



# Greenhive school

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## Prospectus



We would like to welcome you to Greenhive School.

We are a school which believes in the value of every child and adult who enters our doors. As such we want all those who become part of our school community, whether a child or an adult, to feel valued, happy, respected and to recognise their role in continuing to make our school different.

We believe that all children who become pupils at our school deserve the best and our aim is to help them succeed by reaching their potential in every area of school life – academic, social, personal, physical and spiritual. We do this by ensuring that each child has a clearly personalised curriculum where they understand their educational journey– where it is beginning, where it will take them and how they will get there!

Within our school we work very hard to create a team of teachers, non-teaching and support staff that will support each child in reaching their potential.

We value the broad and balanced curriculum which all children are able to access not only academic, but creative and physical areas of the British National Curriculum in the right context, so that they receive the highest standard of education.

We hope as you read our school brochure you will gain a sense of the value that we place in each child and our desire to ensure standards, in all areas, remain as high as possible within the caring and happy community which is Greenhive School.

Yours sincerely,  
Mrs. Oluola Roberts

# Mission Statement

Our school aims to consider the uniqueness and individual needs of its pupils by delivering a broad, balanced differentiated and relevant curriculum.

Each child is considered as a whole person developing skills, concepts and attitudes necessary for the opportunities and experiences of the future. We aim to prepare children to reach their full potential as responsible citizens.

Our school aspires to value everyone associated with it, irrespective of age, position, race, gender, background or ability. We endeavour to motivate, support and inspire personal, spiritual, emotional and educational growth in a safe and secure environment.



# Curriculum Aims

The curriculum will encourage all pupils to understand, be interested in and show respect to others, whilst also developing their own self esteem.

The curriculum will enable pupils to become literate and numerate, having confidence when communicating, working with and responding to others.

The curriculum will enable pupils to develop analytical problem-solving skills.

The curriculum will develop independence in our pupils enabling them to make healthy, safe life choices for themselves and others.

# About our School

Greenhive School (Foundation stage known as Gingerbread House) started on the 20th of January 2014 as a nursery school providing quality for the under 5s. However in 2018 , we started admitting children to our primary school which we intend to grow organically.

Each Class teacher is supported by a teaching assistant and a support staff where necessary. All our classes are of mixed ability and there will be times when your child will be taught with their whole class, in smaller groups and also individually





# Gingerbread House

Preschool, Nursery, Reception

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We firmly believe that play is the foundation for children's educational journey. Every activity at Gingerbread House, whether exploring the sandpit, engaging with playdough, or role-playing, is thoughtfully designed with an educational focus and objective.

As children embark on their Early years journey, we gently introduce them to the vibrant world of school life. Through a well-structured daily timetable consisting of activities such as circle time and story time, children grasp the concept of structure, rules, and expectations.

There is a balanced mix of phonics, numeracy, opportunities for free play, as well as adult-led activities and child-initiated learning. While each day brings something new and exciting, the joy of imaginative learning remains constant for our children.

