



Thrumpton
Primary Academy

Welcome to
Thrumpton Primary Academy



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Welcome from the Principal

We are delighted to have the opportunity to introduce you to our academy and the exciting things we offer the children who come here.

Thrumpton Primary first opened its doors to the pupils of the area in 1874, with the new academy building opening in 2004. This provides the welcoming, bright and stimulating learning environment our Thrumpton children thrive in today.

We aim to inspire our pupils, raise aspirations and make a difference to their lives – academically, emotionally, spiritually and socially. We aim for our children to ‘be the best they can be.’

As you look around you will see we have high expectations of everyone. Our staff are dedicated professionals who put children at the heart of what they do. With our commitment to high standards and a range of extracurricular activities to enrich the curriculum, we are confident that our academy has something to offer everyone.

We welcome prospective parents and families to come and visit our academy. Please contact the office to make an appointment to meet me and see the academy in action.

We look forward to meeting you and welcoming your child to Team Thrumpton.



Rebecca Hurley
Principal



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Our vision and values

We aim to provide a happy, safe, caring and stimulating environment where children will become the very best they can be, so that they can make the best contribution to society.

We provide an exciting and challenging learning environment, where staff work in partnership with the children, families, governors and the community. There is always a welcoming atmosphere and an ethos where all feel secure, valued and confident, and enjoy being part of Team Thrumpton.

Through our broad and ambitious curriculum, we aim to equip our children with the knowledge and skills they need for lifelong learning in order to create the best outcomes, best people and best community. We embrace the wider curriculum and provide experiences beyond the classroom to enhance and enrich learning.

We also aim to deliver an excellent teaching and learning experience for all children that promotes excellence in academic achievements. Working collaboratively and in partnership with other academies, we share best practice in teaching and learning.

Our academy is a place where:

- everybody is welcomed
- we recognise and celebrate diversity
- we have respect for everyone and everything around us
- we aim to be the best we can be
- we value the partnership between our children, parents, the community and the academy, and nurture our Team Thrumpton ethos



Curriculum and support

We provide a wide range of exciting learning opportunities that are relevant and engaging for all pupils. We have a strong emphasis on teaching core skills, particularly speaking, reading, writing and maths.

The curriculum is adapted during the year to suit the educational needs of each cohort of children. A range of educational visits, guest visitors, themed days, special projects and workshops extend pupils' learning.

Our curriculum leads to successful pupils with:

- enthusiasm and motivation for learning
- determination to reach high standards of achievement
- openness to new thinking and ideas
- secure values and beliefs
- a sense of physical, mental and emotional wellbeing
- self-respect



A day at the academy

Our academy starts at 9am, there is a morning break and a staggered lunchtime to ensure all pupils are able to eat in comfort and with friends from their year group. The day ends at 3.30pm when children are collected from the academy by their parents or carers.

9am	Academy day begins The doors open at 8.50am, when the children come into the academy building. Registration takes place at 9am.
12-1pm	Lunchtime Children can either bring a healthy packed lunch or choose from our academy meals – these are prepared on site and paid for in advance. Dinners are provided free of charge for children in reception, year 1 and year 2. A wide range of playground games take place during lunchtimes, and our staff oversee these activities to ensure all children are safe and happy.
3.30pm	End of the academy day Staff see out pupils at the end of the day, unless children are attending one of our wide range of after-school clubs.



We support families of our pupils with wrap-around care that is provided on site by Thrumpton Kids' Club.

Breakfast club

Breakfast club* runs each morning from 7am. Children are given a nutritious breakfast and have activities organised for them prior to the academy day beginning.

After-school club

After-school club* runs each evening from 3.30pm until 6pm. Children are given a healthy snack and have a range of activities organised for them.

**Charges apply – see our website for further details.*

Enrichment

There are plenty of opportunities for pupils to develop their interests and abilities, providing valuable learning experiences outside the normal academy day. These can include (but are not limited to):

zumba | netball | gymnastics
 | French | choir | art

Admissions

Every year we welcome eager children into our academy community as they begin their educational journey. This is also an exciting but important time for parents – making the choice of where to apply to is a major decision, and we hope to provide interesting and relevant information to support you to make the right choice.

We offer term-time tours of our fabulous facilities giving parents and carers the chance to find out what life at Thrumpton is like on a normal day at the academy. Call our office team on **01777 702092** to book your individual family tour.

Nottinghamshire County Council administers our admissions process. If you are interested in applying for a place, visit www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/education/school-admissions for more information.



Diverse Academies

Thrumpton Primary Academy is part of the Diverse Academies Trust – a group of academies committed to the development and improvement of schools through collaboration and partnership. Our core focus is the achievement and development of each individual pupil. We have an established framework of core principles and practice to which all academies subscribe, whilst maintaining and developing each academy's unique identity and individual characteristics.

For more information, visit www.diverseacademies.org.uk



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