

Tranquillity Park



In the warmer months children can eat outside and take time-out in Tranquillity park. This is an area for calm, quiet relaxation and a place to read, draw and talk

Feedback from Pupils

We asked some of our Y3 pupils for their feedback on our lunchtime provision for 2016/17 and this is what they told us

‘Swingball is really good fun.’

‘I like all the games like football, basketball and cricket.’

‘I hadn’t really played cricket before, but it’s great fun.’

‘I love all the dressing-up clothes.’

Future Plans

In the summer term we plan to introduce picnic blankets, so that pupils can have the option to eat their packed lunches on the field.

New equipment is introduced from time to time, throughout the academic year to keep everything fresh and interesting.

Where can parents find more information?

www.carterknowle.sheffield.sch.uk

Questions?

If parents have any concerns or questions about lunchtime provision, then they should make an appointment at the school office to see Mrs Haynes or Miss Clark.

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Lunchtime Provision at Carterknowle

Lunchtime is timetabled from 12.00— 1.10 every day. The Y3/4 children and Y5/6 children each have their own separate yards, but all the children have the opportunity to play together when the field is open.

Key People

Senior Teaching Assistant: Mr Brown

Teaching Assistants: Mrs Robinson, Mrs Clark
Mr Walsh, Mrs Hall, Mrs Norrie, Mrs Beamish and
Mrs Stephenson

Mr Brown leads the provision at lunchtime. He has a great deal of experience in play work and is a fully qualified football coach.



New for 2016/17

We asked the children last year how they would like to see lunchtimes improved, see below for examples of the new provision we have put in place this year as a result.

Role Play



Giant Parachute



Balance Ball



Target Practice



We have also purchased a range of new equipment including foam javelins, new skipping ropes, new football nets and a range of new balls (in a range of sizes), new quoits and more swing ball sets.

Football and Basketball

Football and basket ball are scheduled on a weekly timetable, with each class being allocated a separate day, every week to play each game .



Other Team Games

Mr Brown and the lunchtime team also set up and support a range of team games on rotation, including hockey and cricket.



Peer Mediators

Many of our Y6 pupils are also peer mediators. Working closely with Mr Brown, they are timetabled to support small group games and to promote positive play on both yards and on the field.

The Field

Field Games



During the good weather (from late spring to early autumn) we are lucky to have a large area of green space for the children to play on at lunchtime.

Seated Area



In the warm weather pupils can also eat or read in the seated area on the field.

Indoor Provision

When it is too wet to go outdoors, children can spend time with their year groups in classrooms, either doing table top games and activities or watching films. The main hall is also set up with a range of more physical games and equipment.