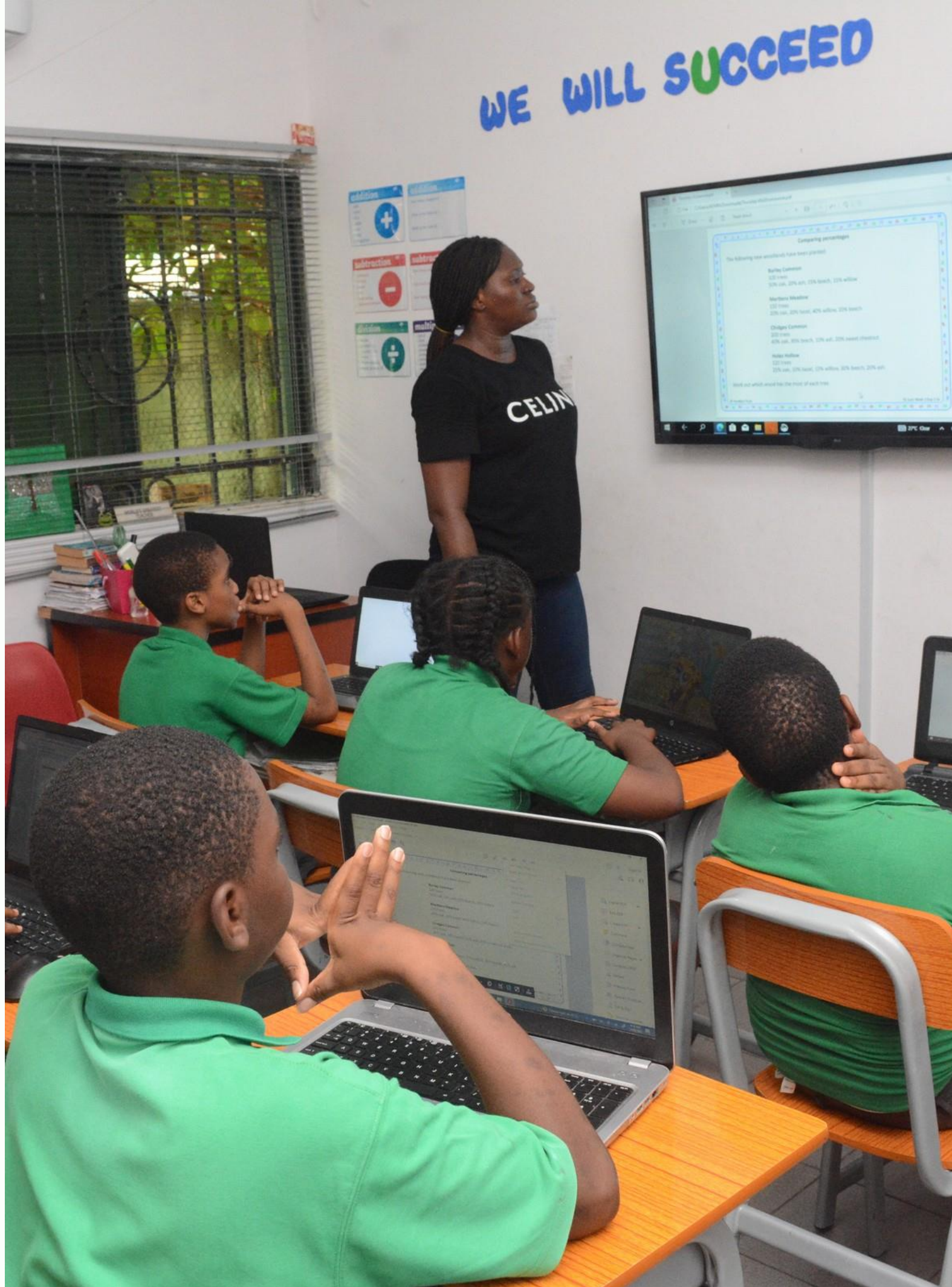


# Key Stage 2

Year 3, Year 4, Year 5

In Key Stage 2 children continue to develop the skills that will be necessary to maintain progress and add to their depth of knowledge. Pupils are encouraged to be more independent and to take greater responsibility for their actions and commitment to school life.

Our broad, well-balanced curriculum builds a sound academic foundation, complemented by participation in a variety of activities including sports. This encourages teamwork and fosters a competitive spirit that is valuable in so many aspects of school and in life.



# Physical Education

By developing each child's basic skills within a fun and happy environment, we seek to instil a love of sport from an early age.

This approach supports overall health and well-being and promotes sport as a lifelong source of enjoyment and camaraderie.

As children grow older, competitive sport builds character and helps to develop important personal values such as respect and a sense of fair play.

We have an extensive programme of competitive fixtures at all levels which enables many of our children to represent the school.



# Music

Music is a critical element of a well-rounded education, and our Music Department offers the children formal lessons in choral and instrumental disciplines.

Children in Key Stage 1 learn to play the recorder. And children in Key Stage 2 learn to play the violin.

For many, music is a lifelong source of enjoyment and fulfilment. For some, music becomes a valuable creative outlet that allows them to express themselves, while for others it can be a pathway to a rewarding career.

For all children, music provides another opportunity to develop the confidence that comes from performing in-class lessons and concerts.



# After School Activities

Children at Greenhive can choose from an extensive range of clubs and activities held after school. These provide children with opportunities to extend their learning, enhance their sporting abilities and grow friendships beyond their peer group. The choice is wide and varied from Art to Baking, Piano to Dance!



Pupils are encouraged to participate in as many activities and clubs as they wish, and it is certainly an opportunity for them to establish friendships with children from other age groups and add to the breadth of their experience at Greenhive School.

We hope this has given you an insight into life at Greenhive School. School and the opportunities your child will enjoy here.



The positive partnership between home and school is the cornerstone of every child's education and your initial visit to the school is the first step in this relationship.



If you would like to arrange a tour, or you have any questions about any aspect of Greenhive School, please telephone the School Office on 08170334970



We would be delighted to hear from you. For more information and to download a registration form, please visit [www.greenhiveschool.com](http://www.greenhiveschool.com) or email [info@greenhiveschool.com](mailto:info@greenhiveschool.com)

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