

Welcome to Curdridge Primary School

Tuesday 9th June 2026

Introduction and information evening for new
school starters in
September 2026



Class 1

Who will be helping your children learn?

- Mrs Harmer:

Class Teacher: Monday - Tuesday

- Mrs Lambert:

Class teacher: Wednesday - Friday

- Mrs Leach:

Learning Support Assistant (LSA): Every day

Before your child starts school there will be:

- Two 'Make and do' sessions
- Two unaccompanied visits
- One home visit in September



Make and Do sessions

You are invited and encouraged to join us for both sessions. You are welcome to bring family members and your child/children, including non-school starters.

We will meet and greet you and your children with a story and a make and do activity.

It's a chance to meet other parents/carers and to get to know us, and the school a little better!



Dates for 'Make and do' sessions

Thursday 11th June 2026

2.15pm - 3.00pm

Thursday 18th June 2026

2.15pm - 3.00pm

Unaccompanied visits

You need to bring your child to the front playground for 1:30pm.

If your child has and wants to wear the school uniform, that is fine.

If they want to wear plain clothes, this is fine too. They will need a drinks bottle (water only) with their name on and they will need to have sun cream (already applied) and a sun hat if necessary.

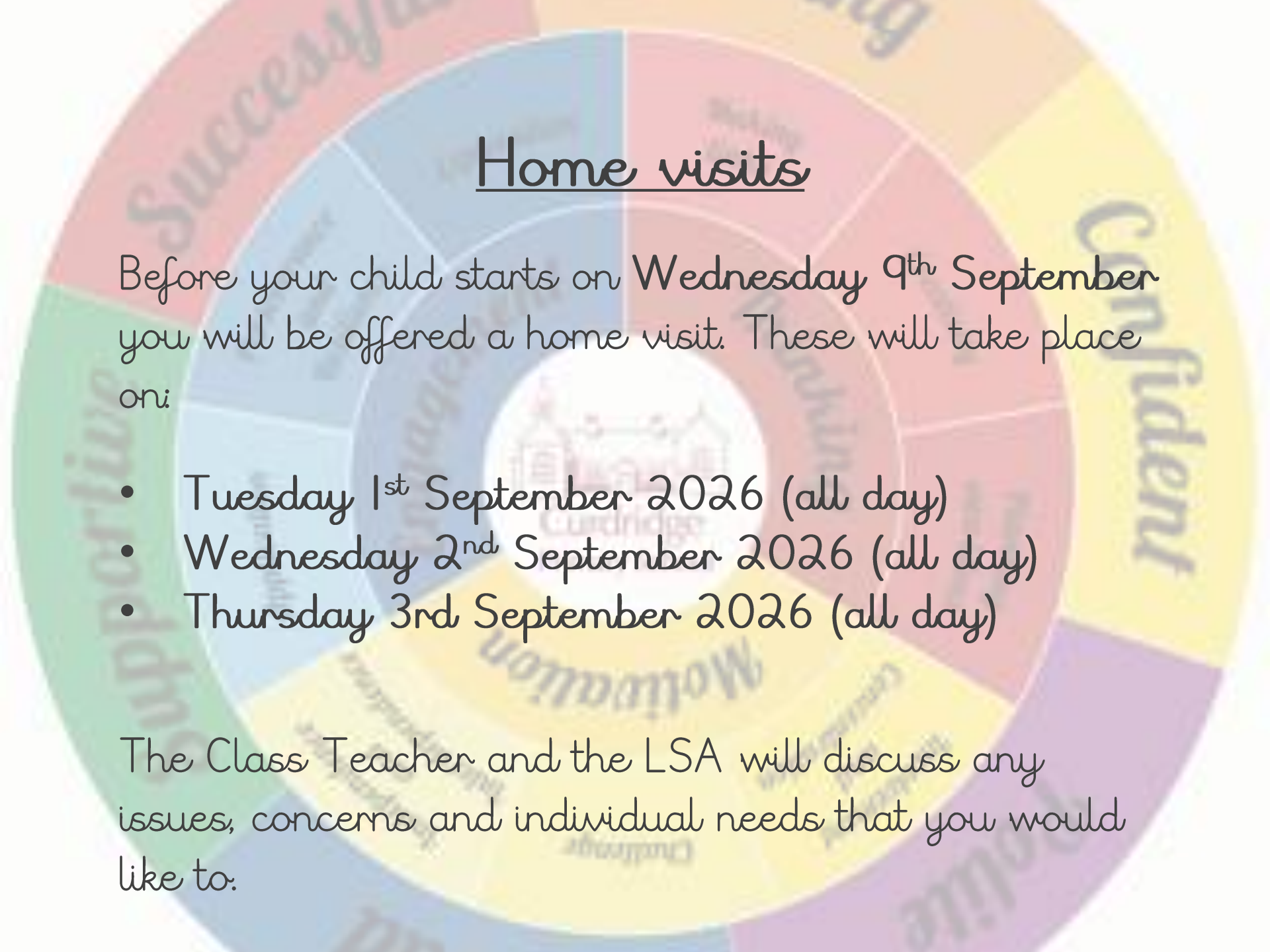
The teachers and LSA will come down to collect your child from you and we will walk them back up through the school for their afternoon experience.

