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**♥ NOVA PRIMARY SCHOOL** BARRACKS LANE, SHIREHAMPTON, BRISTOL, BS11 9NG

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## **MISSION**

## WORKING WITH THE **STARS OF TOMORROW**

## VISION

#### **EDUCATION, PURPOSE & SUCCESS**

Nova Primary aims to create a school where all children and adults can succeed without limits, leading their own learning.

We want to build a strong culture of equality and wellbeing, underpinned by our school values.

### **VALUES**

#### 1 TRUST

 This is essential for everyone to succeed in our school community. Trust enables us to be brave and ambitious in everything we do.

#### **7** FRIENDSHIP

We nurture relationships built on kindness, respect and honesty – they are the foundations of our happy, thriving school.

#### DISCOVERY

We offer the very best in teaching and learning opportunities for all. We seek to engage and ignite the curiosity of all our learners.

#### **SUCCESS**

This is the culmination of our work.
From the smallest gains to the biggest wins, everyone succeeds at Nova.

### **HELLO**

I'm proud to offer you a warm welcome to our fabulous school. Nova is a very special place; we all look after each other and the culture of trust and friendship can be felt everywhere. Nothing is too much trouble for our staff, and this positive approach means our children are just as giving.

Of course, a happy school means children will want to learn and our Nova team aim to make lessons, assemblies, clubs and trips as interesting and inclusive as possible. We are incredibly lucky to have such brilliant facilities including the latest technology, a large pond, wrap-around care and the biggest green spaces in the area; we have everything we need to ensure every child succeeds, whatever their ability, background or learning style.

I hope you like what you see and if you have any queries or want to see the school on more than one occasion, I warmly encourage you to get in touch.

The Nova team can't wait to get to know you and work with you in the education of your child; I promise you won't be disappointed!



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**Anna Morris** Headteacher

## **WHAT WE OFFER**

Our curriculum is rich and varied. Of course, much of our teaching and learning focuses on the basic skills of literacy and maths, but at Nova, we aim to provide much more than that.

Our children experience a multitude of opportunities for enquiry, creativity and language. They are encouraged to think imaginatively and solve problems. Our strong focus on learning skills, prepares them for a lifelong learning adventure.

We are also committed to children's physical and mental wellbeing. PE, personal, social, health and economic education feature heavily in our curriculum. The children even participate in a daily run or aerobics session to keep them fit and switched on in lessons! The large number of diverse extra-curricular clubs offer something for everyone. Children are excited by learning at Nova and love the breadth of our curriculum.





# THE EARLY YEARS FOUNDATION STAGE

At Nova, we value children's play as we understand this is how they learn at this formative age. We know that if we combine the teaching of basic Literacy and maths, with children's interests and fascinations, they will want to learn.

Our Reception classrooms are bright, well-resourced and set up to inspire children. The provision changes as they develop and master new skills.

The outside area is an incredible resource. It supports all areas of the Early Years curriculum, especially in children's physical and social development.

Our youngest pupils love learning and feel immensely valued. This, along with the trusting relationships our Early Years team have with our families, mean our children are more than ready for Key Stage One- they believe they can achieve anything!

# WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING

"My child has loved every part of school life, I don't think there is anything he does not enjoy. He comes home really happy!"

2016-17 Reception Parent

"Nova Primary gives my children "The roots to grow and the wings to fly" meaning anything is possible with the correct guidance and support!"

2016-17 Year 4 Parent





"When my teachers give us learning, it doesn't feel like work. It's fun! We always welcome people at Nova. If we make mistakes all the adults are understanding. If I could choose a school I would definitely choose this one!"

Year 5 Pupil

"Pupils' progress is consistently good and improving across all year groups in school"

**Ofsted 2015** 

#### **AS SIMPLE AS 1, 2, 3**

Admissions to Nova Primary School are dealt with by Bristol City Council. For further information on how to apply for a place at our amazing school either:

- Visit our website
- View the admissions page on Bristol City Council's website, or
- Contact the school office
- @novaprimaryNova Primary School

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## **HOW TO APPLY**







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