

## **The Junior School day**

Junior School day starts at 8:30am. Reception, J1 and J2 girls and boys come straight into the classroom, with their parents if they wish. At the same time J3 – 6 pupils line up in the yard to meet their teachers and go to registration.

Each day our Lower Juniors (R-J2) and our Upper Juniors (J3-6) have an assembly time and on one day each week we all meet together for a whole Juniors assembly. Our assemblies are taken by teachers and visitors, sometimes led by the pupils themselves and usually with singing and a time for reflection. Additionally, each week has assemblies to give special mentions that celebrate our pupils' personal and sporting achievements.

Lower Juniors have four main teaching sessions per day, broken into suitable learning units and Upper Juniors have seven lessons, as do the Senior School.

Lower and Upper Juniors have their own play times in the morning and afternoons and have a portion of their playtime together after lunch, using a variety of the play areas

The school day finishes at 3:30pm for Lower Juniors and at 3:50pm for Upper Juniors, except on Wednesday and Friday games afternoons, when J5 and J6 finish at 4:30pm, returning from a variety of sporting venues.

After school J5 and J6 may stay to have tea and do their homework in supervised prep until 4:45pm or 5:15pm and R-J4 pupils may stay for play based activities in crèche up to 5:45pm