness and encouragement. It is a place where the whole school community, from the youngest child to the oldest member of staff, are all working together to ensure your child's success.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'L Horan', with a stylized initial 'L'.

Lucy Horan  
Head of the Pre-Prep Department

## ORGANISATION

Each class teacher takes his/her class for:

Maths  
English  
Science  
History  
Geography  
Art and Design/Technology  
Religious Education  
Personal, Social and Health Education

Specialist subject teachers teach:

Sports  
Music  
French  
Computing

All pupils in the Pre-Prep are expected to read for approximately 10-15 minutes each night. Pupils in Pre-Prep 1 and above will also receive homework during the week. A homework schedule is included in this booklet.

Pupils will be assessed at the end of each term. Full written reports will be sent home once a year (Summer Term) and parents will also be invited to attend two Parents' Evenings (Autumn and Spring Terms) where pupil progress can be discussed with class and specialist teachers.

Should you require further information please contact the relevant class teacher or Head of Pre-Prep, who will be glad to assist.

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PRE-PREP HOMEWORK AND READING TIMETABLE

<b>Reception</b>	Reading (Daily 10 minutes) Weekly activities and key words
<b>PP1</b>	Reading (Daily 10 minutes) Spellings (For a weekly test)
<b>PP2</b>	Reading (Daily 15 minutes) Literacy (Weekly 20 minutes) Spellings (For a weekly test) Numeracy (Weekly 20 minutes) From the Spring Term
<b>PP3</b>	Reading (Daily 15 minutes) Spellings (For a weekly test) Times tables (For a weekly test) Numeracy (Weekly 30 minutes) Literacy/Topic work (Weekly 30 minutes)

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PRE-PREP DEPARTMENT ASSESSMENT

Year	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Reception	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All areas of learning</li> <li>• Dated Self Portrait</li> <li>• Dated Writing Sample</li> <li>• Dated Maths Sample</li> <li>• Reception Baseline Assessment</li> <li>• Phonics Assessment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All areas of learning</li> <li>• Dated Self Portrait</li> <li>• Dated Writing Sample</li> <li>• Maths Sample</li> <li>• Phonics Assessment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All areas of learning</li> <li>• Dated Self Portrait</li> <li>• Dated Writing Sample</li> <li>• Maths Sample</li> <li>• Phonics Assessment</li> </ul>
Year 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Harroddian Assessment in Maths and English</li> <li>• Dated Self Portrait</li> <li>• Dated Handwriting Sample</li> <li>• Writing Sample</li> <li>• High Frequency Words (Reading)</li> <li>• Phonics Assessment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Harroddian Assessment in Maths and English</li> <li>• Dated Self Portrait</li> <li>• Dated Handwriting Sample</li> <li>• Writing Sample</li> <li>• High Frequency Words (Reading)</li> <li>• Phonics Assessment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Harroddian Assessment in Maths and English</li> <li>• Dated Self Portrait</li> <li>• Dated Handwriting Sample</li> <li>• Writing Sample</li> <li>• High Frequency Words (Reading)</li> <li>• Phonics Assessment</li> </ul>
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