At 3:00pm we shall bring your child back to you at the same spot at the front of the school.

Unaccompanied visits
dates and times:

Tuesday 23rd June 2026
1:30pm - 3:00pm

Tuesday 30th June 2026
1:30pm - 3:00pm



Home visits

Before your child starts on Wednesday 9th September you will be offered a home visit. These will take place on:

- Tuesday 1st September 2026 (all day)
- Wednesday 2nd September 2026 (all day)
- Thursday 3rd September 2026 (all day)

The Class Teacher and the LSA will discuss any issues, concerns and individual needs that you would like to.

Home visits

Please sign up on the sheet for your preferred option.



The School Day

Full time or part time?

Your child is offered a full-time place from the start of term regardless of their age.

The majority of children do start as full time pupils. Please consider what you would like for your child and we can discuss this on a home visit.

Wrap around care

Sunrise Club

Monday - Friday

8.00am - 8.45am breakfast is included (£4.00 per session)

Sunset Club

Monday - Thursday

3.20pm - 5.15pm a snack is included (£11.00 per session or £7.00 until 4.30pm)

Sunset Club

Friday

3.20pm - 4.30pm a snack is included (£7.00 until 4.30pm)

The Early Curriculum

- Secure foundation for life long learning
- Safe and happy environment where the children can thrive
- A partnership working between home and school
- Equality of opportunity to ensure that all children are included and supported



Parents' role

How you can help your child?

- Support and encourage by valuing their efforts.
- Spend time talking and sharing activities together.
- Build resilience by letting them 'have a go' and praise the efforts rather than the outcome We don't always get it right first time!
- Build independence in their planning and self care skills.

Communication

- We will use Juniper Ed to send out weekly blog posts. Here you will be able to see what your children have been learning about in class. These will include phonics sounds taught, maths taught and any other information on exciting classroom activities that have taken place.
- Whilst we will include some photos, these will mainly be of the class and learning that has taken place.

For Your Information

Helpful stuff for you to know:

Please use the car park by Hopscotch. We encourage a one-way system around Church Lane onto Wangfield Lane.

Collect from the front playground at 3.20pm
The pick-up time is staggered in order to ease traffic congestion at the end of the day.

Bring children around to the front playground from 8.50am

Fruit is provided free each day

The teacher and LSA will be there to greet you. We can help the child to walk up to the classroom where they will self-register and make their lunch choice. All infants are offered a free school meal each day.

Please notify the school office if your child will be absent for the day.

Milk is offered free to all children until the age of 5.
Let us know of any dietary requirements/allergies; these will need to be registered with Education Caters on their website.

Please ensure emergency details are up to date.

Please notify us of any changes for collection at the end of the day by telephoning the school office or telling the Classteacher or LSA in the morning.

Please use the church yard thoroughfare carefully and respectfully.

Belongings

- Name each item of clothing e.g. John S
- Wellies
- Coat
- If you are using the Pre-Loved Uniform service, it is essential that you write over or rename the clothing, otherwise we get really confused !!!

School meals and special diets



- Our school meals are provided by Chartwells who we have used for a year now- the feedback this year has been fantastic regarding school meals.
- Your child is entitled to a free school meal up until Y3 which we encourage your child to have
- Special diets can be catered for - more information to follow

Website information

**Starting CPS in
September 2026**

Year 1-2

FIND OUT MORE

Year 3-4

Year 5-6

Year R

Culture books

Your first piece of homework...

We know that your children have lots of very special people, places and occasions in their lives and we love to share and celebrate this in school.

We will provide you with a blank book. Please record, with your child, anything that is important to them, this could be holidays, friends, religious celebrations etc.

We would love it if these could come to school when your children start in September.

They do not need to be complete ... children can take their book home to add anything to it during their time in Year R to help keep us in the loop about exciting events that are happening in their lives.

Thank you
Any questions?

