



Friday 28th May 2021

Dear new Nursery Parents and Carers

A very warm welcome to Templemoor Nursery

On behalf of all the staff and Governors we would like to welcome you and your child to Templemoor Nursery. We are delighted that your child is coming to join us in September.

At Templemoor we believe that the job of educating is a never-ending one. It begins before a child comes to school and continues long after they have left. Our aim is to work together in partnership with parents to make the transition to Nursery a smooth, pleasant and exciting experience for you and your child.

Despite the uncertainty of knowing when we can invite visitors back into school without restrictions, please rest assured that no matter what happens, we will provide you (either face to face or virtually) with a way of ensuring that you and your child get all of the information that you need in order to be fully prepared for starting Nursery. We really are here for you every single step of the way.

What happens next?

We will email all relevant information to you and are starting to create a page on our school website under the tab 'Parents' and 'Nursery Induction – September 2021' where all information will be uploaded. We have also set up a dedicated email for new Nursery parents so you can send in forms, ask questions and get feedback. The email address is nursery2021@templemoor.trafford.sch.uk.

Towards the end of the week beginning 7th June, we will be sending out an information booklet with details about Nursery as well as further details about our Breakfast, After School and Holiday Club. You will also receive lots of forms to fill in which you will need to complete and return to school via the dedicated email address. You will also find out start dates and times! Not long to wait!

Welcome Meeting

We would like to warmly invite you to a parents' welcome meeting at school. There will be an opportunity to meet myself and the Nursery Team. You will also get to visit the Nursery setting and find out a little more about life in Nursery. The meeting will take place on **Tuesday 29th June** and will run from 7pm to 8pm. Please note that this session is for parents only. If, due to Covid restrictions, it is not possible to meet in person we will arrange a virtual meeting instead.

Home Visit

We aim to make the transition from home to Nursery a positive experience, and so as part of our induction process we will aim to visit your child in their home setting. This gives you the opportunity to talk with the Nursery Team about your little one and they can get to know their new teacher too! These Home Visits are a special way to get to know all of our

new children and families, building a strong relationship between yourself and school. It is also an ideal time to share any questions or concerns that you may have. These visits will take place during the week commencing **Monday 12th July**. We will be in touch shortly to confirm your date and time. Although we will do our best to accommodate your requests, we may need to be a little flexible to ensure we fit everyone in!

Visits to School

We are thrilled to announce that your child will have the opportunity to visit Nursery before the end of the Summer Term to meet their new class teacher and to explore their new environment. Nursery visits will take place the week beginning 5th July.

Finally...

If you have any questions or concerns about your child's transition, please let us know by contacting us via nursery2021@templemoor.trafford.sch.uk.

We really do look forward to connecting with you over the next half term, as we prepare for the start of your child's learning journey with us. Once again I would like to thank you for trusting us with your child's education by choosing Templemoor Nursery.

With very best wishes

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "S Hodgson".

Mr Hodgson (Headteacher) and the Early Years Team