

Tranquillity Park



Tranquillity Park is an area for calm, quiet relaxation and a place to read, draw and talk. In the summer term, children can also eat their packed lunches at the picnic benches in Tranquillity Park.

Feedback from Pupils

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

'I like spending time in Tranquillity Park best – it is where I can sit and chat with friends.'

'I enjoy playtime the most when it's our turn for class football.'

'The trim trail is good fun and it's harder than it looks!'

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 in Tranquillity Park and when the field is open.

Key Person

Senior TA at Lunchtime: Mrs Robinson

Mrs Robinson leads the provision at lunchtime. She has a great deal of experience in play work and also runs our School Breakfast Club.



Playground Provision

Last year we secured lottery funding of £10 000 to develop our permanent outdoor play equipment. Members of School Council worked closely with Mrs Tyrrell, to select to equipment.



Peer Mediators

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



New for Summer 2019

Funded by sports premium money, two astro turf pitches will be laid on the tarmac where the children play football. The larger Y5/6 pitch will have two fixed goal ends and the smaller Y3/4 pitches will have movable nets.

For those that are not so keen on football, we are buying some more picnic tables so there is more room to sit and chat.



The Green Wall

Many parents have raised the issue of air quality on our playgrounds. As a result, the PTA is funding the planting of ivy and photinia along 36 metres of the fence to form a 'green wall'. Green walls reduce air pollution and therefore improve air quality, they also help to reduce noise levels. The development of our green wall will aid in making both playgrounds healthier and more pleasant spaces.



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.