

Friday 26th June 2020

Transition

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are very much looking forward to welcoming your child to our nursery class here at Fairfields Primary School, this coming September. We have now been able to formulate a transition plan to ensure that your child has the best possible start to their nursery year.

As I am sure you can appreciate, we are making these plans without having any 'concrete' guidance from the Government due to the uncertainty around social distancing regulations come September. Therefore, we are making these provisions on a basis that all children will be returning to school in September and we will not be at a reduced capacity. Please note, that if this is not the situation in a few months, we will have to revisit the plan outlined below – but will, of course, keep you updated if anything were to change.

In the next few weeks, you will receive a letter to invite you to sign up to an online 'meet your teacher' meeting – which will be held via zoom. This gives you and your child the opportunity to meet their 'Key Person' initially and become familiar with the key people in the Early Years team. After signing up to the appointment time, you will receive confirmation and a unique meeting ID and password to log in with. We are hoping to run these meetings through the week commencing **7th September**.

In the first week of September, we are excited to be opening our Early Years up to you, as a 'settling in session' and for you and your child to meet their teachers, in person. More details about the date and time of this session will be released before the end of this Summer Term. This session is to support your child in seeing their new environment, meet each other and to become familiar with the adults they will be starting nursery with, the following week. School will start back for the 2020-21 academic year on **Monday 7th**



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September and your child will start their sessions from the week commencing 14th September, to allow for the virtual home visits to take place.

If your child has attended a previous setting, we will – wherever possible – liaise with them to support a smooth transition for your child. If you have not yet provided details of the setting, please could you email enquiries@fairfieldsprimary.co.uk. Similarly, if you feel that there is anything we need to know, that is fundamental to your child's transition to Fairfields, please email us.

I appreciate that this is a lot of information! We will be sending out more correspondence to you as the plan progresses and keep you informed of any changes. However, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us on the phone or by e mail.

We are really looking forward to meeting you and your child and hope that you are just as excited as we are!

Take care and stay safe.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Emily Castle
Assistant Headteacher

