

Stepney Park Primary School

Contact Details

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Smithy Street Primary School

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School SEND Information

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Suitable for ages

Age of Users

From 5 To 11

Address Details

Street Number

Smithy Street Primary School

Street

Smithy Street

Town

London

Postcode

E1 3BW

Description

Service Description

At Smithy Street you will:

- Become a positive, creative thinker and resourceful problem solver. •See yourself as a global citizen with a responsibility to help create a better future for yourself and others. •Be adaptable and have the skills to be a successful life-long learner in an ever changing world.
- Be confident and able to challenge yourself to be the best that you can be.
- Understand your own emotions and show kindness, empathy and tolerance towards others.
- Be aware of your own cultural heritage and respect those of others. •Belong to a caring community where everyone enjoys learning together and celebrating success.

Additional Information

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Smithy Street first opened its doors under the name of 'Smithy School' in 1899.

Over the years it taught children of many different cultural backgrounds, including Irish, Chinese, Jewish and most recently Bangladeshi.

Due to a falling role and declining birth rate in the local area, the school closed its doors in the early 1970's

For the next 20 years or so, the school was used as an adult education centre. Classes included hairdressing, car mechanics, tap dancing, wood work and art.

In the late 1980's there was a sharp rise in the population of Tower Hamlets, with an increasing number of Bangladeshi children needing a place in Primary School. It was therefore decided that Smithy School would open its door again to primary aged children.

On the 5th of September 1991, the school re-launched under the name 'Smithy Street' Primary School. Ms Barbara O'Carroll, as acting Head teacher and Ms Diane Dorr, as acting Deputyhead, opened the school, with just 65 children and 3 newly qualified teachers.

Initially, there were just 4 classes, a Year 1 class, a Year 2 class, a Year 3 class and a mixed Year 4, 5 and 6 class. Eventually a Nursery and Reception class were added.

Roll was growing continually, and soon the school was up to its 1 form entry capacity, with a healthy waiting list.

In the year 2000, it was decided that Smithy Street Primary School should become a 1.5 form school. Again, roll rose steadily, and we now are a 2 form entry school with a present capacity of around 450 pupils, with waiting lists in all year groups.

Costs

Cost

Free

Cost per Session

£0.00

Cost per Hour

£0.00

Cost per Day

£0.00

Over 2's Cost per Week

£0.00

Under 2's Cost per Week

£0.00

Opening Times

Monday	from 09:00	to 15:30
Tuesday	from 09:00	to 15:30
Wednesday	from 09:00	to 15:30
Thursday	from 09:00	to 15:30
Friday	from 09:00	to 15:30

OFSTED Information

OFSTED Last Inspection Date

10 March 2009

OFSTED Last Inspection Summary

Outstanding

Questions & Answers

Are The Premises Accessible For Wheelchair Users? Yes

Do You Have Child Protection Policies And Procedures Yes

Do You Offer Specific Support For Children With Additional Needs? Yes

Has A Service Description? Yes

Registered For 2 Year Old Grant No

Further Information

Provider Type

Primary
Schools

Delivery Channels

E-Mail | In Person | Post | Telephone |
Web Site | Office / Premises

How to Contact

Email | In Person | Post | Telephone |
Web Site

Referral Criteria

None (Self-referral)

Details last updated

Last Updated

18 May 2021